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Contract

Re-procurement of Bus Service 17/18 Covering Darlington - TVCA-PROC-0287

Tees Valley Combined Authority Group, and Teesside International Airport

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041b32

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Tees Valley Combined Authority Group, and Teesside International Airport

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Region code

UKC13 - Darlington

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://teesvalley-ca.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://teesvalley-ca.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**

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Reference number

DN697855

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 60100000 - Road transport services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Working in coordination with Darlington Borough Council, Tees Valley Combined Authority (TVCA) would like to reprocore bus service 17/18, covering areas of Darlington. The current service in operation is contracted until March 2024. We therefore need to reprocore the replacement service for when the current contract comes to an end.

TVCA are seeking to procure an operator to run the bus routes for 1- year, with an additional optional 1- year extension should it be required. During this time period, TVCA will provide financial support for the service. There will be a 3-month cancellation clause for the contract, should this be required

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: £350,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC13 - Darlington

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Methodology / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Resource Plan / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 60

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2023/S 000-034234](#)

Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

30 January 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Arriva Durham County

1 Admiral Way, Doxford International Business Park,

Sunderland

SR3 3XP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC13 - Darlington

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £350,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £336,106

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

London

Country

United Kingdom