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Contract

CWC23094 - Invitation to Tender for the provision of UKSPF (UK Shared Prosperity Fund) Start-up Support

Wolverhampton City Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-001604

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03ecac

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Wolverhampton City Council

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKG3 - West Midlands

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk

Buyer's address

http://www.wolverhampton.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

CWC23094 - Invitation to Tender for the provision of UKSPF (UK Shared Prosperity Fund) Start-up Support

Reference number

DN682725

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

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II.1.4) Short description

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that targets Wolverhampton residents to engage and access skills that will provide them

with the right foundations to prepare, start and ensure the survival of their business. The

provision should support the increase of new enterprises - sole trader, micro business,

small

and medium-sized enterprise, or large business and includes social enterprises.

In order to promote growth and productivity in the city, we are particularly keen for the

successful provider to encourage start-ups in growth sectors, e.g., tech, creative and

digital

and those emerging markets such as the green economy.

This contract is funded by the UK Government through the UK Shared Prosperity Fund

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/uk-shared-prosperity-fund-prospectus

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKG3 - West Midlands

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and Social Value / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

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

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2023/S 000-022557</u>

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CWC23094

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 November 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 10

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 11

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Black Country Chamber of Commerce

Creative Industries Centre, University of Wolverhampton Science Park

Wolverhampton

WV10 9TG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKG3 - West Midlands

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £300,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £300,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Director of Governance

Wolverhampton

Country

United Kingdom