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Tender

Understanding Freight & Logistics: The Role of Local & Combined Authorities in the Development of Rail Freight Interchanges

Transport for the North

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Scope

Reference

POLICY-25/26-10

Description

Transport for the North wishes to appoint a Supplier to produce the next resource in the 'Understanding freight and logistics' series, the role of local and combined authorities in the development of rail freight interchanges. Further details of the contract can be found in the procurement documents.

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<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Manchester:-Transport-systems-consultancy-services./475G3SXHA2>

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Total value (estimated)

- £30,000 excluding VAT
- £36,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 January 2026 to 31 March 2026
- 3 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 71311200 - Transport systems consultancy services
- 73200000 - Research and development consultancy services

Contract locations

- UK - United Kingdom
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Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

5 December 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 December 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

| Name | Description | Type | Weighting |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------------|
| Total Fixed Price | Cost of Service | Price | 30% |
| Personnel & Organisational Capability | Personnel | Quality | 30% |
| Project Understanding | Understanding | Quality | 25% |
| Project Risk and Management | Risk | Quality | 10% |
| Decarbonisation | Decarbonisation | Quality | 5% |

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

Transport for the North

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQPZ-2866-ZTCV

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