**Important Notice to all suppliers of goods, works and services to Tipperary County Council**

**eTenders is changing**

eTenders, the Irish Government’s national tendering service, moved to a new platform on 15 May 2023, and new competitions are being published on this platform from 22 May.

As a user of the eTenders system, Tipperary County Council is requesting all suppliers who are currently registered on the old system to activate their account on the new eTenders platform, in order to continue to receive system alerts and participate in new tenders.

**Suppliers can access the new platform via the** [**www.etenders.gov.ie**](http://www.etenders.gov.ie/) **website. Suppliers who were already registered on the old platform will have had some of their details transferred to the new platform but will need to activate their registration at the first logon by re-inputting and adding in some additional data.**

If you have **not** already activated your account on the new platform, then go to [**www.etenders.gov.ie**](http://www.etenders.gov.ie/)**, click on Log in on the top right-hand corner and click on the ‘Forgot your password?’ link. Then put in your Old Username and click RETRIEVE. Then follow instructions.**

Start-up guides are available for suppliers by accessing the following link [https://www.gov.ie/en/publication/9a109-etenders-is-changing-updates-for-businesses/](https://scanner.topsec.com/?d=1342&r=show&u=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.gov.ie%2Fen%2Fpublication%2F9a109-etenders-is-changing-updates-for-businesses%2F&t=90f87683bb7c673288bfbba5fb550fef6314ab60)

Once you have updated your details, you will be able to fully access the new platform. Given that this is a new system, the user experience will be different, and we suggest that you allow time to become familiar with the new site.

Bid Services has given permission to circulate this You tube Link: [Etenders New Platform - YouTube](https://scanner.topsec.com/?d=1464&r=show&u=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.youtube.com%2Fwatch%3Fv%3DxGF9UUsDGZU&t=6fd2ceaa8dab37f625de0385083642f842dd560f) which gives a good introduction to the new platform.

The old eTenders platform will continue to be available for all users until May 2024 to enable **all competitions that commenced before 15th May** to be completed on the old platform.