

Funding Newsletter



Issue | 11

4 April 2022

Dear members,

Hope this funding newsletter finds all of you in good health.

In this issue, I wish to inform you on our new onboarding package which we have announced in the webinar organised for all members last Wednesday 30 March providing detailed information not only on the extended benefits from the Projects and Proposals Office (PPO) but also on how you can engage in working groups, which have been reshuffled very recently and also how you get involved in the promotional communications. A separate email with the package will be sent and we will also provide you the link for the recording for those who could not attend.

I take the occasion also to remind you that the second batch of the Digital Europe Programme (DEP) calls will close on 17 May. We are receiving many requests from many members for help in the development of the proposals. As we always say the proposals need to have a certain level of quality and certain requirements should be taken as norm. We kindly ask you not to leave up to the last couple of days before the deadline to send us the proposals for our feedback since we cannot give you the expected responses in just a short period of time and there will be no sufficient time to mend certain faults or amend certain use cases to broaden the focused segments mentioned in the proposals. We advise to send us your plan as early as possible so that we can see what is missing to upgrade to a certain level and then you adjust accordingly to have more chances of winning the tender.

On a last note, take a look on the events at the end of the newsletter which are going to be organised at a European level. These could be of interest to you.



Calls at EU level

Horizon Europe Framework Programme

1. EIC accelerator challenge: technologies for open strategic autonomy

TOPIC ID: HORIZON-EIC-2022-ACCELERATORCHALLENGES-01 – **Budget 1.167.846.081 EUR** – Deadline 15 June 2022/05 October 2022

Scope:

This EIC Accelerator Challenge identifies the following set of key strategic areas and corresponding specific objectives for which highly innovative start-ups and SMEs are invited to propose new technologies, pioneering solutions and breakthrough innovations:

- **Components, technologies and systems for the pharmaceutical industry** to ensure security of supply including through synthetic biology and novel manufacturing technologies;
- **Strategic healthcare technologies** building on Europe's research strengths in cell and gene therapies, including ribonucleic acid (RNA) based therapies to ensure EU leadership;
- **Sustainable and innovative approaches, including circular approaches to critical raw materials (CRM)** for new sources of supply/extraction, processing, use, recovery or replacement aimed at improving efficiency use, so reducing EU dependency on external providers, and to build EU capacity at all stages of the raw materials value chains;
- **New applications of quantum technologies** on the ground and in space building on Europe's research strengths including the Quantum Flagship to put EU at the forefront of the second quantum revolution and leader in the deployment of such technologies as well as to support the EU Secure Connectivity initiative;
- **Edge computing applications** including new business models to foster EU leading role in their development;
- **Innovative applications making use of data and signals from EU space infrastructures** (Galileo, Copernicus, etc.) to ensure more prominent exploitation of newly available functionalities creating opportunities for breakthrough innovations across multiple downstream sectors;
- **Development of space technologies**, including those needing in-orbit demonstration (IOD)/in-orbit validation (IOV) services, for space transportation, telecommunications, satellite navigation, earth and ocean observation, space surveillance and tracking as well as on-orbit services, in support of EU competitiveness and non-dependence;



- **Critical security technologies** for secure communication, data security and protection of borders (while respecting fundamental human rights and freedoms such as the rights to privacy and data protection) to ensure safeguarding of EU and citizens' interests;
- **Technologies for innovative financial and payment infrastructures and services** supporting the development of pan-European payment solutions, as enabler for the digitalisation of Europe's economy.

For further information, please see the EIC Work Programme 2022.

2. Network management planning and control and Mobility Management in a multimodal environment and Digital Enablers

TOPIC ID: HORIZON-ER-JU-2022-FA1-TT-01 – **Budget 38 million EUR** – Deadline 23 June 2022

Expected outcome:

DESTINATION 1 – Network management planning and control & Mobility Management in a multimodal environment and Digital Enablers

The objective is to research, develop and deliver the functional requirements, associated specifications, and operational and technological solutions to enable a common future European Traffic Management layer. This shall include the requirements to achieve uniform train operations; ticketing services may also be considered part of such endeavour. This will enable the design of future network and capacity management, planning, and control.

In order to accelerate the European approach, research and innovation in the Flagship Project stemming from this topic shall also consider early implementation of common functions and approaches starting from existing national TMS. A dynamic network and traffic management at European scale, built upon a harmonised functional system architecture to ensure agile, borderless and mixed-traffic operations, is the target solution that the various legacy TMS should migrate towards.

This extends the capacity planning at European level and enables the automatic management of cross-border rail traffic. Improved service offers, operations and capacity utilization are reducing the inefficiencies of the door-to door services and enhancing the competitiveness of rail-based mobility chains.

Funding Newsletter



When the railway system becomes fully digital and connected, the availability of real-time and historical data from across the whole system will unlock a whole range of new possibilities. However, a fully digital connected rail system will be characterized by a complex landscape comprising multiple heterogeneous systems and interactions.

For this reason, *Destination 1* has also the objective to ensure the implementation of a railway Digital enabler and twin environment, where all digital elements of the system can play together in a coherent and interoperable way.

The selected proposal for funding under this Destination will be a Flagship Project of Europe's Rail with significant expected impacts, which require an integrated sector systemic approach. Proposals should therefore set out a credible pathway (including an exploitation plan) to contributing to all of the following expected impacts as described in the Master Plan.

3. Intelligent and integrated asset management

TOPIC ID: HORIZON-ER-JU-2022-FA3- 01 – **Budget 46.3 million EUR** – Deadline 23 June 2022

Expected Outcome:

The financial and, to a certain extent, environmental costs associated with designing, building, constructing, operating, maintaining, and decommissioning rail drive also its capacity to compete and offer attractive services for the clients, passengers and supply chain. Therefore, rail asset management is a key area for research and innovation.

In the vision of the future rail asset management, assets status evolution information will be integrated with TMS (Traffic Management System) to improve services, reducing unavailability by limiting the impact of in-service failures and/or providing alternative solutions without cost impacts, and increasing safety. Moreover, the available information combined with AI (Artificial Intelligence) and digital twins will introduce intelligence to the management and optimize the overall life cycle and operation of the rail system.



VEDLIoT Open Call

VERY EFFICIENT DEEP LEARNING IN IOT – TEACHING THE IOT TO LEARN

The Next-generation AIoT applications. The VEDLIoT-Open call for cascaded funding is foreseen to explore new opportunities by extending the application of the VEDLIoT platform to a more extensive set of new and relevant use cases. It is expected that open call projects leverage VEDLIoT technologies for their own AI-related IoT use case, thereby broaden the VEDLIoT use-case basis and help making the overall concept more robust.

Objectives

As the Internet of Things (IoT) continues to take shape, promising widespread automation and data exchange, one of the biggest challenges is to act on the data generated. The amount of data collected is huge, the computational power required for processing is high, and the algorithms are complex.

The EU-funded VEDLIoT project develops an IoT platform that uses deep learning algorithms distributed throughout the IoT continuum. The proposed new platform with innovative IoT architecture is expected to bring significant benefits to a large number of applications, including industrial robots, self-driving cars, and smart homes. The project offers an Open Call at project midterm, incorporating additional VEDLIoT-related industrial use-cases in the project, increasing the market readiness of the VEDLIoT solutions.

VEDLIOT open call in a nutshell

The VEDLIoT- open call for cascaded funding is foreseen to explore new opportunities by extending the application of the VEDLIoT platform to a more extensive set of new and relevant use cases. It is expected that open call projects leverage VEDLIoT technologies for their own AI-related IoT use case, thereby broaden the VEDLIoT use-case basis and help making the overall concept more robust.

Call title: Next-generation AIoT applications

Deadline: 08/05/2022 at 23:59h CET

Indicative budget for the call: 840.000 €

Expected duration of participation: 9 to 12 months

Indicative budget for each proposal: up to 120,000 € (including 25% indirect costs, at a

Funding Newsletter



funding/reimbursement rate of 70%)

Language in which proposal must be submitted: English

Applications must use the provided “Proposal template” and be submitted in one pdf file via e-mail to vedliot-open-submission@vedliot.eu. Incomplete proposals will not be evaluated.

More details on the Open Call context and procedures are available in the “Guide for Applicants” document.

For submissions: vedliot-open-submission@vedliot.eu

For support: vedliot-open-support@vedliot.eu

Targeted grant signature – first week of July 2022

Projects start – beginning of August 2022

Projects end – end of June 2023

Combined open call report – end of July 2023

Save the date: VEDLIoT Open – Webinar – 25.03.2022, at 3.30pm (CET).

The webinar will include a project overview and the opportunity to ask questions.



Calls at the national level (international bidding)

Austria

AdI2022 - analytics services 2022

Temporary and case-by-case support in the areas of Power BI, SAP BW, SAP BO, Web Focus and Data Science is required for the ongoing support and further development of ASFINAG's analytical systems. This is done by commissioning adjustments to existing services or the creation of new services, as well as repairing these services in the event of errors. All activities are always carried out in close coordination with the Analytics Data Science & GIS team.

Organisation: AUTOBAHNEN- UND SCHNELLSTRASSEN-FINANZIERUNGS-AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

Address: Schnirchgasse 17 1030 Vienna Email: Nikolaus.Kasper@asfinag.at

Telephone: +436646010812657 Deadline: 19 April 2022

Belgium

1. Contract for the provision, hosting and outsourcing of RESA IT infrastructure – Budget: 8.500.000 EUR

This contract consists of:

-the provision of private or public cloud solutions and outsourcing with a view to:

- a) hosting servers (virtual or physical), containers;
- b) supply of storage solutions (virtual or not) for data;
- c) supply of back-up and archiving solutions.

- support mission in "managed services" mode for middleware applications (databases, web middleware, SharePoint, etc.);

- provision, management, and operation private data centres to host resas business solutions.

Funding Newsletter



Organisation: RESA INNOVATION ET TECHNOLOGIE SA EN SON NOM ET POUR COMPTE DE RESA SA INTERCOMMUNALE

Address: Rue Sainte-Marie, 11 4000 Liège

Email: sylvianne.provoost@resa.be Telephone: +32 42201315 Deadline: 11 April 2022

2. Call for tenders for ALAQS technical support for upgrade

EUROCONTROL is an intergovernmental organisation with 41 Member and 2 Comprehensive Agreement States. They are committed to building, together with their partners, a Single European Sky that will deliver the air traffic management (ATM) performance required for the twenty-first century and beyond.

Technical subject matter: Open-ALAQS (Airport Local Air Quality Studies) is EUROCONTROL's airport air quality tool that simplifies the process of defining the various airport elements (runways, taxiways, buildings, etc.) and allows the spatial distribution of emissions to be visualised. Open-ALAQS is based on an open-source GIS (QGIS) and an open-source database (SQLite) and is completely built around an open architecture which will make it easily adaptable to other GIS and databases.

Organisation: EUROCONTROL

Address: Rue de la Fusee 96,1130 Brussels, Belgium

Email: emanuele.giampietri@eurocontrol.int Deadline: 27 April 2022

France

1. Market for updating the ME and GE cartographic databases on the territory of the Normandy Regional Office – Budget: 3.250.000 EUR

The contract concerns the carrying out of cartographic updating work for the off-site and on-site electrical databases of ENEDIS on the territory of the Normandy regional directorate for the medium scale (GIS database, overhead and underground networks, HTA and BT) and the large scale (database atlas, underground networks only HTA and BT) it is about operations of creation, modification, integration of cartographic data in computerised form in the database.

Funding Newsletter



Organisation: ENEDIS

Address: Tour Enedis 34 Place des Corolles COURBEVOIE

Email: patrick.graizeau@enedis.fr Telephone: +33 251785166 Deadline: 25 April 2022

2. Development and maintenance of computer applications

The services, subject of this contract, concern mainly the evolutionary, preventive, and corrective maintenance of all the IS managed by SPE/PPB. This IS is made up of various business applications (works, budget management, winter maintenance, real estate), databases and batches. Operation and assistance tasks involve to a lesser extent, the development of new tools responding to similar architectures. The work is carried out on the contractor's premises with the exception of the work units of deployment of an application version that requires intervention on the premises of the DIR Centre.

Organisation: DIR CENTRE-EST

Address: 228 Rue Garibaldi 69446 Lyon Cedex 03

Email: guillaume.pauget@developpement-durable.gouv.fr

Telephone: +33-469166249 Deadline: 19 April 2022

3. Deploying a callbot chatbot solution based on artificial intelligence

Organisation : CTRE NAL OEUVRES UNIVERSITAIRES SCOLAI

Address: 60 Bd Du Lycée 92171 Vanves

Tel: +33-171229841 Email: marchespublics@cnous.fr Deadline 25 April 2022



4. Tender for the support of the technical implementation of a datahub and a warehouse for the Dreal Grand Est – Budget: 150.000 EUR

The service consists of supporting the DREAL in the construction of the datahub: choice of hosting, technical management of servers, installation of tools, organization of databases, implementation of automatic collection scripts, data catalogue (metadata), distribution via APIs, etc. The service provider will also bring its expertise to the warehouse under construction. The service provider must issue an opinion before any start of the development of a component or the realization of service of the feasibility of the latter and estimate a duration. Each stage will be carried out by the DREAL project team with the support of the service provider, which may take the form of advice, tutoring, support for the appropriation of knowledge, assistance with design, configuration, configuration, etc. The challenge for the DREAL is to master most facets. The rise in skills will take place with the service provider by the daily confrontation of the implementation.

Organisation: DREAL GRAND-EST

Address: 2 rue Augustin Fresnel - CS 95038

Email: dreal-grand-est@developpement-durable.gouv.fr Deadline: 19 April 2022

5. Digitalisation of the thermal engineering process

The objectives of this activity are to:

- identify the driving space thermal engineering processes that will benefit from digitalisation with the aim to build a data model of the thermal subsystem;
- prototype a data model of a space thermal subsystem from the identified processes using a three tiered hierarchy of conceptual, logical, and physical data models;
- demonstrate the use of the data model in two distinct application cases to enable the digitalisation of specific processes.

Organisation: EUROPEAN SPACE AGENCY (ESA)

Address: ESA Head Office, 8-10 Rue Mario Nikis, 75738 Paris Cedex 15

Email: cohhelp@esa.int Telephone: +33-06-94180777 Deadline: 5 May 2022

Funding Newsletter



6. Integration services for the finance and purchasing information system of the AFPA - Budget: 5.2 million EUR

The purpose of this consultation is to choose a HOLDER capable of providing the Integration services of the Finance and Purchasing Information System Oracle ERP Cloud of the AfpA.

Organisation: AFPA

Address: 3 rue Franklin, 93100 Montreuil

Email: julie.gaujard@afpa.fr Telephone: +33 750668410 Deadline: 12 May 2022

7. Smart territory - warehouse - Digital Data Twin (application Phase)

As part of its ambition to position themselves as intelligent territory, country of Montbéliard agglomeration wishes to bring new services and digital uses for the well-living well of all a coherent and contributory unified territory of 72 communes and 142 000 inhabitants. this consultation is the implementation of a numerical twin infrastructure of sovereign and secure digital data for a federation of digital actors and artificial intelligence.

Organisation: PAYS DE MONTBÉLIARD AGGLOMÉRATION

Address: 8 Avenue Des Alliés 25208 Montbéliard Cedex

Email: correspondre@aws-france.com Telephone: +33-381318888 Deadline: 25 April 2022

Italy

Open tender for the conclusion of an AQ concerning the assignment of application services from a cloud perspective and demand and PMO Services for Central Public Administrations

The procedure is aimed at concluding a Framework Agreement for Lot 1, pursuant to art. 54, paragraph 4, lett. a), of Legislative Decree no. 50/2016, concerning application services for the public. Central Administrations and a Framework Agreement for Lot 2, pursuant to art. 54, paragraph 4, lett. a), of Legislative Decree no. 50/2016, concerning demand and PMO services for Central Public Administrations. More info at: <https://www.consip.it>

Funding Newsletter



Organisation: CONSIP S.P.A. A SOCIO UNICO

Address: Via Isonzo, 19 00198 Rome Email: utg@consip.it Deadline: 7 May 2022

Germany

1. Procurement of a central computer infrastructure

Creation and consolidation of a central computer infrastructure for teaching in the field of artificial intelligence at the South Westphalia University of Applied Sciences. The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at:

<https://www.evergabe.nrw.de/VMPSatellite/public/company/project/CXTKYDYHCQ/de/documents>

Organisation: FACHHOCHSCHULE SÜDWESTFALEN - VERGABESTELLE

Address: Postal address Baarstraße 6 58636 Iserlohn

Deadline: 25 April 2022

2. Conception and development of a serious game - Budget: 335.100 EUR

As part of the LIONS project, UniBw M intends to set up a research platform for researching distributed ledger technology (DLT) as a digitalisation technology to increase resilience and digital sovereignty. The subject of the order is the conception and development of a serious game. Furthermore, the contractor must operate and supervise the digital serious game for a period of four years. UniBw M reserves the right to exclude individual offers that exceed this budget from the procedure, and to cancel the procedure if only offers above the budget are received. The customer is entitled to demand changes that go beyond the specification of the service description if such changes should result in particular from his technical requirements.

Organisation: UNIVERSITÄT DER BUNDESWEHR MÜNCHEN (UNIBW M)

Address: Werner-Heisenberg-Weg 39 85577 Neubiberg

Email: BeschaffungUniBwM@heuking.de Deadline: 25 April 2022



3. Delivery, installation and maintenance of digital indoor/outdoor guest information

With the REACT-EU program, the European Union has launched a development aid intended to cushion the economic and social consequences of the Covid19 pandemic in Europe. One of the funding priorities is the digital transformation. The funding should flow into the digitisation of tourism. The Tourismus & Congress GmbH Region Bonn/Rhein-Sieg/Ahrweiler, in its function as Destinations Management Organisation of the Destination Region Bonn, would like to expand the digital guest information in the Bonn region via the REACT-EU program and create new touchpoints using indoor and outdoor information steles create for guest information. The aim is to make relevant, high-quality information from regional and national tourist databases available to guests at selected locations in the Bonn region via interactive information pillars.

Organisation: TOURISMUS & CONGRESS GMBH

Address: DEA22 Bonn, Kreisfreie Stadt

Email: vergabe@loesungensuchen.org Deadline: 25 April 2022

Netherlands

1. Servers and storage services

The tender includes the management of (virtual) servers, storage and data centre switching. In addition, it is envisaged that the service provider, together with the contracting authority, can further design, manage and develop the hybrid cloud environment on the basis of architecture principles.

Organisation: AERES

Address: Bovenbuurtweg 27 6717 XA Ede Gld

Email: joost.vdbekerom@hetnic.nl

Telephone: +31 630726143 Deadline: 20 April 2022



2. Onep6 - Primavera cloud migration – Budget: 11.000.000 EUR

The scope is an Oracle Primavera P6 EPPM (hereinafter P6) as Software-as-a-Service (hereinafter SaaS), consisting of software licenses and associated hosting and application services and associated professional services related to data migration and interfacing and training.

The vendor should provide the following services as part of the P6 cloud or SaaS offering:

- required 100 P6 Cloud / SaaS software licenses (reuse of current licenses in case of 3rd-party SaaS hosting) for the first year;
- network and infrastructure services;
- access to P6;
- service Level Agreements (SLA);
- application management service (AMS), incl. software maintenance and operation for Primavera P6 EPPM landscape and related connectors;
- application management services (AMS) for existing Oracle Primavera Gateway (on-premises);
- primavera functional consulting as a scalable service to support TenneT in the operation phase;
- professional services within the implementation and operation phase, including support for the business, support for data migration, advice for data import, support for interface integration, training services.

Organisation: TENNET TSO B.V.

Address: Utrechtseweg 310 6812 AR Arnhem

Email: remco.gulickx@tennet.eu Deadline: 20 April 2022

Portugal

1. Purchase of commerce digitalisation equipment – Budget: 744.600 EUR

Acquisition and installation of equipment for training in the area of digitalisation of commerce and production of services, for several Local Organic Units (UOL) of the Instituto do Emprego e Formação Profissional, IP (IEFP, IP).

Funding Newsletter



Organisation: INSTITUTO DO EMPREGO E DA FORMAÇÃO PROFISSIONAL, I. P.

Address: Rua de Xabregas, 52 Lisbon 1949-003

Email: pg-af@iefp.pt Deadline: 20 April 2022

2. International public tender for the acquisition services installation and maintenance cloud technological infrastructure support for the Oracle Information System –

Budget: 592.500 EUR

Acquisition of installation, maintenance and support services for a technological infrastructure in "Cloud" to support LIPOR's Oracle application information system.

Organisation: LIPOR - SERVIÇO INTERMUNICIPALIZADO DE GESTO DE RESÍDUOS DO GRANDE PORTO

Address: Rua da Morena, 805 4435-996 Baguim do Monte

Email: concursopublico@lipor.pt Deadline: 20 April 2022

Spain

1. Informational solution development service for the R.s3 Project, within the Framework of the Recovery, Transformation and Resilience Plan – financed by the European Union – NextGenerationEU – Budget: 862.400 EUR

Develop and implement an informational solution that collects and defines the necessary processes for the homogenisation of the data sent by the intelligent video analytics services of different stations. The ingestion, transformation, integration and processing of information from the different servers of the manufacturers of devices, cameras, installed in the stations, and the elaboration of a dashboard for the visualisation of the defined indicators (KPI's) must

Funding Newsletter



be carried out. It will be an infrastructure in the Azure cloud, a reference platform in RENFE. Data from other systems, such as those from the Incident Management platform (GI2) of the RENFE Security, self-protection and Risk Prevention Directorate, should also be considered as information sources.

Organisation: RENFE VIAJEROS S.M.E., S.A. - DIRECCIÓN DE COMPRAS

Address: Avda. de la Ciudad de Barcelona, 6 28007 Madrid

Email: na.fernandezreyes.goni@renfe.es Deadline: 18 April 2022

2. Design of the evolution of the cloud strategy – Budget: 40.000 EUR

More information is available at: <https://share.aena.es/index.php/s/LnBw3DR8MvFssy3>

Organisation: AENA, S.M.E., S.A.

Address: C/ PEONÍAS, 12 Registro General 28042 Madrid

Email: rogramacion_expedientes@aena.es Telephone: +34 913212710

Deadline: 18 April 2022

3. Microsoft 365 and adobe acrobat pro dc and creative cloud leasing – Budget: EUR 870.636,00

The purpose of this agreement is the "leasing of licenses for two software products: Microsoft 365 and adobe acrobat pro dc and creative cloud" widely used at the autonomous university of Madrid.

Organisation: UNIVERSIDAD AUTÓNOMA DE MADRID

Address: C C/ Einstein, 3, Edificio Rectorado 28049 Madrid

Email: servicio.contratacion@uam.es Deadline: 18 April 2022



4. Provision of E-library services

Request for proposal: Provision of E-library services for the world tourism organisation. Hosting services (cloud server, secure and scalable infrastructure, real time updates, unlimited access to website and administration module, storage capacity, two to three automatic updates per year of around 1,700 files of the tourism statistics.

All information is available at: <https://www.unwto.org/node/12837>

Organisation: THE WORLD TOURISM ORGANIZATION (UNWTO)

Address: Calle Poeta Joan Maragall, 42 28020 Madrid, Spain

Email: jsuarez@unwto.org Telephone: +34 91 567 81 00 Deadline: 26 April 2022

Sweden

1. Procurement for a consultant to introduce and further develop the group-wide web platform site vision Cloud CMS – Budget: 7.000.000 SEK

More information can be acquired from the site:

<https://www.e-avrop.com/karstadkommun/e-Upphandling/NoticeLink.aspx?id=65959>

Organisation: KARLSTADS KOMMUN

Address: Västra Torggatan 26 651 84 Karlstad

Email: carina.levin@karlstad.se Deadline: 20 April 2022

2. School administrative system

Härryda municipality invites tenders for the procurement of the school administrative system, in the form of a service contract that includes a cloud service and associated services such as delivery, implementation, training, right of use, adaptation / development, consulting services, support and maintenance. Since 2011, the municipality has had administrative IT support for childcare and school activities.

Organisation: HÄRRYDA KOMMUN

Email: dan.gustavsson@ecenea.se Deadline: 22 April 2022

Funding Newsletter



3. Licenses and azure cloud services

The procurement includes brokerage of licenses / subscriptions for software and brokerage of cloud services.

Organisation: BOSTADS AB MIMER

Address: Box 1170 SE-721 29 Västerås

Email: sandra.svensson@mimer.nu Deadline: 25 April 2022

4. Finance and economy database platform

Stockholm Business School at Stockholm University intends to procure database solutions for economic and financial data. The purpose of the procurement is to cater to the demand for financial databases from academic researchers as well as students, in particular those who are writing their theses.

Organisation: STOCKHOLMS UNIVERSITET

Address: SE-106 91 Stockholm

Email: vlad.radoi@su.se Deadline: 28 April 2022

United Kingdom

1. Procurement of a highways and transportation digital information management system

Leeds city council is seeking to procure a cloud-hosted highways and transportation digital information management system to:

- support asset management;
- manage the highway network considering customer needs, local priorities, asset condition; and
- make the best use of resources to deliver the most effective highway maintenance services.

The key requirements are that any proposed system must:

Funding Newsletter



- be cloud hosted;
- maintain a register of assets with comprehensive and flexible records retention, archiving and deletion functionality;
- facilitate the scheduling, coordination and cost management of inspections and maintenance works, as well as raising works orders;
- assist with forward planning and prioritisation;
- support the management of the highway network and coordination of road closures, planned works, permits, and licenses;
- have mapping functionality to plot the location of assets, plan routes and display other spatial data sets;
- utilise mobile technology to allow for data collection in the field;
- include a reporting tool comprising a comprehensive suite of reports as well as the ability to create user defined reports;
- interface with other Leeds city council systems as well as external systems such as DFT street manager and bim360;
- meet GDPR and PSN compliance requirements.

The following software and services, as a minimum, shall be provided under this contract:

- highways and transportation digital information management system (cloud hosted);
- any additional modules/functionality required to meet LCC requirements;
- implementation services;
- installation services;
- configuration services;
- integration services;
- migration services;
- on-going support and maintenance services;
- system development and customisation;

Funding Newsletter



- training;
- software/system upgrades.

Organisation: LEEDS CITY COUNCIL

Address: Civic Hall, 3rd Floor West, LS1 1UR, Leeds

Email: its.procurement@leeds.gov.uk Deadline: 3 June 202

2. G Cloud 13 (Lots 1, 2 & 3)

Crown commercial service as the contracting authority is putting in place a framework agreement for use by UK public sector bodies identified at vi.3 (and any future successors to these organisations), which include central government departments and their arm's length bodies and agencies, non-departmental public bodies, British Overseas Territories, and crown dependencies, NHS bodies, local authorities, and universities. The maximum initial duration of any call-off contract that may be placed by an eligible contracting authority is 36 months with one extension allowed, up to 12 months. G-cloud services, available via the digital platform, will require frequent procurement refreshes to bring on new suppliers and services. The framework agreement duration is for 12 months; however, the contracting authority reserves the right to extend the duration of this framework agreement for any period up to a maximum of twelve (12) months from the expiry of the initial term.

Organisation: CROWN COMMERCIAL SERVICE

Address: 9Th Floor, The Capital, Old Hall Street Liverpool L3 9PP

Email: supplier@crowncommercial.gov.uk Telephone: +443450103503

Deadline: 18 May 2022

Funding Newsletter



3. G Cloud 13 (Lot4)

Lot 4 is designed for customers to further compete their requirements for cloud support services to help them in the transition to cloud software or hosting services.

Suppliers must have capability to provide services in all of the following capabilities;

- planning - the provision of planning services to enable customers to move to cloud software and/or hosting services;
- set-up and migration - the provision of setup and migration services which involves the process of consolidating and transferring a collection of workloads (workloads can include emails, files, calendars, document types, related metadata, instant messages, applications, user permissions, compound structure and linked components);
- security services - maintain the confidentiality, integrity and availability of services and information, and protect services against threats;
- quality assurance and performance testing - continuously ensure that a service does what it's supposed to do to meet user needs efficiently and reliably;
- training ongoing support - support user needs by providing help before, during and after service delivery.

Organisation: CROWN COMMERCIAL SERVICE

Address: 9Th Floor, The Capital, Old Hall Street Liverpool L3 9PP

Email: supplier@crowcommercial.gov.uk

Telephone: +443450103503 Deadline: 18 May 2022

4. Argyll and Bute Councils main website cloud hosting

As part of the development process for a procurement strategy for Argyll and Bute Councils Main Website Cloud Hosting, Argyll and Bute Council is seeking views and information from the marketplace in connection with the areas set out in this Request for Supplier Information (RFI).

Funding Newsletter



Organisation: ARGYLL AND BUTE COUNCIL

Address: Kilmory Lochgilphead PA31 8RT

Email: emma.graham@argyll-bute.gov.uk Telephone: +44 1586555205

Deadline: 16 July 2022

5. Library management software system

The Council is tendering to contract for a cloud/supplier hosted library management software (LMS) system. The contract will include within its scope the implementation, project management, data migration, training, ongoing hosting, subscription/licensing, ongoing support & maintenance and any relative development and/or upgrades required during the contract term.

Organisation: Coventry City Council

Address: Council House, Earl Street COVENTRY CV15RR

Email: michael.duffy@coventry.gov.uk

Deadline: 25 April 2022

6. Online engagement services

The authority has a requirement for a system innovator/integrator (SII) to deliver a cloud based online influence and engagement service, following an agile approach. The proposed capability is to be split into two core services:

- a persona management capability to create and maintain live personas for use with online services such as social media, websites, forums, blogs etc.;
- IT infrastructure and application services, utilising managed attribution. This includes but is not limited to social media, online surveys and other methods.

Organisation: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE

Address: Abbey Wood Bristol

Email: stacey.cooper242@mod.gov.uk Deadline: 25 April 2022



7. CRM/ CMS cloud solution

Currently, YSS uses a mixture of MS Access databases, Excel, and Word documents to manage the delivery of multiple services to some of society's most vulnerable individuals.

YSS will require a solution that delivers the following:

- dashboards and reporting;
- accounts/contacts;
- case management;
- website Integration - form capture;
- participant recruitment and lifecycle;
- programme/project delivery;
- SharePoint integration;
- training on the solution;
- support for a minimum of 12 months.

Organisation: Blackpole Trading Estate

Address: West Worcester WR3 8TJ UK

Email: anna.wykurz@yss.org.uk Telephone: +441905730780 Deadline: 19 April 2022

8. Provision and implementation of an IT Cloud Transition and on-going support services

The IT Cloud Transition and on-going support services aims to ensure that the IT technology within Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council is aligned with the strategic direction of the Council and its services, meeting customer needs, driving innovation and adopting a joined-up approach for data and technology.

Organization: LISBURN AND CASTLEREAGH CITY COUNCIL

Address: Island Civic Centre Lagan Valley Island The Island BT27 4RL Lisburn

Email: andrew.hegan@lisburncastlereagh.gov.uk

Telephone: +441905730780 Deadline: 6 May 2022

Funding Newsletter



9. Software solution for education management information services

The goods and services that are the subject matter of the procurement shall be divided into six lots, with one lot for each of the contracting authorities. It is intended that each of the contracting authorities will enter into separate agreements on identical, or near identical terms, for the provision, maintenance, and support of the software solution with the successful supplier.

Organisation: WREXHAM COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

Address: Commissioning Procurement and Contract Management Unit, Lampbit Street
Wrexham

Email: rachel.glynn@wrexham.gov.uk Telephone: +44-1978292792

Deadline: 29 April 2022

10. Procurement of data centre server hardware

At present the main infrastructure runs out of an on-premises data centre hosted at the Civic Centre and is virtualised in the majority. The data centre is moving from the Civic Centre to the Guildhall during 2022. New Server infrastructure will be installed into the new data centre with links to public cloud data centres, such as Microsoft Azure. The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at <https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

Organisation: CITY & COUNTY OF SWANSEA

Address: Civic Centre Swansea SA1 3SN

Email: procurement@swansea.gov.uk

Telephone: +44-1792637242 Deadline: 02 May 2022

11. Contract for occupational health management software

Gateshead Council wishes to procure a cloud hosted occupational health management software solution to transform the delivery of its occupational health services. The aim is to automate processes and go fully paper free to make the service more efficient, by speeding up the length of time it takes to complete all necessary administrative work for the administration team, clinicians, and management in a busy Occupational Health department.

Funding Newsletter



Organisation GATESHEAD COUNCIL

Address: Civic Centre Gateshead Tyne And Wear Ne8 1Hh

Email: paulmillar@gateshead.gov.uk

Telephone: : +44-07870984485 Deadline: 22 April 2022

Upcoming events:

1. EV charging – A case for the edge?

When: April 29, 2022 @ 9:30 am – 11:30 am

Where: online

Agenda:

9:30 – 9:45 Welcome

- Tanya Suárez, CEO BluSpecs, Board Member AIOTI, Founder IoT Tribe
- Dolores Odoñez, CEO Anysolution, Co-Chair AIOTI Energy

9:45 – 10:05 Application breakdown

Balancing the grid with EV charging – modelling consumers and demand

- Francesco Bellesini, EV use case lead – IoT NGIN Energy Living Lab, Emotion
- Dimitrios Skias, Responsible for the integration and laboratory evaluation activities, IoT NGIN

10:05 – 10:15 Coffee Break

10:15 – 11:10 Is the edge worth it?

Moderated debate on the value to be derived and the barriers to adopting a large-scale edge investment from cloud

- Michael Metzger, Principal Engineer, Smart Energy Systems, Siemens

Funding Newsletter



- Damian Bevan, Cloud Architecture Lead, Gemserv
- Tanya Suárez, CEO BluSpecs, EU-IoT
- Laurent Schmitt, President Digital4Grids
- 1xTBC

11:10 – 11:30 Closing comments

- Natalie Samovich, Co-founder Resilient Group, Chair AIOTI Energy
- 1xTBC

If you are interested in registering, you can contact us.

2. Business model for Digital Platforms: A co-design workshop for digital platforms in Energy, Manufacturing, Agrifood and Healthcare -18 May 2022

3. HIPEAC 2022 | DL4IoT: Workshop on Deep Learning for IoT - 20 – 22 June 2022

4. IoT Week 2022 - 20 – 23 June 2022

5. EU-IoT IDEAthlon/Hackathon 2021/22 - 27 – 29 June 2022

Anyone that needs further information on these important events can contact us.

Until next time,

Best regards,

Jeanette Fava | CFO