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NEPO232 The Provision of an Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure

THE ASSOCIATION OF NORTH EAST COUNCILS LIMITED

F24: Concession notice

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

http://www.nepo.org

I.3) Communication

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

http://www.nepo.org

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Applications or, where applicable, tenders must be submitted electronically via

http://www.nepo.org

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

NEPO232 The Provision of an Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure

Reference number

NEPO232

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 51000000 - Installation services (except software)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Association of North East Councils trading as NEPO intend to establish a concession contract for the provision of a fully delivered and managed electric vehicle charging infrastructure network. The awarded Supplier will be responsible for the

funding of the capital investment needed to modernise the existing infrastructure, the ongoing operation and maintenance of the network and to work with Contracting Authorities to expand the reach of the network. NEPO intends to award the contract for up to 15 years and to allow other regional Contracting Authorities to participate over the course of its operation.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This concession is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34000000 Transport equipment and auxiliary products to transportation
- 50000000 Repair and maintenance services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKC - North East (England)

Main site or place of performance

Restricted to public sector organisations operating within the North East of England.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

NEPO are using an open procedure for the procurement of this concession contract in line with PCR 2015 principles and procedures. The opportunity can be accessed via the NEPO eTendering system. Suppliers wishing to be considered for this contract must register their expression of interest and

submit a tender through the NEPO eTendering system. If not already registered, suppliers should register on the NEPO eTendering system at https://procontract.due-north.com/Register

Tender responses must be submitted using the link above. Tender responses submitted via postal or email methods will not be accepted. If you require time critical assistance on submitting your tender response, please contact the system support

team on 0330 0050352. For non time critical issues, such as passwords, general account queries and location of information, etc., please contact the Proactis Supplier Support Helpdesk Ticketing System (http://proactis.kayako.com/) and select

ProContract V3 support. You will then need to log in or submit a ticket to register your issue. Alternatively you can email ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com this will automatically log a support ticket on the Proactis Supplier Support Helpdesk.

The successful supplier will enter into a contract in a form which is set out in the procurement documents. NEPO does not give any guarantee and/or warrant the actual value of services which will be placed with the successful suppliers by any contracting authority using the contract pursuant to this process and accepts no liability thereof.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria stated in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000,000

II.2.7) Duration of the concession

Duration in months

180

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

III.2) Conditions related to the concession

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the concession

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the concession

Section IV. Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.2) Time limit for submission of applications or receipt of tenders

Date

11 March 2022

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

NEPO is a Central Purchasing Body as defined in the Public Contract Regulations 2015 (PCR15). This means that NEPO may provide central purchasing activity on behalf of Contracting Authorities.

The contract will be available for use by all NEPO Members within the North East region. A list of member organisations is available in the About section of the NEPO website at: www.nepo.org

This contract will also be made available to all current and future NEPO Associate Members throughout the North East region. Current Associate Members are listed in the Associate Member section of the NEPO website at: www.nepo.org/associate-membership/list

NEPO intends to make the resulting contract available for use by all Contracting Authorities throughout the North East region (as defined by the Public Contracts Regulations 2015) including but not limited to Government Departments and their Agencies, Non-Departmental Public Bodies, Central Government, NHS Bodies, Local Authorities, Emergency Services, Coastguard Emergency Services, Educational Establishments, Registered Social Landlords and Registered Charities who have a need to purchase the above services.

Please see the following websites for further details:

http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/DI1/Directories/Localcouncils/index.htm

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-education

https://www.gov.uk/check-a-university-is-officially-recognised/recognised-bodies

http://www.schoolswebdirectory.co.uk/localauthorities.php

http://www.ukschoolsdirectory.net

https://www.gov.uk/find-school-in-england

http://apps.education-ni.gov.uk/appinstitutes/default.aspx

 $\underline{https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/open-academies-and-academy-projects-indevelopment}$

http://unistats.direct.gov.uk/institutions/

http://www.hefce.ac.uk/workprovide/unicoll/heis/

http://www.hefce.ac.uk/workprovide/unicoll/fecs/

http://www.nhs.uk/ServiceDirectories/Pages/AcuteTrustListing.aspx

http://www.direct.gov.uk/en/DI1/Directories/A-ZOfCentralGovernment/index.htm

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations

https://www.communities-ni.gov.uk/contact

https://www.ons.gov.uk/

http://www.police.uk/forces.htm

http://www.police-information.co.uk/index.html

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/maritime-and-coastguard-agency http://www.fireservice.co.uk/information/ukfrs

http://www.fire.org.uk/fire-brigades.html

http://www.oscr.org.uk/

 $\underline{https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/current-registered-providers-of-social-housing}$

 $\underline{http://apps.charitycommission.gov.uk/Showcharity/RegisterOfCharities/registerhomepage.}\\ \underline{aspx}$

http://www.communities.gov.uk/newsroom/factsandfigures/housingplanning1/facts/socialhousing/?id=1822644

A complete list of permissible users is shown on the NEPO website below:

https://www.nepo.org/associate-membership/permissible-users

Organisations wishing to access the NEPO contract will be required to register as a NEPO Associate Member in the first instance.

Further information can be found at: www.nepo.org

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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