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Awarded contract

Provision of Catering Services at Lagan Valley Island, Lisburn

Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of Catering Services at Lagan Valley Island, Lisburn

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 55520000 - Catering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Supply of Catering Services at Lagan Valley Island, Lisburn for a period of 9 months.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £180,000 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN0E - Lisburn and Castlereagh

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Award of a contract for the Provision of Catering Services at Lagan Valley Island, Lisburn for a period of 9 months.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Following the results of an Expression of Interest exercise, the council are required to revisit their business case in preparation for going out to tender for the required catering services. In order to maintain the catering services required at Lagan Valley Island, the council have agreed to retain the current catering provider to ensure continuity of service whilst preparing for a tender exercise. The incumbent supplier has the capacity to deliver the required service under the terms of the original quotation. The council are content that the rates still represent value for money in terms of the original procurement.

This direct award is permitted In line with Regulation 32 of the Public Contract Regulations 2015

32(2)(c) insofar as is strictly necessary where, for reasons of extreme urgency brought about by

events unforeseeable by the contracting authority, the time limits for the open or

restricted procedures or competitive procedures with negotiation cannot be complied

with.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

21 December 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Lowest offer: £1 / Highest offer: £180,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Lisburn and Castlereagh City Council

Lisburn

Country

United Kingdom