



SOFT MARKT ASSESSMENT – (THIS IS NOT A TENDER)

Door Access Control System – Public Conveniences in Newquay

Located on Cornwall's Atlantic Coast, Newquay has previously been voted as "One of the Nation's Favourite Seaside Towns" in the prestigious Which Holiday Survey, "Best Family Holiday Destination" by readers of COAST magazine and has won Gold for "Best Seaside Towns for Families" by Days Out with the Kids.

Newquay also has some of the finest beaches in Cornwall and beyond!

Provision of public toilets is a vital service provided by Newquay Town Council both to visitors to the town as well as to support but those who live and work in the community.

The Town Council is considering updating current access controls to the doors to the public toilets owned and operated by the Council.

If the Council looks to advance these plans, it would involve work across 8 different facilities across the town and in the region of 24 doors which would require modification.

The intention behind any changes would be to update and modernise existing access controls entry.

As part of these considerations the Council is interested in options of either to provide contactless only control access or contactless / coin hybrid control.

Any solution ideally it would enable a means of being remote operated so that doors can be set to open/lock at specific hours.

Servicing and Maintenance package would require to be included.

Anti-theft protection needs to be a consideration.

A formal budget has yet to be set out but anticipated that £15k to 30k spend.

In the event that the Town Council chooses to take this proposal forward and if you are a supplier who may be interested in bidding for this work please provide an expression of interest to:

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To aid the Town Council's understanding on both levels of interest and solutions which may meet the needs of the Council, please feel free to provide related marketing information on your products, however, **please note** this is a soft market assessment and is not part of any procurement process.

It is purely investigatory in nature, although it may be used to assist the Town Council in defining both how viable it is as a proposition and a potential preferred procurement route to advance this programme.

Providing a response will not preclude your participation in any future procurement exercise.

- We are not looking for the following:
- Solutions to any requirements.
- Formal presented proposals which could be constituted as an offer.
- Suppliers releasing or offering Intellectual Property Rights related information or documents.
- Evaluation of supplier competencies or capabilities.
- Short listing, selecting proposals or contracting on the back of this process.

Depending on levels of interest and market sector ability to meet the Council's needs the Council may either seek direct quotations to undertake the works or publish a formal tender arrangement via Contracts Finder – if not already registered please look to do so (see here for more info: <https://www.gov.uk/contracts-finder>)

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND INTEREST