

**UK-Ellesmere Port: hire of passenger transport vehicles with driver**

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Contract notice

Services

Directive 2004/18/EC

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Cheshire West &amp; Chester Borough Council

Postal address: Rivacre Business Centre, Mill Lane

Town: Ellesmere Port

Postal code: CH66 3TL

Country: United Kingdom

Contact person: Integrated Transport Service

For the attention of: Transport Tender Team

E-mail: [transporttendering@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](mailto:transporttendering@cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)

Telephone: +44 1244973377

**Internet address(es):**General address of the contracting authority: [www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](http://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)Address of the buyer profile: [http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA20543](http://www.mytenders.org/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA20543)**Additional information can be obtained from:**

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Internet address: [www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk](http://www.cheshirewestandchester.gov.uk)**Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted:** Official name: Cheshire West & Chester Borough Council

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**I.2. Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.3. Main activity**

Environment

**I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities**

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

**Section II: Object of the contract**

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**II.1. Description**

**II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority**

Retender Programme 2012: Phase 4.

**II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery**

Services

Service category No 2: Land transport services [2], including armoured car services, and courier services, except transport of mail

Main site or place of performance: Transport to/from/within the County of Cheshire West and Chester.

NUTS code UK United Kingdom

**II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The notice involves a public contract

**II.1.4. Information about framework agreement**

**II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)**

Provision of passenger transport services on various Local Bus, Community Services, Children Services Special needs, Social care & Mainstream necessary routes to/from/within the County of Cheshire West and Chester.

**II.1.6. CPV code(s)**

60170000 Hire of passenger transport vehicles with driver, 60172000 Hire of buses and coaches with driver, 60140000 Non-scheduled passenger transport

**II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

**II.1.8. Lots**

This contract is divided into lots: no

**II.1.9. Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: yes

## **II.2. Scope of the procurement**

### **II.2.1. Total quantity or scope**

As specified in the tender documentation, available from the official purchasing address. Please note contracts will be awarded between a 1 year and 8 year basis. Length of contract will be stated on the tender form.

### **II.2.2. Information about options**

Options: no

### **II.2.3. Information about renewals**

This contract is subject to renewal: no

## **II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion**

Duration in months: 96 (from the award of the contract)

## **Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

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### **III.1. Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required**

#### **III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them**

Delivery Payment.

#### **III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded**

As specified in the current "Conditions of Contract" available from the official purchasing address.

#### **III.1.4. Contract performance conditions**

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: yes

Description of particular conditions: As specified in the current "Conditions of contract" available from the official purchasing address.

### **III.2. Conditions for participation**

#### **III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions: (1) All candidates will have to demonstrate that they are licensed, or a member of the relevant organisation, in the State where they are established, when the law of that State prohibits the provision of the services, described in this notice, by a person who is not so licensed or who is not a member of the relevant organisation.

#### **III.2.2. Economic and financial ability**

List and brief description of conditions: As specified in the "Conditions of Contract" available from the official purchasing address.

#### **III.2.3. Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of conditions:

(1) A check may be carried out by the contracting authority or by a competent official body of the State in which the candidate is established, to verify the technical capacity of the

candidate; and if relevant, on the candidates study and research facilities and quality control measures.

#### **III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts**

#### **III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts**

##### **III.3.1. Information about a particular profession**

##### **III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract**

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract: yes

### **Section IV: Procedure**

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#### **IV.1. Type of procedure**

##### **IV.1.1. Type of procedure**

Open

##### **IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

##### **IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue**

#### **IV.2. Award criteria**

##### **IV.2.1. Award criteria**

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

##### **IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction**

An electronic auction will be used: no

#### **IV.3. Administrative information**

##### **IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority**

##### **IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

##### **IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document**

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 18.5.2012

##### **IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

11.6.2012 - 12:00

##### **IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates**

##### **IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English.

##### **IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

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

##### **IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date: 11.6.2012 - 14:00

Place:

Rivacre Business Centre, Mill Lane, Ellesmere Port, Cheshire. CH66 3TL.

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: yes

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Local Government Officers as approved by Cheshire West and Chester Borough Council.

## **Section VI: Complementary information**

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### **VI.1. Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: Recurrent Procurement Programme, occurring approximately monthly.

### **VI.2. Information about European Union funds**

### **VI.3. Additional information**

Contracts awarded as a result of this advertisement may be extended/varied to meet the requirements of the 1985 Transport Act. The contracting authority is under no obligation to award any contracts as a result of this tendering process. PLEASE NOTE: Length of contract award will vary between 1 and 8 years, specific information will be disclosed on the tender form.

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### **VI.4. Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1. Review body**

#### **VI.4.2. Review procedure**

#### **VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

### **VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice**

16.4.2012