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Tender

## **UKRI-4940 Commercial Waste Collection & Recycling**

UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

UKRI-4940

### **Description**

UKRI wishes to appoint a Contractor capable of delivering a fully integrated and seamless commercial waste management and recycling service for a period of four plus one years. (4+1).

The waste supplier will need to meet key criteria set out in the 5-year STFC Environmental Sustainability Strategy (2025-2030) which contains commitments on waste and resource efficiency. Our waste supplier has a significant role to play in both STFC's Environmental Sustainability Strategy and the Greening Government Commitments which run to 2030.

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

- £950,000 excluding VAT
- £1,140,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

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

- 15 March 2026 to 14 March 2030
- Possible extension to 14 March 2031
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract may be extended by UKRI for a further 12 months, subject to the same terms and conditions

### **Options**

The right to additional purchases while the contract is valid.

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### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 90500000 - Refuse and waste related services

- 34928480 - Waste and rubbish containers and bins
- 90514000 - Refuse recycling services
- 90512000 - Refuse transport services
- 90511300 - Litter collection services

## **Contract locations**

- UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

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## **Participation**

### **Particular suitability**

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

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## **Submission**

### **Enquiry deadline**

8 January 2026, 2:00pm

### **Tender submission deadline**

16 January 2026, 11:00am

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

To access this opportunity please click here:

[https://ukri2--prospend.vf.force.com/apex/CS\\_ContractPage?filters=&page=1&Preview=Yes&searchStr=&SearchType=Projects&sortStr=Alphabetical&uid=a1MQH000004QySr2AK&sfdcIframeOrigin=https://ukri2.lightning.force.com](https://ukri2--prospend.vf.force.com/apex/CS_ContractPage?filters=&page=1&Preview=Yes&searchStr=&SearchType=Projects&sortStr=Alphabetical&uid=a1MQH000004QySr2AK&sfdcIframeOrigin=https://ukri2.lightning.force.com)

Please note the following steps for accessing this opportunity via the Atamis eSourcing platform:

1. Log in or create an account here: <https://ukri2.my.site.com>
2. Navigate to the opportunity in the Find an Opportunity section of the site or via the direct access link above.
3. Select Register Interest (you will not be able to view the tender documentation without registering an interest).
4. Go back to the main menu and navigate to the My Proposals and Quotes section of the site.
5. Select the opportunity from the list. Tender Documents for download are found in the Documents tab.

To attend the site visit on Wednesday 17th December 2025 at 10:00 GMT, please contact [STFCProcurement@ukri.org](mailto:STFCProcurement@ukri.org) to register your details.

Please include Company Name, Attendee(s), Contact Details.

## **Tenders may be submitted electronically**

Yes

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

English

**Award decision date (estimated)**

2 February 2026

**Recurring procurement**

Publication date of next tender notice (estimated): 2 September 2030

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**Award criteria**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Type</b>	<b>Weighting</b>
Quality	Including Social Value	Quality	60.00%
Price	40%	Price	40.00%

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**Other information****Payment terms**

UKRI Payment Terms

**Description of risks to contract performance**

Legislative Changes within Waste Industry.

**Applicable trade agreements**

- Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

## Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Contracting authority

### UK Research & Innovation (UKRI)

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDQJ-7126-JDHG

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Region: UKK14 - Swindon

Organisation type: Public authority - central government