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Planning

SOL SOL Community Equipment Maintenance and Support Services

Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

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Scope

Reference

SOL30151

Description

SMBC provides essential community equipment to support independent living and hospital discharge. The current contract is due for renewal, and the Council is exploring options to enhance service delivery, compliance, and value for money.

The future contract may include:

- Planned Preventative Maintenance
- LOLER inspections (every 6 months)
- Reactive repairs

- Out-of-hours support (24/7/365)
- PAT testing
- Installation and minor adaptations (e.g., ceiling track hoists, modular ramps)
- Data recording and reporting via IT platforms (e.g., TCES)

Key Objectives

- Ensure statutory compliance (LOLER, Health & Safety)
- Improve service responsiveness and reliability
- Enhance customer satisfaction and accessibility
- Support sustainability and social value outcomes

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 February 2026 to 1 February 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 50800000 - Miscellaneous repair and maintenance services
 - 50400000 - Repair and maintenance services of medical and precision equipment
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Engagement

Engagement deadline

24 November 2025

Engagement process description

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Participation

Particular suitability

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

Contracting authority

Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

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