

# Expression of Interest Advert for the Maintenance of Firefighting Equipment at Exxaro Belfast Coal.

EOI Reference Number: 315323

## Purpose

To identify suitable qualified and experienced service providers to perform maintenance of firefighting equipment at the Exxaro Belfast Coal Mine.

## Scope of Work

Exxaro invites suitably qualified and experienced service providers from Emakhazeni Local Municipality area to register their interest to participate in a Sourcing Event/RFQ, for the maintenance of firefighting equipment in various areas at the Belfast Mine.

### This scope of work involves:

- Monthly inspections of firefighting equipment.
- Quarterly pressure testing of fire hydrants.
- Yearly servicing of all equipment.

### The objectives include:

- Providing the mine with qualified personnel to carry out maintenance activities.
- Providing spares specifications for codification to ensure adequate spares availability.
- Conducting a thorough analysis of work areas to determine maintenance needs.
- Providing a pricelist for fast-moving spares.
- Developing and adhering to maintenance plans

### Monthly Inspections of Fire Extinguishers, Hoses, and Hydrants

- Perform physical inspections of all fire equipment.
- Raise notifications for follow-up events.
- Provide defect reports.
- Issue monthly inspection reports.
- Repair or replace defective equipment.

### Quarterly Inspections and Pressure Testing of Fire Hydrants

- Perform visual inspections of fire hydrants.
- Conduct pressure tests.
- Record findings.
- Raise notifications for follow-up events.
- Repair or replace defective equipment.

### Yearly Service of Fire Fighting Equipment

- Service fire extinguishers.
- Replace fire extinguisher nozzles and hoses.
- Replace pressure gauges if necessary.
- Refurbish painting and replace service stickers.
- Take mass readings of fire extinguishers.
- Provide inspection and service reports to the Infrastructure Foreman.



### **Repairs and/or Replacement of Defective Fire Fighting Equipment**

- Replacement and/or exchange of firefighting equipment with approval from the Infrastructure Foreman.
- Conduct all repairs in accordance with regulations for handling pressure vessel equipment.
- Perform tasks upon receipt of an official Exxaro purchase order.
- Carry out tasks based on planned or ad-hoc job cards.

### **Site and Areas to be Covered by this scope**

- All Exxaro vehicles.
- All Exxaro-owned buildings, including prefabricated buildings.
- Belfast Coal process plant.

### **Equipment Specifications**

The service provider is required to provide equipment and component specifications and quotations for codification and preparation of spares availability.

The following fire classifications require fire extinguishers at Belfast Coal:

- Class A: Fires caused by ordinary combustible materials like wood, paper, cloth, and plastics.
- Class B: Fires caused by flammable liquids or gases such as gasoline, oil, propane, alcohol, etc.
- Class C: Fires involving energised electrical equipment, including wiring, appliances, and electrical panels.
- Class D: Fires involving combustible metals like magnesium, sodium, and potassium.

A detailed scope of work will be provided with the Sourcing Event/RFQ.

### **Action Required from Respondents**

Note that your company needs to be a registered Prospective Supplier or a registered Supplier in order to participate in an RFQ. If your company is not a registered Supplier or Prospective Supplier, please proceed to register as a Prospective Supplier online at <https://www.exxaro.com/suppliers/> or [Prospective Supplier Registration](#). When prompted to capture the RFQ number, insert the EOI Reference Number listed above.

All interested parties are required to complete the online questionnaire using the following link:

[Expression of interest \(EOI\) for the Maintenance of Firefighting Equipment at Belfast Mine](#)

**ISSUED ON: 2025-06-30**

**DUE DATE and TIME: 2025-07-13 at 23h59**

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### **Registration as a Prospective Supplier:**

If you need any additional assistance, please contact our Vendor Services Helpdesk at tel: 087 283 9704 or email: [vendor.services@exxaro.com](mailto:vendor.services@exxaro.com)

