**Reference – 5776 -**  **Tennis Court Operator Concessionaire in Bexley’s Parks**

**Summary of Requirement –**

London Borough of Bexley are looking for an experienced operator to run the following opportunities within the Boroughs Parks and Open Spaces.

Tennis court Operator to operate, manage and maintain tennis courts at 7 sites.

1. Belvedere Recreation Ground South

2. Danson Park

3. Northumberland Heath Recreation Ground

4. Russell Park

5. Sidcup Place

6. Waring Park

7. West Heath Recreation Ground

There is currently no tennis operator at any of these sites and the opportunity coincides with the planned improvements due to be carried out to the courts early 2024.

The Operator must be able to demonstrate its ability to:

1. Increase and develop tennis participation in the borough and ensure that participation is possible for all residents who wish to play tennis.
2. Maintain the tennis courts to a good condition.
3. Provide an annual fee to the Council to go towards the maintenance of the courts.
4. Provide an annual rental fee for tennis hut in Danson Park and Sidcup Place
5. Provide a % turnover share-based income stream into the council.

We are also interested for operators to outline any other potential physical activity programmes or activities they could offer in areas adjacent to the tennis court sites located in our parks.

**Contract period**

The contract for the Tennis Operator will run from the 12th June 2024 to 11 June 2027, with the option to extend up to a further 2 years

## How to express an interest

If you wish to apply for this contract please follow the steps below:

Register your company free of charge on the London Tenders Portal (LTP)

Await acceptance. You will receive an email confirming your username and password for the LTP.

Use your username and password to log into the LTP and express your interest in the relevant contract number and category.

Shortly after you have expressed interest, you will receive a second email containing a link to access the procurement documents.

## Additional information

If you wish to apply for e-mail alerts of future opportunities, please register your company free of charge on LTP

Tick all categories you are interested in being notified about - you will only receive e-mail alerts for those categories which you select.

## TIMETABLE

* Tender queries closing date: 21st May 2024
* Anticipated reply date to queries: 23rd May 2024
* Return date of tender documents: 12noon Friday 31st May.
* Anticipated award date is: 5th June 2024
* The date of commencement of contract is: Wednesday 12th June 2024

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If you wish to discuss any of the above please contact: procurement@bexley.gov.uk