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# Provision of Digital Boost Webinars, Coaching sessions, Clinics and Advisory Services

Falkirk Council
Stirling Council
Clackmannanshire Council

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Falkirk Council

Municipal Buildings, West Bridge Street

**Falkirk** 

FK1 5RS

**Email** 

pcu@falkirk.gov.uk

**Telephone** 

+44 1324506566

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM76 - Falkirk

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.falkirk.gov.uk

Buyer's address

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# I.1) Name and addresses

Stirling Council

Strategic Commissioning, Old Viewforth

Stirling

FK8 2ET

#### **Email**

procurement@stirling.gov.uk

# **Telephone**

+44 1786233384

# Country

**United Kingdom** 

# **NUTS** code

UKM77 - Perth & Kinross and Stirling

# Internet address(es)

Main address

# http://www.stirling.gov.uk

Buyer's address

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# I.1) Name and addresses

Clackmannanshire Council

Kilncraigs, Greenside Street

Alloa

**FK10 1EB** 

#### **Email**

Procurement@clacks.gov.uk

## **Telephone**

+44 1259450000

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM72 - Clackmannanshire and Fife

## Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.clacks.gov.uk/business/corporateprocurementprocess/

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0026

# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

# I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

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https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

# 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 Digital Boost Webinars, Coaching sessions, Clinics and Advisory Services

Reference number

DEV/074/21

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79411100 - Business development consultancy services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Falkirk Council is seeking responses to this ITT for the provision of DigitalBoost Webinars, Coaching Sessions and clinics and Advisory Services for the local authority areas of Falkirk, Stirling and Clackmannanshire Councils.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79411100 - Business development consultancy services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

- UKM76 Falkirk
- UKM72 Clackmannanshire and Fife
- UKM77 Perth & Kinross and Stirling

#### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Falkirk Council is seeking responses to this ITT for the provision of DigitalBoost Webinars, Coaching Sessions and clinics and Advisory Services for the local authority areas of Falkirk, Stirling and Clackmannanshire Councils.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Criteria / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

24

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Expected for renewal in 2023

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### 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

#### II.2.14) Additional information

The Council intends to award a Framework Agreement for a period of 1 year and at the Council's sole option, extend for up to a further 12 month period.

Admission to the Framework Agreement will not guarantee some or any work and the Framework Agreement will be used at the Council's sole discretion.

The estimated value of 300,000 GBP is for 2 years

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

## III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

# III.2) Conditions related to the contract

#### III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

#### Section IV. Procedure

# **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

#### IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 2

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

#### IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2018/S 025-053842

# IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

12 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

## IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

# IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Duration in months: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

12 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 2023

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

# VI.3) Additional information

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 17762. For more information see:

http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343

A sub-contract clause has been included in this contract. For more information see: <a href="http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363">http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363</a>

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see: <a href="http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2361">http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2361</a>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

Where spend exceeds 75,000 GBP, provide eight weeks work experience for a graduate (any level from HNC upwards) in each year of the Framework.

(SC Ref:641083)

# VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Falkirk Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

Sheriff Court House Main Street, Camelon

**Falkirk** 

FK1 4AR

Country

**United Kingdom**