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## **Learning Community Trust Tender for Catering Services**

Learning Community Trust

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-030ff5

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Learning Community Trust

c/o WLP Consultancy Services Ltd, The Fort Offices

Oswestry

SY11 4AD

#### **Email**

[admin@wlpconsultancy.co.uk](mailto:admin@wlpconsultancy.co.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 1691664234

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://wlpconsultancy.co.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://wlpconsultancy.co.uk/>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://suppliers.multiquote.com>

Additional information can be obtained from another address:

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**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Learning Community Trust Tender for Catering Services

Reference number

CA9844 -

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 55524000 - School catering services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

To provide catering services to the Learning Community Trust at 6 of their schools.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,100,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG21 - Telford and Wrekin

Main site or place of performance

Telford & Wrekin

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

The Learning Community Trust is a Telford and Shropshire based multi-academy Trust which was established in July 2017, with the backing of the Department for Education. The Trust serves the community of Telford and Shropshire, with schools from across all phases including three mainstream primaries with nurseries and three large secondaries (one of which is all-through) as well as two Special Schools. They are looking for a contractor to provide catering services at the following schools:

- Charlton School, Apley Avenue, Wellington, Telford, TF1 3FA (Secondary)
- Ercall Wood Academy, Golf Links Lane, Telford, TF1 2DT (Secondary)
- Wrekin View Primary School, North Road, Wellington, Telford, TF1 3ES
- Crudgington Primary School, Crudgington, Telford, TF6 6JF
- Queensway South Campus, Hinkshay Road, Dawley, Telford, TF4 3PP (Special School)
- Queensway North Campus, Queensway, Hadley, Telford, TF1 6AJ (Special School)

The contract will be awarded for a period of 3 years commencing MOND

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,100,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 5

Maximum number: 8

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Experience in the field, References from previous contracts, financial stability

**II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

60 month(s) from the commencement date, with 36 initial month(s) and option to extend 2x12 month(s)

**II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

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

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

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers**

List and brief description of conditions

Tenderer must be established in the field and financially secure with a minimum of 3 years trading history and able to demonstrate suitable expertise in the catering sector within the Education sector

#### **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.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

A statement of the tenderer's turnover and, where appropriate, of turnover in the area covered by the contract for a maximum of the last 3 years available, depending on the date on which the undertaking was set up or the economic operator started trading, as far as the information on these turnovers is available. Abbreviated audited accounts for previous 3 years trading will be required.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

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

Date

26 February 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Learning Community Trust

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Country

United Kingdom