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Tender

## **CBC-1834-T-TS Food Waste Treatment and Disposal - 4 Lots**

Central Bedfordshire Council

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### **Changes to notice**

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

### **Scope**

### **Reference**

CBC-1834-T-TS

## **Description**

Food Waste Treatment and Disposal - 4 Lots

Lot 1 - Food Waste Treatment - North of Authority Area - Collection Area Locations Map provided. Contract start date 1st April 2026.

Contract term 4 years + possible 3 year extension. All lots to expire concurrently.

Lot 2 - Food Waste Treatment - North of Authority Area - Collection Area Locations Map provided. Contract start date 1st April 2026. Contract term 4 years + possible 3 year extension. All lots to expire concurrently.

Lot 3 - Food Waste Treatment - South of Authority Area - Collection Area Locations Map provided. Contract start date 24th November 2026. Contract term 4 years + possible 3 year extension. All lots to expire concurrently.

Lot 4 - Food Waste Treatment - South of Authority Area - Collection Area Locations Map provided. Contract start date 24th November 2026. Contract term 4 years + possible 3 year extension. All lots to expire concurrently.

Please read and follow the information and guidance supplied below and within the Tender documents, this will help with your tender submission.

Word count limits apply, any information going over will not be considered.

Respond to ALL questions.

Additional documents or information not required will be disregarded.

Please note timeline with regards to questions and submission dates.

All communications, correspondences and clarifications must be sent via the In-tend portal.

Do not contact the Service area for information, please use the correspondence facility

Regularly view the Clarification tab for updates or responses to questions received by bidders.

Questions asked together with the response, will be made available to all bidders (if not Private and Confidential), this to ensure a fair and consistent approach to all.

Avoid uploading your return just prior to closing deadline as you may incur IT issues and

we will not accept Tender Returns via e-mail.

The Council will provide as much support and information as it can to help guide you through the Tender process. If there is anything you are not sure of or need clarification on, please contact the Procurement lead using the correspondence facility within the In-tend electronic tendering system.

### Opting In

To inform us of your decision to participate and to be able to submit a tender you will be required to Opt In. Opting In will confirm to us of your involvement and your intention to submit a tender return.

### Opting Out

Will confirm that you are no longer interested in submitting a tender return. You will be able to provide a reason as to your decision if you wish. This will cease any system-generated communications. You will be able to opt back in at any point.

### **Total value (estimated)**

- £1,339,998 excluding VAT
- £1,607,998 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 90500000 - Refuse and waste related services
- 90511000 - Refuse collection services
- 90511200 - Household-refuse collection services

## **Contract locations**

- UKH - East of England

## **Not the same for all lots**

Contract dates are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 1. Lot 1 - Food Waste Treatment**

### **Description**

Lot 1 - Food Waste Treatment - North of Authority Area

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £384,073 excluding VAT
- £460,888 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

Contract term 4 years + possible 3 year extension.

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 2. Lot 2 - Food Waste Treatment**

### **Description**

Lot 2 - Food Waste Treatment - North of Authority Area

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £384,073 excluding VAT
- £460,888 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

Contract start date 1st April 2026. Contract term 4 years with possible 3 year extension.

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 3. Lot 3 - Food Waste Treatment**

### **Description**

Lot 3 - Food Waste Treatment - South of Authority Area

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £285,926 excluding VAT
- £343,111 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 24 November 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 6 years, 4 months, 7 days

Description of possible extension:

Contract start date 24th November 2026. Contract term 4 years with possible 3 year extension

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Lot 4. Lot 4 - Food Waste Treatment**

### **Description**

Lot 4 - Food Waste Treatment - South of Authority Area

### **Lot value (estimated)**

- £285,926 excluding VAT
- £343,111 including VAT

### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 24 November 2026 to 31 March 2030
- Possible extension to 31 March 2033
- 6 years, 4 months, 7 days

Description of possible extension:

Contract term 4 years with possible 3 year extension

## **Same for all lots**

CPV classifications and contract locations are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

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## **Participation**

### **Technical ability conditions of participation**

**Lot 1. Lot 1 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 2. Lot 2 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 3. Lot 3 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 4. Lot 4 - Food Waste Treatment**

Refer to Technical Ability Criteria within Tender details

### **Particular suitability**

**Lot 1. Lot 1 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 2. Lot 2 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 3. Lot 3 - Food Waste Treatment**

**Lot 4. Lot 4 - Food Waste Treatment**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**



4 November 2025, 11:59pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

25 November 2025, 12:00pm

### **Submission address and any special instructions**

Suppliers are required to register on the In-tend supplier portal. All submissions must be via this portal. Tender submissions will not be accepted via any other format.

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/centralbedfordshire.aspx/Home>

### **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

### **Languages that may be used for submission**

English

### **Award decision date (estimated)**

8 December 2025

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### **Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>
Simple description	70% Cost 20% Quality 10% Social Value	Price

## **Weighting description**

70% Cost

20% Quality

10% Social Value

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## **Other information**

### **Conflicts assessment prepared/revised**

Yes

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

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## **Documents**

### **Associated tender documents**

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/centralbedfordshire.aspx/Home>

Tender details can be accessed via the In-tend supplier portal registration is required.

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## Contracting authority

### Central Bedfordshire Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVNH-1137-QJBX

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Region: UKH25 - Central Bedfordshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government