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Contract

Ecological Advice

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council

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Bournemouth

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Contact

Procurement

Email

procurement@bcpcouncil.gov.uk

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKK21 - Bournemouth and Poole

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.bcpCouncil.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.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

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Reference number

DN496047

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 90700000 - Environmental services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Corporate contract with customers in departments including but not limited to Environment (Parks), Housing (Asset Development) and Engineering.

This service is required to appraise the ecological impact of plans, policies, programmes or projects. The service includes but is not limited to:

- Review and validation of ecological information received in support of planning applications, including for example on bio-diversity net gain, Environmental Impact Assessment and those requiring an Appropriate Assessment.
- Preparation of Appropriate Assessments to accompany planning applications.
- Ecological advice on Local Plan Biodiversity Policy scope and content.
- Preparation of a Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA) for any plan, policy, programme or project requiring an HRA including but not limited to HRA for the BCP Local Plan.
- Expert witness support at Local Plan public examination and public inquiries.
- Ecological advice on the BCP Local Plan assessment under any relevant legislation, current and future, including that which may take effect as a result of the UK leaving the European Union.

- Evaluation of and advice on reports and other documents submitted to BCP Council in relation to the development of the Local Plan and planning applications.

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: £190,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77400000 - Zoological services
- 71410000 - Urban planning services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK21 - Bournemouth and Poole

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

DN496047

Title

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 12

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

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: 7

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

WSP UK Limited

Mountbatten House, Basing View

Basingstoke

RG21 4HJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK21 - Bournemouth and Poole

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £190,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council

Town Hall, Bourne Avenue

Bournemouth

BH2 6DY

Country

United Kingdom