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Tender

Interpretation and Translation Services

Lancashire County Council

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-002445

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0290f4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Lancashire County Council

Fishergate

Preston

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Contact

LCC Corporate

Email

contractscorporate@lancashire.gov.uk

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKD4 - Lancashire

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.lancashire.gov.uk/isupplier/

I.3) Communication

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

www.lancashire.gov.uk/isupplier/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.lancashire.gov.uk/isupplier/

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

Interpretation and Translation Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79540000 - Interpretation services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Authority is looking to procure a Contract to provide language services including spoken and non-spoken Interpretation and Translation services to the Authority.

The contract will be tendered in two (2) Lots:

- (i) Lot 1 Face to Face interpreting for Social Service requirements, interviews, meetings, consultation, for spoken languages, telephone interpretation and document translation services
- (ii) Lot 2 Face to Face interpreting for Social Service requirements, interviews, meetings, consultation, for non-spoken including British Sign language, lipspeaking and Palantypist

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £920,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79540000 - Interpretation services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD4 - Lancashire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lancashire County Council is seeking to Procure a contract agreement. Details of which are including within the tender documents.

II.2.5) Award criteria

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

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract is available for up to a 4 year period, following which there may or may not be an opportunity for a re-procurement. The Agreement included within Tender Documents outlines any relevant break clauses or periods within the awarded term, where a re-procurement could occur. Any re-procurement will be at the discretion of the contracting authority and will be completed compliantly.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 79540000 - Interpretation services

II.2.3) Place of performance

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• UKD4 - Lancashire

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Description of renewals

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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

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

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

Date

11 March 2021

Local time

10:00am

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: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

11 March 2021

Local time

11:00am

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: The Agreement is available for up to 4 years, following which there is potential for the services to be continually required therefore there is potential (but not guarantee) for the Agreement to be re-procured. Any re-procurement is at the discretion of the contracting authority and will be completed compliantly.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice - The High Court

London

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Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

https://courttribunalfinder.service.gov.uk/courts/royal-courts-of-justice