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Contract

ESPH AB Hastings and Rother Arboriculture Services (ESPH553)

Hastings Borough Council
Rother District Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-003685

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0362b3

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Hastings Borough Council

Muriel Matters House, Breeds Place

Hastings

TN34 3UY

Contact

Adam Bennett

Email

esph@wealden.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.hastings.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing/>

I.1) Name and addresses

Rother District Council

Town Hall, London Road

Bexhill-on-Sea

TN39 3JX

Email

esph@wealden.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://www.sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

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

ESPH AB Hastings and Rother Arboriculture Services (ESPH553)

Reference number

HBC - 035040

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77211500 - Tree-maintenance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hastings Borough Council and Rother District Council are seeking to appoint a suitably qualified and experienced contractor for the provision of an arboriculture and tree surgery service within the Councils' borders. The service will include but not be limited to crown lifting, crown reduction, crown thinning, removal of dead wood, clearing of fallen branches and trees, felling and grinding of stumps, general pruning, clearing of hanging branches, pollarding, removal of basal growth, and stump spraying. The service will operate on a call off basis. The contract will be for a duration three years with the option for a twenty four month extension.

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: £775,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77211400 - Tree-cutting services

- 77341000 - Tree pruning
- 77211500 - Tree-maintenance services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Main site or place of performance

The borough of Hastings and the district of Rother.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Criteria / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

553

Title

HBC & RDC Arboriculture Contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 January 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Elite Arborists Ltd

Bank Chambers, 1 Central Avenue

Sittingbourne

ME10 4AE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

National registration number

09486869

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: £775,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £775,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom