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Tender

Food, Drink and Catering Consumables Framework

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council

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Scope

Reference

DN783259

Description

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council is seeking a supplier to provide food and beverages for council requirements. In addition, the tender includes a separate lot for catering disposables, such as food packaging, cups, cutlery, and related items. Suppliers may bid for one or both lots.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £1,826,890 excluding VAT
- £1,891,741 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 8 February 2026 to 7 February 2029
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products

Contract locations

- UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole

Lot constraints

Description of how multiple lots may be awarded:

The award criteria weightings are the same for the two lots but individual sub criteria differ. Please ensure that you familiarise yourself with the Invitation to Tender document prior to submitting bid for either or both lots.

Lot 1. Ambient, Chilled and Frozen Consumables

Description

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council (the Council) require an experienced company to supply and deliver ambient, chilled and frozen food and beverages including but not limited to a range of canned, packaged, fresh food and canned and bottled beverages (the Products).

Lot value (estimated)

- £1,462,691 excluding VAT
- £1,462,691 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Same for all lots

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

Lot 2. Catering Disposables

Description

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council (the Council) require an experienced

company to supply and deliver catering disposables.

Lot value (estimated)

- £366,288 excluding VAT
- £439,545 including VAT

Framework lot values may be shared with other lots

Same for all lots

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

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

2

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Framework operation description

Prices will be reviewed in accordance with the specification - annual price reviews are applicable.

Each lot will be evaluated separately for award at which point a single provider will be

appointed to each lot for direct award.

Award method when using the framework

Without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Participation

Particular suitability

Lot 1. Ambient, Chilled and Frozen Consumables

Lot 2. Catering Disposables

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

28 November 2025, 5:00pm

Tender submission deadline

15 December 2025, 2:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Procurer/Advert/View?advertId=cf4858ff-7ac0-f011-813a-005056b64545&fromAdvertEvent=True>

Please register is not already with Procontract (no fee required) and complete tender documents as required.

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

15 January 2026

Award criteria

Name	Description	Type	Weighting
Price	Pricing submission	Price	60%
Quality	Scored evaluation from Quality bidders responses to quality questions		40%

Other information

Applicable trade agreements

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Documents

Technical specifications to be met

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Link to tender documents

Contracting authority

Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHY-7342-PRHH

BCP Council Civic Centre

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Contact name: Procurement Resources

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Website: <https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

Region: UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government