

Market consultation Non-Rewearable Textile

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1. Introduction

1.1 Purpose of the market consultation

The Municipality of Amstelveen, also acting on behalf of the municipalities of Aalsmeer, Amsterdam, Haarlem, Almere, Ouder-Amstel and Uithoorn, have been exploring the possibilities of regional cooperation concerning the collection, sorting, and processing of household textiles within the MRA (Metropolitan Region Amsterdam). This market consultation focuses specifically on **non-rewearable textiles**.

Non-rewearable textile is defined as: "All collected textiles that are not suitable for reuse."

With the municipalities, we aim to explore whether a joint procurement procedure could enhance the realization of fibre-to-fibre recycling (textile fibres from discarded clothing used in the production of new garments).

1.2 Intended outcome: What are the opportunities for fibre-to-fibre?

1. Clarify whether and under what conditions (in terms of supply, production, distribution, and costs) more fibre-to-fibre recycling is feasible.
2. The consultation should also provide insight into scale: municipalities want to assess whether and how a joint procurement procedure should be structured.

2. Market consultation

Chapter 3 contains the questions the Municipality of Amstelveen wishes to pose to the market. Below is the explanation of the market consultation procedure.

2.1 Market consultation procedure

This market consultation document has been published on TenderNed to reach a sufficient number of parties and gather adequate market information. You may ask questions about this document and procedure via the TenderNed messaging module. Anonymous questions and answers will be published in an Information Note on TenderNed. Answers to the consultation questions must be submitted in writing via TenderNed by the deadline stated in the planning.

2.1.1 Consultation meetings

municipality reserves the right to invite any or all participating parties for a follow-up consultation meeting based on the submitted information. This is at the sole discretion of the municipality. Invited parties will be notified in time. The planning includes the tentative date for such meetings, and the exact time will be communicated later. These meetings are solely for elaboration on the submitted answers and not for company presentations.

2.1.2 Consultation report

All received information will be used to specify the proposed tender in general terms, summarized and anonymized, without business-sensitive details. The report will be shared with participants. The municipality reserves the right to attach the anonymized report as an annex to a future contract notice.



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2.2 Contact details

Your contact for this market consultation is Ruud Scheerder.

2.3 Planning

Action	Date
Publication of market consultation document	Monday, 28 April 2025
Deadline for submitting questions	Wednesday, 07 May 2025 before 12:00 PM
Publication of answers to questions	Wednesday, 21 May 2025
Deadline for submitting responses to consultation questions	Wednesday, 28 May 2025 before 1:00 PM
In-depth meetings	Week of 09 to 13 June 2025
Publication of market consultation report	Wednesday, 18 June 2025

2.4 Terms and conditions

The following terms and conditions apply to this market consultation:

1. The market consultation is not part of a procurement procedure;
2. Participation in the market consultation is non-binding and no rights can be derived from it;
3. Participating market parties agree that the information they provide may be used in future procurement documents that may be developed;
4. No rights may be derived from the information provided during this market consultation. This information may differ from information provided at a later stage (e.g., during a potential procurement procedure);
5. The municipality is free to use the information obtained through the market consultation unless it has been explicitly stated that the information may not be shared (even in anonymized form);
6. Claims regarding the use of information, confidentiality, or requests for compensation will not be honored;



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7. Any costs incurred by participants in responding to this questionnaire will not be reimbursed by the municipality;
8. The municipality is in no way bound by the outcomes of the market consultation nor obligated to initiate or execute any procurement process;
9. By participating in this market consultation, parties declare their unconditional acceptance of the terms and conditions set out in this document.



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3. Market consultation questionnaire

This chapter contains the questionnaire for this market consultation. You can download it as an editable Word document from the procurement platform.

General information	
Company name	
Contact person	
Position contact person	
Email	
Phone number	

Opportunities for Fibre-to-Fibre Recycling		
1	What definitions and criteria does your organisation currently use for 'non-rewearable' textiles?	
2	What does your organisation currently do with non-rewearable textiles? What is the current situation?	
3	Do you have plans to expand your fibre-to-fibre recycling capacity?	
4	What quality of non-rewearable textile is required for enhanced fibre-to-fibre recycling? Do you have a standard for this?	
5	How should non-rewearable textiles be delivered (e.g., baled, loose)?	
6	What is the ideal quantity of non-rewearable textile your organisation would like to receive?	
7	What obstacles do you experience in your production process regarding fibre-to-fibre recycling?	
8	How can you ensure the sale of fibres for fibre-to-fibre recycling?	
9	What price per tonne is needed to make fibre-to-fibre recycling viable? Can you provide justification?	
10	Where would the proposed technology be implemented? Are there possibilities within the Amsterdam Metropolitan Area?	
11	How can municipalities best include the commercialisation of non-rewearable textiles in a potential tender?	

Innovation		
12	What innovations do you believe are needed to stimulate the market for non-rewearable textiles, and what outcomes do they lead to?	



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13	What is the main opportunity for your organisation from a joint procurement by the MRA municipalities?	
14	If the MRA allows a five-year period for technological development, would that be sufficient for your organisation to take the next step in processing non-rewearable textiles?	
15	Which innovations and developments could you further enhance due to the scaling up that this market tender enables?	

Other considerations		
16	Are there any issues not covered in this questionnaire that you believe are essential for the municipalities to be aware of? If so, please share this information with us.	



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Annex 1: Textile data of participating MRA municipalities

Hoeveelheid apart ingezameld textiel (bron: CBS, bewerking IPR Normag)					
	2019	2020	2021**	2022**	2023**
Almere	1019	1059	923	980	223
Amstelveen	327	358	345	323	349
Amsterdam	3107	2880	2707	2560	2571
Haarlem	677	586	601	570	678
Ouder-Amstel	74	0	0	0	84
Uithoorn	103	0	112	102	91
Zaandstad	764	0	659	692	670
Zandvoort	100	98	91	89	81
Totaal	6171	4981	5439	5316	4748
ton/jaar					

Hoeveel textiel in het huishoudelijk restafval (bron CBS, bewerking IPR Normag)					
	2019	2020	2021**	2022**	2023**
Almere	1293	1675	1536	1411	1357
Amstelveen	540	623	589	575	559
Amsterdam	8003	8477	8361	8367	8172
Haarlem	1382	1478	1438	1316	1254
Ouder-Amstel	127			84	84
Uithoorn	258		282	239	230
Zaandstad	1306		1183	1125	1128
Zandvoort	160	167	156	145	139
Totaal	13068	12420	13545	13262	12923
ton/jaar					

Totaal textiel (volledige inzameling) MRA					
	2019	2020	2021**	2022**	2023**
Almere	2312	2734	2459	2391	1579
Amstelveen	867	980	934	898	908
Amsterdam	11110	11357	11068	10927	10742
Haarlem	2059	2065	2040	1886	1932
Ouder-Amstel	201	0	0	84	168
Uithoorn	361	0	393	342	321
Zaandstad	2069	0	1842	1816	1799
Zandvoort	260	264	247	234	220
Totaal	19239	17401	18984	18578	17670
ton/jaar					