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Awarded contract

Framework Agreement for the Delivery of Various Employment Academies

Belfast City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Belfast City Council

9 - 21 Adelaide Street

Belfast

BT2 8GD

Email

crothersr@belfastcity.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKN06 - Belfast

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.belfastcity.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

Framework Agreement for the Delivery of Various Employment Academies

Reference number

T1983

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80500000 - Training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This Framework Agreement is in relation to the delivery of various employment academies.

The Framework will be divided into four lots as follows:

Lot 1 - Care Sector Employment Academies

Lot 2 - Customer Service Sector Employment Academies

Lot 3 - Practical Sector Employment Academies

Lot 4 - Office Based Sector Employment Academies

There is one preferred supplier to deliver each lot.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £6,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Care Sector Employment Academies

Lot No

Lot 1 - Care Sector Employment Academies

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80500000 - Training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN06 - Belfast

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 1 of the framework agreement is regarding the delivery of care sector employment academies. These will include, but are not limited

to:

- Health;
- Social Care;
- Education;
- Childcare and play work.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The use of the Framework by other named participants.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 - Customer Service Sector Employment Academies

Lot No

Lot 2 - Customer Service Sector Employment Academies

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80500000 - Training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN06 - Belfast

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 2 of the framework agreement is regarding the delivery of customer service sector employment academies. These will include, but are not limited to:

- Leisure;
- Hospitality;
- Tourism;

- Retail.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The use of the Framework by other named participants.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 - Practical Sector Employment Academies

Lot No

Lot 3 - Practical Sector Employment Academies

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80500000 - Training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN06 - Belfast

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 3 of the framework agreement is regarding the delivery of practical sector employment academies. These will include, but are not limited to:

- Transport and logistics;
- Construction;
- Green Economy and Manufacturing

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The use of the Framework by other named participants.

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - Office Based Employment Academies

Lot No

Lot 4 - Office Based Employment Academies

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80500000 - Training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN06 - Belfast

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 4 of the framework agreement is regarding the delivery of office based employment academies. These will include, but are not limited to:

- Administration;
- Financial;
- Digital.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The use of the Framework by other named participants.

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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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: [2020/S 233-576583](#)

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

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

T1983

Lot No

Lot 1 - Care Sector Employment Academies

Title

Lot 1 - Care Sector Employment Academies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

DFPF Ltd t/a People 1st

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

T1983

Lot No

Lot 2 - Customer Service Sector Employment Academies

Title

Lot 2 - Customer Service Sector Employment Academies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Workforce Training Services

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

T1983

Lot No

Lot 3 - Practical Sector Employment Academies

Title

Lot 3 - Practical Sector Employment Academies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Workforce Training Services

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

T1983

Lot No

Lot 4 - Office Based Employment Academies

Title

Lot 4 - Office Based Employment Academies

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Belfast Metropolitan College

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

GEMS NI

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Upper Springfield Development Trust Ltd

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Impact Training NI

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Ashton Community Trust

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

East Belfast Mission

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN06 - Belfast

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Chichester Street

Belfast

BT1 3JY

Country

United Kingdom