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Efficient, robust and legally compliant solutions,  
professionally procured using insight from  
end-users and market intelligence.

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## Collaboration is at the heart of everything that NEPO does

Our procurement solutions are the result of consultation with the public sector, suppliers and end users, so that we deliver positive outcomes for the communities we serve.

Our portfolio of over 70 solutions is available for use by any public sector body across the UK via our free associate membership scheme.

## We are the public sector

Our procurement solutions are designed by the public sector, for the public sector.

NEPO is a collaborative partnership of the twelve North East local authorities, we listen and consult with colleagues within procurement teams, and across service areas, to ensure that our portfolio of construction solutions meet their needs.

As a member of the National Association of Construction Frameworks and the LGA Construction Category Board, NEPO is committed to driving best practice and continuous improvement within the construction market.

NEPO's solutions are available for use by any public sector organisation including local authorities, NHS trusts, transport authorities, schools, colleges and universities.



“NEPO strive to provide our Members and Associates with a range of high-quality construction solutions that meet their needs. The ongoing delivery of effective solutions hinges on achieving an optimum balance across all stakeholders including NEPO, it's Member Authorities and Associate Members, suppliers, industry experts, networks, local communities among many others.

“We are lucky that within the North East we have established relationships with many stakeholders we want those to flourish over the coming years with all of us working together to deliver solutions that work for everyone.”

**Jane Turner,**  
Construction Lead at NEPO

# OUR CONSTRUCTION SOLUTIONS

## Aggregates, Concrete and Mortar

Our Aggregates, Concrete and Mortar solution provides UK public sector organisations with a compliant route to purchase aggregates, concrete, and mortar. The framework covers multiple geographical areas and provides a range of materials for both delivery and collection.

**Reference:** NEPO222

**End date:** 2 June 2025

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

## Asbestos Removal Works

This short-term, multi supplier solution complements the our Demolition and Associated Services Framework Agreement. Available to public sector organisations based in the North East, the lotting structure has been split sub-regionally in order to encourage participation from local suppliers and maximise efficiency.

**Reference:** NEPO234

**Current end date:** 2 October 2025

**Final end date:** 2 October 2026

**Area covered:** North East based public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

## Construction Works

Our Construction Works solution draws on expertise from public sector partners and contractors, offering UK public sector organisations with access to contractors providing a diverse range of construction works, individual projects, or programmes of work including but not limited to:

**The new build and/or extensions and/or improvements and/or renovations/refurbishment of:**

- Schools
- Libraries and leisure facilities
- Civic buildings
- Historic buildings
- Universities and Further / Higher Education establishments
- Health care buildings
- Housing
- Commercial buildings

**Reference:** NEPO207

**Current end date:** 31 May 2027

**Final end date:** 31 May 2029

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

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## Building Materials DPS

This dynamic purchasing system (DPS) provides UK public sector organisations with access to a wide range of suppliers across six categories:

- Managed store
- General materials
- Plumbing and heating
- Electrical
- Commercial plumbing, heating and laundry spares
- Modular build

**Reference:** NEPO219

**End date:** 2 February 2025

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

### Call off options:

- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Claire Darling-Cooper

Delivered in partnership with The Procurement Partnership Ltd.



## Civil Engineering and Infrastructure Works

This solution provides UK public sector organisations with a compliant route to market for civil engineering and infrastructure projects. The works covered include, but are not limited to:

- Public realm works
- Highway construction works
- Highway structure works
- Drainage works
- Marine / coastal / river works

**Reference:** NEPO211

**End date:** 2 March 2025

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

### Call off options:

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Claire Darling-Cooper

## Demolition Works and Associated Services

This solution offers specialist demolition services, as well as asbestos surveying and analytical services to the UK public sector.

**Reference:** NEPO221

**End date:** 2 October 2026

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

### Call off options:

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

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## Highway Infrastructure Surveys DPS

This dynamic purchasing system (DPS) provides public sector organisations access to nine highway infrastructure survey categories, including:

- SCANNER Surveys
- Deflectograph and Dynamic Plate Testing
- SCRIM Surveys and Grip Tester
- Ground Penetrating Radar
- Inventory Surveys
- Visual Condition Surveys
- Data Processing
- Delivering the DfT Data Standard
- Materials Testing

**Reference:** NEPO209

**Current end date:** 31 March 2029

**Final end date:** 31 March 2031

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Claire Darling-Cooper

## Highways and Civil Materials

This solution provides UK public sector organisations with a compliant route to purchase a range of materials including kerbs and flags, bollards, poles, fencing and signs.

**Reference:** NEPO231

**End date:** 2 June 2026

**Area covered:** Nationally available to all UK public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

## Highways Surfacing

Our Highways Surfacing solution is used to implement our contracting authorities' annual planned structural maintenance programmes of work, where carriageways and footways are resurfaced or reconstructed. This solution covers the provision of a range of surfacing works including anti-skid surfacing, thin surfaces, and minor improvement schemes. Programmes of work may apply to the principal, non-principal and unclassified road networks in addition to work which may be away from the highway.

**Reference:** NEPO210

**End date:** 14 June 2025

**Area covered:** North East based public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Claire Darling-Cooper

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## Retrofit and Decarbonisation

Our Retrofit and Decarbonisation solution provides North East public sector organisations with a compliant route to market to appoint suppliers to undertake retrofit and decarbonisation works. The solution allows the appointment of a delivery partner to deliver retrofit programs using available funding or appointment of a supplier for the installation and delivery of low carbon retrofit.

**Reference:** NEPO233

**Current end date:** 30 June 2025

**Final end date:** 30 June 2027

**Area covered:** North East based public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Claire Darling-Cooper

## Traffic Management Services

This solution provides North East public sector organisations with access to Traffic Management Services. The solution covers traffic management, planned road closures, and traffic management events.

**Reference:** NEPO225

**End date:** 16 July 2027

**Area covered:** North East based public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

**NEPO contact:** Jane Turner

## Support Services for the Development of the Built Environment

This solution provides a compliant route to market for North East public sector organisations to appoint consultants for building construction, transportation, civil engineering projects and related specialist disciplines.

**Reference:** NEPO212

**Current end date:** 18 December 2026

**Final end date:** 18 December 2028

**Area covered:** North East based public sector organisations

**Call off options:**

- Direct Award (flexible)
- Direct Award (ranked)
- Further Competition

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# GET IN TOUCH

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