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Planning

Catering Services Provision for Lincolnshire Police

Police and Crime Commissioner for Lincolnshire

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Scope

Reference

CCM/1389

Description

Invitation to Pre-Market Engagement: Catering Services Provision

Lincolnshire Police provides an onsite in-house canteen provision at its Nettleham Police HQ site. The canteen provides a daily breakfast, lunch and snack service to our on-site staff and is open Monday to Friday 0800 - 1330 hrs.

We are seeking to engage with the market ahead of a potential procurement exercise for the provision of catering services at our HQ site.

This pre-market engagement aims to:

- Understand current market capabilities and innovations

- Explore potential delivery models and service options

We welcome input from suppliers of all sizes who can offer high-quality, sustainable, and cost-effective catering solutions tailored to our operational needs. Commercial details are to be discussed during pre-market engagement meetings. Costs and value of the contract are unknown at this point in time and shall be determined depending on the best approach for the Force.

The pre-engagement meetings shall take place at Force Headquarters or via TEAMS. If you are interested in this opportunity, please submit a word document with details of attendees from your organisation and we shall contact you after Monday 13th October 2025 to arrange a suitable date and time for a meeting.

The above comes with the caveat that all pre-engagement activities shall be without any commercial commitment or prejudice.

Closing date for interest: 1700hrs on Friday 10th October 2025.

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Total value (estimated)

- £0 excluding VAT
- £0 including VAT

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 June 2026 to 31 May 2028
- Possible extension to 31 May 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 39222000 - Catering supplies
- 55500000 - Canteen and catering services
- 55520000 - Catering services

Contract locations

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

Engagement

Engagement deadline

10 October 2025

Engagement process description

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Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 December 2025

Contracting authority

Police and Crime Commissioner for Lincolnshire

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNBV-7818-LZWL

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government