

**United Kingdom-Newcastle upon Tyne: Milk  
OJ S 129/2017 08/07/2017  
Contract award notice  
Supplies**

**Legal Basis:**

Directive 2014/24/EU

**Section I: Contracting authority**

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: North East Procurement Organisation (Central Purchasing Body)

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Address of the buyer profile: [www.nepo.org](http://www.nepo.org)

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Town: Darlington

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Postal code: DL1 5QT

Country: United Kingdom

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

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Town: Durham

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: DH1 5UL

Country: United Kingdom

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**I.1. Name and addresses**

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Town: Gateshead

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)  
Postal code: NE8 1HH  
Country: United Kingdom  
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Town: Hartlepool  
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Postal code: TS24 8AY  
Country: United Kingdom  
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Town: Middlesbrough  
NUTS code: UKC North East (England)  
Postal code: TS1 9FX  
Country: United Kingdom  
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**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Newcastle City Council (Framework Contract Participant)  
Postal address: Civic Centre, Barras Bridge  
Town: Newcastle upon Tyne  
NUTS code: UKC North East (England)  
Postal code: NE1 7RS  
Country: United Kingdom  
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Main address: [www.newcastle.gov.uk](http://www.newcastle.gov.uk)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

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Town: Newcastle upon Tyne  
NUTS code: UKC North East (England)  
Postal code: NE27 0BY  
Country: United Kingdom  
E-mail: [contact.us@northtyneside.gov.uk](mailto:contact.us@northtyneside.gov.uk)  
**Internet address(es):**  
Main address: [www.northtyneside.gov.uk](http://www.northtyneside.gov.uk)

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**Name and addresses**

Official name: South Tyneside Council (Framework Contract Participant)

Postal address: Town Hall & Civic Offices, Westoe Road

Town: South Shields

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: NE33 2RL

Country: United Kingdom

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**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.southtyneside.gov.uk](http://www.southtyneside.gov.uk)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Stockton-on-Tees Borough Council (Framework Contract Participant)

Postal address: Municipal Buildings, Church Road

Town: Stockton-on-Tees

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: TS18 1LD

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [customer.comments@stockton.gov.uk](mailto:customer.comments@stockton.gov.uk)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.stockton.gov.uk](http://www.stockton.gov.uk)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

Official name: Sunderland City Council (Framework Contract Participant)

Postal address: Civic Centre, Burdon Road

Town: Sunderland

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: SR2 7DN

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [enquiries@sunderland.gov.uk](mailto:enquiries@sunderland.gov.uk)

**Internet address(es):**

Main address: [www.sunderland.gov.uk](http://www.sunderland.gov.uk)

**I.1. Name and addresses**

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**I.2. Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.4.**

## **Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

### **I.5. Main activity**

General public services

## **Section II: Object**

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### **II.1. Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1. Title**

NEPO416 Framework for the Provision of Milk and Dairy Products.

Reference number: NEPO416

#### **II.1.2. Main CPV code**

15511000 Milk

#### **II.1.3. Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4. Short description**

The Association of North East Councils Trading as the North East Procurement Organisation (NEPO) Framework Contract Award for the Provision and Distribution of Milk and Dairy Products. The Framework will cover the supply and direct delivery of Milk and Dairy Products to Kitchens and School establishments in order to fulfil the requirements associated with Milk provision. The Framework will be a ranked Framework consisting of no more than 3 suppliers per lot.

#### **II.1.6. Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: yes

#### **II.1.7. Total value of the procurement**

Value excluding VAT: 8 000 000,00 GBP

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Provision of Kitchen and Nursery Milk — Tyne and Wear

Lot No: 1

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

15511000 Milk, 15511300 Skimmed milk, 15511400 Semi-skimmed milk, 15511500 Full-cream milk

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

The agreement will be available for use by all NEPO Members within the North East region. A list of member organisations is available in the About section of the NEPO website at: [www.nepo.org](http://www.nepo.org).

This agreement will also be made available to all current and future NEPO Associate Members throughout the North East region. Contractors are listed in ranked order and Call-Off can be made via direct award to the first ranked supplier in the first instance. If the supplier is unable

to fulfill all requirements of the Contracting Authority, they reserve the right to engage with the second ranked supplier and so on, until all requirements are met in full.

#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Project Implementation / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Complaints Procedure / Weighting: 6.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Carbon Reduction, Waste Collection and Sustainability Agenda / Weighting: 5.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Supply Chain Development / Weighting: 2.50 %

Quality criterion - Name: Working Proactively with NEPO Member Authorities / Weighting: 2.50 %

Price - Weighting: 70.00 %

#### **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:  
yes

Identification of the project:

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

##### **II.2. Description**

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Provision and Distribution of Kitchen and Nursery Milk — Tees Valley

Lot No: 2

##### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

15511000 Milk, 15511300 Skimmed milk, 15511400 Semi-skimmed milk, 15511500 Full-cream milk

##### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

##### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

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Quality criterion - Name: Project Implementation / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Complaints Procedure / Weighting: 6.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Carbon Reduction, Waste Collection and Sustainability Agenda / Weighting: 5.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Supply Chain Development / Weighting: 2.50 %

Quality criterion - Name: Working Proactively with NEPO Member Authorities / Weighting: 2.50 %

Price - Weighting: 70.00 %

#### **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:

yes

Identification of the project:

#### **II.2.14. Additional information**

##### **II.2. Description**

##### **II.2.1. Title**

Provision of Kitchen Milk and Dairy Products via a nominated third party distributor

Lot No: 3

##### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

15511000 Milk, 15511300 Skimmed milk, 15511400 Semi-skimmed milk, 15511500 Full-cream milk

##### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

##### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

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##### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Project Implementation / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 7.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Complaints Procedure / Weighting: 6.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Carbon Reduction, Waste Collection and Sustainability Agenda / Weighting: 5.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Supply Chain Development / Weighting: 2.50 %

Quality criterion - Name: Working Proactively with NEPO Member Authorities / Weighting: 2.50 %

Price - Weighting: 70.00 %

#### **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:

yes

Identification of the project:

## **II.2.14. Additional information**

### **II.2. Description**

#### **II.2.1. Title**

Provision and Distribution of Organic Kitchen and Nursery Milk  
Lot No: 4

#### **II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)**

15511000 Milk, 15511300 Skimmed milk, 15511400 Semi-skimmed milk, 15511500 Full-cream milk

#### **II.2.3. Place of performance**

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

#### **II.2.4. Description of the procurement**

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#### **II.2.5. Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Project Implementation / Weighting: 7.00 %

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Quality criterion - Name: Carbon Reduction, Waste Collection and Sustainability Agenda / Weighting: 5.00 %

Quality criterion - Name: Supply Chain Development / Weighting: 2.50 %

Quality criterion - Name: Working Proactively with NEPO Member Authorities / Weighting: 2.50 %

Price - Weighting: 70.00 %

#### **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:  
yes

Identification of the project:

## **II.2.14. Additional information**

## **Section IV: Procedure**

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### **IV.1. Description**

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

Open procedure

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

**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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number in the OJ S: [2017/S 029-051553](#)

**IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system****IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice****Section V: Award of contract**

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**Title:**

NEPO416 Provision and Distribution of Milk and Dairy Products

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

**V.2. Award of contract****V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract**

22/06/2017

**V.2.2. Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Embleton Hall Dairies

Postal address: Murton Hall Farm, Wingate

Town: Co Durham

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: TS28 5NU

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: [www.embletonhalldairies.co.uk](http://www.embletonhalldairies.co.uk)

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: FP Processing Ltd

Postal address: Springfield Mills, Spa Street, Ossett

Town: Wakefield

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: WF5 OHW

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: [www.freshpastures.co.uk](http://www.freshpastures.co.uk)

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Greencroft Milk Supplies Ltd

Postal address: Telford Road

Town: Middlesbrough

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: TS3 8BL

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: [www.greencroftmilksuppliesltd.co.uk](http://www.greencroftmilksuppliesltd.co.uk)

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor**

Official name: Acorn Dairy Ltd

Postal address: Archdeacon Newton

Town: Darlington

NUTS code: UKC North East (England)

Postal code: DL2 2YB

Country: United Kingdom

Internet address: [www.acorndairy.co.uk](http://www.acorndairy.co.uk)

The contractor is an SME: yes

**V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot**

Total value of the contract/lot: 8 000 000,00 GBP

**V.2.5. Information about subcontracting**

The contract is likely to be subcontractedShort description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted:

The delivery to establishments is likely to be subcontracted.

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**Section VI: Complementary information**

**VI.3. Additional information**

NEPO is a Central Purchasing Body as defined in the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (PCR15). This means that NEPO may provide central purchasing activity on behalf of Contracting Authorities.

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This agreement will also be made available to all current and future NEPO Associate Members throughout the North East region. Current Associate Members are listed in the Associate Member section of the NEPO website at: [www.nepo.org/associate-membership/list](http://www.nepo.org/associate-membership/list).

NEPO intends to make the resulting agreement available for use by all Contracting Authorities throughout the North East region (as defined by the Public Contracts Regulations 2015) including but not limited to Government Departments and their Agencies, Non-Departmental Public Bodies, Central Government, NHS Bodies, Local Authorities, Emergency Services, Coastguard Emergency Services, Educational Establishments, Registered Social Landlords and Registered Charities who have a need to purchase the above services.

Please see the following websites for further details:-

<http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/DI1/Directories/Localcouncils/index.htm>

<http://www.edubase.gov.uk/edubase/home.xhtml>

<http://www.schoolswebdirectory.co.uk/localauthorities.php>  
<http://www.ukschoolsdirectory.net>  
<https://www.gov.uk/find-school-in-england>  
<http://apps.education-ni.gov.uk/appinstitutes/default.aspx>  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/open-academies-and-academy-projects-in-development>  
<http://unistats.direct.gov.uk/institutions/>  
<http://www.hefce.ac.uk/workprovide/unicoll/heis/>  
<http://www.hefce.ac.uk/workprovide/unicoll/fecs/>  
<http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/AcuteTrustListing.aspx>  
<http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/D11/Directories/A-ZOfCentralGovernment/index.htm>  
<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations>  
<https://www.communities-ni.gov.uk/contact>  
<https://www.ons.gov.uk/>  
<http://www.police.uk/forces.htm>  
<http://www.police-information.co.uk/index.html>  
<http://www.mcga.gov.uk/c4mca/mcga07-home.htm>  
<http://www.fireservice.co.uk/information/ukfrs>  
<http://www.fire.org.uk/fire-brigades.html>  
[http://www.charity-commission.gov.uk/About\\_us/Regulation/Registering\\_charities\\_index.aspx](http://www.charity-commission.gov.uk/About_us/Regulation/Registering_charities_index.aspx)  
<http://www.oscr.org.uk/>  
<http://www.idea.gov.uk/idk/core/page.do?pagelId=7175736>  
<http://apps.charitycommission.gov.uk/Showcharity/RegisterOfCharities/registerhomepage.aspx>  
<http://www.communities.gov.uk/newsroom/factsandfigures/housingplanning1/facts/socialhousing/?id=1822644>

A complete list of permissible users is shown on the NEPO website below:

<http://www.nepo.org/associate-membership/permissable-users>

Organisations wishing to access the NEPO agreement will be required to register as a NEPO Associate Member in the first instance.

Further information can be found at: [www.nepo.org](http://www.nepo.org)

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

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

Official name: NEPO

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##### **VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures**

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Internet address: [www.nepo.org](http://www.nepo.org)

**VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Official name: NEPO

Postal address: Guildhall, Quayside

Town: Newcastle upon Tyne

Postal code: NE1 3AF

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: [marie.bartup@nepo.org](mailto:marie.bartup@nepo.org)

Internet address: [www.nepo.org](http://www.nepo.org)

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

04/07/2017