

371392-2026 - Planning

Norway – Reconditioning services of rolling stock – RFI – Service life extension of trams for Gråkallbanen, Trondheim

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Prior information notice or a periodic indicative notice used only for information Services

1. Buyer

1.1. Buyer

Official name: Trøndelag Fylkeskommune

Email: postmottak@trondelagfylke.no

Legal type of the buyer: Body governed by public law, controlled by a regional authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2. Procedure

2.1. Procedure

Title: RFI – Service life extension of trams for Gråkallbanen, Trondheim

Description: The purpose of this Prior Information Notice is to inform the market and to initiate dialogue with economic operators regarding possible approaches to life-extension of the existing tram fleet. The contracting authority wishes to gain insight into technical feasibility, risks, and suitable procurement strategies before deciding on the next steps. The County Council of Trøndelag is interested in dialogue with companies that can either: perform an independent evaluation of the feasibility of extending the service life of the vehicles; and/or carry out refurbishment and life-extension work to the vehicles. Key technical areas of interest include, but are not limited to, DC electrical control systems (chopper technology) and mechanical components such as gearboxes and drivetrain elements. The County Council of Trøndelag (Trøndelag county) has initiated a project to assess the possibility of extending the service life of the trams operating on the Gråkallbanen tramway in Trondheim. The trams were manufactured by Linke-Hofmann-Busch (LHB) and delivered in the period 1984–1985. Of the eleven trams originally delivered, six vehicles remain in operation and are included in the scope of this assessment. The Gråkallbanen is operated by Boreal Bane AS, which is also the owner of the vehicles and responsible for maintenance. Boreal has carried out a technical conditioning assessment of the six operational trams and has presented a preliminary cost estimate and a risk analysis related to a potential life-extension program. The assessment indicates significant uncertainty regarding feasibility, costs, availability of spare parts, and access to specialised expertise, particularly related to legacy direct-current (DC) electrical control systems. The initial phase will consist of digital meetings with interested economic operators. The meetings will be used to present the background and challenges of the project and to collect feedback and recommendations regarding feasible technical and commercial solutions. Based on the input received during the market consultation, the project team will assess alternative approaches and decide how to proceed. This assessment will include a comparison between the life-extension of the existing vehicles and the potential procurement of new trams for Trondheim, with the objective of determining the most economically advantageous solution. This Prior Information Notice is for information and market consultation

only and does not constitute a call for competition. An original technical data sheet for the LGB trams delivered to Trondheim in 1984-1985 is attached to the information notice. Feedback must be provided by August 7.th 2026.

Internal identifier: cmp2l5kph000504l8qdk9fvha

2.1.1. Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 50224000 Reconditioning services of rolling stock

Additional classification (cpv): 50222000 Repair and maintenance services of rolling stock, 34622100 Tramway passenger coaches

2.1.2. Place of performance

Postal address: Fylkets hus Postboks 2560

Town: STEINKJER

Postcode: 7735

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

Additional information: Norway

2.1.4. General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Anskaffelsesforskriften - Public Procurement Regulations (FOA)

3. Part

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3.1.5. General information

Reserved participation

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Participation is not reserved.

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA): yes

3.1.6. Procurement documents

Address of the procurement documents: <https://hyr.no/marketdialog/cmp2l5l0w000d04l8fkojgprl>

3.1.7. Terms of procurement

The execution of the contract must be performed within the framework of sheltered employment programmes: No

3.1.9. Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: TRØNDELAG TINGRETT

8. Organisations

8.1. ORG-0001

Official name: TRØNDELAG TINGRETT

Registration number: 926722794

Postal address: Postboks 2317 Torgarden

Town: TRONDHEIM

Postcode: 7004

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Tröndelage (NO060)

Country: Norway

Contact point: TRØNDELAG TINGRETT

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

8.1. ORG-0003

Official name: Trøndelag Fylkeskommune

Registration number: 817920632

Postal address: Fylkets hus Postboks 2560

Town: STEINKJER

Postcode: 7735

Country subdivision (NUTS): Trøndelag/Trööndelage (NO060)

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Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

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