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VEAT Notice Intention to award a public works contract for the development of an Intermediate Care Centre

GATESHEAD COUNCIL

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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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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II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 45000000 - Construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Intention to award a Public Works contract under Regulation 32(2) (b) (iii) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 for the development of a single site, purpose built intermediate care centre in Gateshead at Gretna Terrace, Gateshead NE10 0BS. The public works contract will be delivered on a turn-key basis (including fixtures and fittings) to enable the Council to transfer its intermediate care provision from its existing 3 centres to a single purpose-built site. The Negotiated Procedure without Prior Publication is being followed and is justified under Regulation 32 (2) (b) (iii)

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: £8,100,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45000000 - Construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC22 - Tyneside

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Council currently operates its intermediary care provision across 3 centres but there is a need to move the provision to a fit for purpose, single site care provision to ensure that the needs of the population are met now and for future years to come.

The fundamental considerations for the location of a single site centre are both its proximity to the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead and having good transport links for family and carers to get to, to visit loved ones. Therefore, the location requirement is for the new intermediary care centre to be located within a 1-mile radius of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital.

The delivery of a timely development is required to enable the existing intermediate care provision to transfer to a fit for purpose development, which will deliver essential savings.

It is a requirement for the new centre to be within very close proximity to a primary school to enable an essential intergenerational activity programme that is currently ran within an existing intermediate care centre to continue at the new centre.

The Negotiated Procedure without Prior Publication is being followed and is justified under Regulation 32 (2) (b) (iii) for the award of a public works contracts for development of an intermediate care centre at Gretna Terrace, Gateshead NE10 0BS. The development site meets the Council's fundamental location requirements being within the 1-mile radius of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead with good transport links. The Works can only be supplied by a particular economic operator due to their exclusive rights as landowner of the development site. A timely delivery of the development can be met because the site is cleared, has planning permission in place and will be delivered on a turn-key basis. There are no reasonable alternative or substitute development sites within the desired location that will meet the delivery timescales.

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

Explanation:

The intention to award of a public works contract for the development of a single site intermediate care centre at Gretna Terrace, Gateshead NE10 0BS on a turn-key basis (including fixtures and fittings) to enable the Council to transfer its intermediate care provision from its existing 3 centres to a single purpose built site. The Works can only be supplied by a particular economic operator due to their exclusive rights as landowner of the development site which meets the Councils fundamental requirements of location being within the 1-mile radius of the Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Gateshead. The requirement of a timely delivery can be met because the site is cleared and has planning permission in place. The development site is also adjacent to Falla Primary School to enable the intergenerational activity programme to be delivered within the new centre. There are no reasonable alternative or substitute development sites, with planning permission within the desired location which would be suitable for the development of an intermediate care centre.

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 February 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Leamside Estates Limited

Gateshead

NE10 0BD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC22 - Tyneside

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £8,100,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

This is a VEAT notice to show our intention to award a public works contract using the Negotiated Procedure without prior publication (Regulation 32 (2) (b) (iii)). A subsequent award notice will be published in due course.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Borough Council of Gateshead

Gateshead

Country

United Kingdom