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Tender

Local maintenance, supply and install of EV chargers in North and West Scotland

Highlands and Islands Transport Partnership (HITRANS)
Argyll and Bute Council
Comhairle nan Eilean Siar
Orkney Islands Council
Shetland Islands Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Highlands and Islands Transport Partnership (HITRANS)

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Inverness

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Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM6 - Highlands and Islands

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.hitrans.org.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA12522

I.1) Name and addresses

Argyll and Bute Council

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00063

I.1) Name and addresses

Comhairle nan Eilean Siar

Council Offices, Sandwich Road

Stornoway

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Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM64 - Na h-Eileanan Siar (Western Isles)

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.cne-siar.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00262

I.1) Name and addresses

Orkney Islands Council

Council Offices, School Place

Kirkwall

KW15 1NY

Email

evcharging@orkney.gov.uk

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM65 - Orkney Islands

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.orkney.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00369

I.1) Name and addresses

Shetland Islands Council

8 North Ness Business Park

Lerwick, Shetland

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM66 - Shetland Islands

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.shetland.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00402

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Regional Transport Partnership

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Local maintenance, supply and install of EV chargers in North and West Scotland

Reference number

HITRANS/EVIF/M&R/2025

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45310000 - Electrical installation work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Lot 1

18 month maintenance contract for 95 chargers utilising local electrical contractors (within each Council area)

Lot 2

Supply of 12x 7kW replacement chargers, 21x 22kW replacement chargers and 2x50kW additional chargers for two new sites

Install the supplied chargers plus 5 we have in stock (1x50kW, 2x22kW and 2x7kW) utilising local contractors (within the Council area)

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £720,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Supply and Install

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 31158000 - Chargers
- 51100000 - Installation services of electrical and mechanical equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM6 - Highlands and Islands

- UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute
- UKM64 - Na h-Eileanan Siar (Western Isles)
- UKM65 - Orkney Islands
- UKM66 - Shetland Islands

Main site or place of performance

Argyll and Bute, Western Isles, Orkney Islands and Shetland Islands

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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Please refer to procurement documents for full details

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

18

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Please refer to T&Cs

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Local maintenance

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50100000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services of vehicles and related equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM6 - Highlands and Islands
- UKM64 - Na h-Eileanan Siar (Western Isles)
- UKM65 - Orkney Islands
- UKM66 - Shetland Islands
- UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute

Main site or place of performance

Argyll and Bute, Western Isles, Orkney Islands and Shetland Islands

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

18 month maintenance contract for 95 chargers utilising local electrical contractors (within each Council area)

Please refer to the procurement documents for full details

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

18

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Please refer to T&Cs

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

30 January 2026

Local time

10:00am

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

30 January 2026

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

This contract is also available without commitment or obligation, for use within the region of the contract unless otherwise agreed by HITRANS, by publicly owned and/or operated ferry companies, Police Scotland, Fire and Rescue and NHS bodies, including but not limited to:

Scottish Ambulance Service

Gyle Square, 1 South Gyle Crescent, Edinburgh, EH12 9EB

Mobile 07385 411993

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https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/ESPD/ESPD_Download.aspx?id=817352

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Inverness Justice Centre

Inverness

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.scotcourts.gov.uk/the-courts/court-locations/inverness-sheriff-court-and-justice-of-the-peace-court>