

Ireland: Festival organisation services

Limerick City and County Council (LCCC) - Event Management, Delivery, Planning, Design, Technical, Operations, Stakeholder Engagement and Sponsorship Services for 'Christmas in Limerick' (2026 – 2028)

Contract or concession notice – standard regime

1 Buyer

1.1 Buyer

Official name: Limerick City and County Council_103432

Legal type of the buyer: Local authority

Activity of the contracting authority: General public services

2 Procedure

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Procedure identifier: 82bb0d19-0d96-455b-b97f-0904347ce004

Type of procedure: Open

The procedure is accelerated: no

2.1.1 Purpose

Main nature of the contract: Services

Main classification (cpv): 79953000 Festival organisation services

Additional classification (cpv): 79952000 Event services

2.1.2 Place of performance

Country subdivision (NUTS): Mid-West (IE051)

Country: Ireland

2.1.3 Value

Estimated value excluding VAT: 1 109 756,1 Euro

2.1.4 General information

Legal basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

2.1.6 Grounds for exclusion

Sources of grounds for exclusion: Procurement Document

5.1 Lot: LOT-0001

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5.1.3 Estimated duration

Duration: 3 Year

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5.1.6 General information

Reserved participation: Participation is not reserved.

Procurement Project not financed with EU Funds.

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

5.1.7 Strategic procurement

Aim of strategic procurement: Reduction of environmental impacts

Description: Sustainability and Greening of Events/Experiences: o Ensure that the festival operates within all current applicable environmental guidelines and legislation governing major festivals and public realm events (e.g. Climate Action and Low Carbon Development Bill (2021) and European Climate Law - Regulation (EU) 2021/1119) o Consider and implement best practice in terms of sustainability and environmentally friendly methods of event/experience delivery as mutually agreed with LCCC. o Sustainable and environmentally friendly implementations and data on same must be included in the Post Event Report. o Refer to Limerick City and County Councils local-authority-climate-action-plan-2024-2029.pdf o Refer to Fáilte Ireland's Sustainable Festival Guidelines 2023 failte-ireland-sustainable-festivals-guidelines-2023.pdf

Approach to reducing environmental impacts: Other

Green Procurement Criteria: National Green Public Procurement criteria

5.1.9 Selection criteria

Sources of selection criteria: Procurement Document

5.1.11 Procurement documents

Languages in which the procurement documents are officially available: English

Languages in which the procurement documents (or their parts) are unofficially available: English

Deadline for requesting additional information: 11/06/2026 13:00 +01:00

Address of the procurement documents: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/listContractDocuments.do?resourceId=8267358>

5.1.12 Terms of procurement

Terms of submission:

Electronic submission: Required

Address for submission: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/viewTenders.do?resourceId=8267358>

Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted: English

Electronic catalogue: Not allowed

Tenderers may submit more than one tender: Not allowed

Deadline for receipt of tenders: 29/06/2026 13:00 +01:00

Duration during which the tender must remain valid: 180 Day

Information about public opening:

Opening date: 29/06/2026 13:30 +01:00

Place: <https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/cft/prepareViewCFTWS.do?resourceId=8267358>

Terms of contract:

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

Electronic invoicing: Required

Electronic ordering will be used: yes

Electronic payment will be used: yes

5.1.15 Techniques

Framework agreement:

No framework agreement

Information about the dynamic purchasing system:

No dynamic purchase system

5.1.16 Further information, mediation and review

Review organisation: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents: Limerick City and County Council_103432

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures: The High Court of Ireland

Organisation receiving requests to participate: Limerick City and County Council_103432

Organisation processing tenders: Limerick City and County Council_103432

8 Organisations

8.1 ORG-0001

Official name: Limerick City and County Council_103432

Registration number: 3267368TH

Postal address: Merchant's Quay,

Town: Limerick.

Postcode: V94 EH90

Country subdivision (NUTS): Mid-West (IE051)

Country: Ireland

Email: festivalsandevents@limerick.ie

Telephone: +353 61 556000

Internet address: <https://www.limerick.ie/>

Buyer profile: <https://www.limerick.ie/>

Roles of this organisation:

Buyer

Organisation providing offline access to the procurement documents

Organisation receiving requests to participate

Organisation processing tenders

8.1 ORG-0002

Official name: The High Court of Ireland

Registration number: The High Court of Ireland

Department: The High Court of Ireland

Postal address: Four Courts, Inns Quay, Dublin 7

Town: Dublin

Postcode: D07 WDX8

Country subdivision (NUTS): Dublin (IE061)

Country: Ireland

Email: HighCourtCentralOffice@courts.ie

Telephone: +353 1 8886000

Roles of this organisation:

Review organisation

Organisation providing more information on the review procedures

8.1 ORG-0003

Official name: European Dynamics S.A.

Registration number: 002024901000

Department: European Dynamics S.A.

Town: Athens

Postcode: 15125

Country subdivision (NUTS): Βόρειος Τομέας Αθηνών (EL301)

Country: Greece

Email: eproc-esender@eurodyn.com

Telephone: +30 2108094500

Roles of this organisation:

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Notice information

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