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Contract

## **Digital Skills Innovation and Learning Hub**

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-002931

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038609

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

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

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council

Bournemouth Christchurch and Poole Council, Town Hall

Bournemouth

BH2 6DY

#### **Contact**

Procurement

#### **Email**

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#### **Telephone**

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch 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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Digital Skills Innovation and Learning Hub

Reference number

DN632335

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

- 72200000 - Software programming and consultancy services

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

Services

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

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#### **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: £736,023

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 72212211 - Platform interconnectivity software development services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch 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

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

Notice number: [2022/S 000-032615](#)

#### **IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice**

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

DN632335

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

31 January 2023

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Dorset Local Enterprise Partnership CIC

6th Floor, Talbot Campus

POOLE

BH12 5BB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK24 - Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole

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: £736,024

Total value of the contract/lot: £736,023

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

High Courts of Justice

The Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom