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Award

1a, 1c and 1d Bus Services

West Berkshire Council

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Scope

Reference

P00001702

Description

The Council is tendering a contract for 1a, 1c and 1d Local Bus Services (the full scope as outlined in the specification at Appendix 4)

The 1a and 1c local bus services operate Monday to Saturday. They are each an approximately hourly service. Both operate from Newbury Wharf to the West Berkshire Hospital. The route of the one 1d journey is as the 1a and 1c from the Wharf Bus Station to the Hospital, then continues directly along the Bath Road to Thatcham Broadway.

Contract 1. 1a, 1c and 1d bus Services

Supplier

- [Newbury&District Ltd](#)

Contract value

- £1,195,289.68 excluding VAT
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Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

17 December 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

17 December 2025

Standstill period

- End: 30 December 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

15 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 2 February 2026 to 31 August 2029
- Possible extension to 31 August 2032
- 6 years, 6 months, 27 days

Description of possible extension:

3 year extension depending on funding.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 60100000 - Road transport services
- 60112000 - Public road transport services

Information about tenders

- 2 tenders received
- 2 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 2 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts

- 1 supplier unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Supplier

Newbury&District Ltd

- Companies House: 07491219

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Reading

RG1 7HH

United Kingdom

Email: planning@reading-buses.co.uk

Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. 1a, 1c and 1d bus Services

Contracting authority

West Berkshire Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PTXJ-8922-CMNQ

Market Street

Newbury

RG14 5LD

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@westberks.gov.uk

Website: <http://www.westberks.gov.uk>

Region: UKJ11 - Berkshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government