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## **Birmingham and Solihull Youth Promise Plus (YPP) Project**

Birmingham City Council

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

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

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**NUTS code**

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Buyer's address

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**I.3) Communication**

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

[www.in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc](http://www.in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc)

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

[www.in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc](http://www.in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc)

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

**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**

Birmingham and Solihull Youth Promise Plus (YPP) Project

Reference number

P0895

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

- 80310000 - Youth education services

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

Services

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

Birmingham and Solihull Youth Promise Plus project (YPP) is an education, employment and training project for young people aged 15-29. To be eligible for the project the young person must be NEET – not in education, employment or training. The aim of the project is to support young people into positive engagement in education, employment or training. As part of the YPP Birmingham City Council is now commissioning a supplier or suppliers for the provision of specialist services in two lots; • Lot 1: Specialist employment, education and training provision for young people with significant barriers • Lot 2: Specialist wrap around service for young people with mental health support needs. The contracts are scheduled to commence 1 June 2022 and complete on 31 December 2023. Any provider wishing to bid for both Lots will be required to submit a separate response for each lot.

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

Value excluding VAT: £911,205

#### **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**

Specialist employment, education and training provision for young people with significant barriers

Lot No

1

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

- 80310000 - Youth education services
- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG31 - Birmingham

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

The contract will principally involve employing and effectively deploying Specialist Intervention Workers to provide in-depth personal and employment focused support to caseloads of young people (aged 15-29 years) with significant barriers and support needs. The aim will be to progress these young people into positive outcomes including further education, training and sustainable employment. There will focus those at risk of offending and with those leaving local authority care and looked after children (aged 16-18).

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and Social Value / Weighting: 60% and 20%

Price - Weighting: 20%

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

Value excluding VAT: £709,706

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

Duration in months

19

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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: Yes

Identification of the project

European Social Fund and Youth Employment Initiative

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Specialist wrap around service for young people with mental health support needs

Lot No

2

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

- 80310000 - Youth education services
- 80000000 - Education and training services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG31 - Birmingham

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

The contract will provide a mental health service to deliver flexible wrap around support

services to NEET young people (15-29) on the YPP project who have additional mental health support needs. These participants will be referred by other YPP partners and providers or self-referred and their mental health support will be 'wrapped around' their ongoing EET (employment education and training) support pathway.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and Social Value / Weighting: 60% and 20%

Price - Weighting: 20%

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

Value excluding VAT: £201,499

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

Duration in months

19

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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: Yes

Identification of the project

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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

Details will be provided in the tender documentation.

#### **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

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

Date

7 March 2022

Local time

12:00pm

#### **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: 120 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

7 March 2022

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

### **VI.3) Additional information**

The successful providers will be selected through the assessment of a series of contract specific questions. Providers whose responses to the written Quality section meet the threshold of 60% of the available written quality marks will be invited to an interview/presentation by the evaluation panel following the first assessment of the tender information. The assessment criteria are available in the Invitation to Tender information. The Council will be using its free to use e-tendering system (in-tend) for the administration of this procurement process and potential suppliers must register with the system to be able to express an interest. If you wish to express an interest in this opportunity please click on the following link to access <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc> and submit your details to register. You will then be sent details on how to log on which will enable you to download all relevant Invitation to Tender (ITT) documentation. Please note TUPE may apply to this contract. The TUPE information will be released to you upon receipt of a signed copy of Appendices – TUPE Confidentiality Agreement. You are advised to fill this in as soon as possible on receipt and return via <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc> if you are unable to register with In-tend or have any questions or problems on how to use this website please either email us at: [cps@birmingham.gov.uk](mailto:cps@birmingham.gov.uk) Your completed tender submission should be returned by noon on 7th March 2022 via the 'in-tend' system <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/birminghamcc> Youth Promise Plus is a Birmingham and Solihull Employment Pathway Project supported by the European Social Fund and Youth Employment Initiative

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

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

High Court of England and Wales

Royal Courts of Justice, Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom