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Tender

Supply and Delivery of Outdoor Clothing, Footwear and Accessories for Education Establishments

Glasgow City Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Glasgow City Council

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Glasgow

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Email

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+44 1412872000

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM82 - Glasgow City

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.glasgow.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00196

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

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

www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.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

Supply and Delivery of Outdoor Clothing, Footwear and Accessories for Education Establishments

Reference number

GCC006243CPU

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 18220000 - Weatherproof clothing

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

Supply and delivery of outdoor clothing, footwear and accessories for education establishments.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 18220000 - Weatherproof clothing
- 18221000 - Waterproof clothing

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

Glasgow and surrounding area.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply and delivery of outdoor clothing, footwear and accessories for education establishments.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Contract Delivery / Weighting: 25%

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability and Ethical Trading / Weighting: 10%

Quality criterion - Name: Fair Work First / Weighting: 5%

Price - Weighting: 60%

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for a period of up to 12 months

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: No

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

In order to pass the Financial Check section of the contract, it is mandatory for companies to attain the undernoted:-

Bidders must comply with the undernoted financial requirements in order to participate in the tendering process: -

There is a minimum financial requirement that affects trading performance, and balance sheet strength financial requirements for trading performance and balance sheet strength should be calculated on latest filed accounts with Companies House.

Trading Performance

An overall positive outcome on EBITDA earnings over a 3 year period.

Exceptional items can be excluded from the calculation.

The above would be expressed in the ratio EBITDA/Turnover.

Balance Sheet Strength

Net worth of the organisation must be positive at the time of evaluation and organisation must not be subject to an insolvency process.

Intangibles can be included for purposes of the Total Assets figure.

The above would be expressed in the ratio Total Assets/Total Liabilities.

If an applicant is only required to file abbreviated accounts with Companies House, then in the event of the company being successful in the procurement process, full set of accounts will be required for the last 2 individual years filed in order for the 3 year profitability requirement to be verified.

An applicant should have no outstanding issues, with regard to statutory filing requirements with Companies House.

Applicants who have been trading for less than 3 years must provide evidence that they

have met the above minimum financial requirements for the period during which they have been trading.

Applicants who do not comply with the above financial requirements but are part of a Group, can provide a Parent Guarantee if the Parent company satisfies the financial requirements stipulated above.

Where the applicant is a group of economic operators (such as a consortium), the Lead Party of that group must comply with minimum financial requirements.

The Council reserves the right at its own discretion to seek such other information from the Applicant in accordance with Regulation 61(7) or Regulation 61(8) of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 to prove the Applicant's economic and financial standing.

Applicants who are subsequently appointed to the Framework shall, during the lifetime of the Framework Agreement, inform the Council immediately of any material changes to the information provided in their submission in relation to economic and financial standing. The Council notes Regulation 60(9) and 60(11) of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 and reserves the right to refuse to award a contract following a mini-competition should the Applicant no longer meet the requirements set out in this SPD.

Any bidder that fails to achieve or exceed the criteria as stated above will be excluded at this stage.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Glasgow City Council's Insurance Requirements are:

Bidder shall take out and maintain, throughout the period of the contract, Employer's Liability insurance to the value of at least TEN MILLION POUNDS STERLING (10,000,000 GBP) in respect of any one event and unlimited in the period.

Bidder shall take out and maintain, throughout the period of the contract, Public Liability insurance to the value of at least FIVE MILLION POUNDS STERLING (5,000,000 GBP) in respect of any one event and unlimited in the period.

Bidder shall take out and maintain, throughout the period of the contract, Products Liability insurance to the value of at least FIVE MILLION POUNDS STERLING (5,000,000 GBP) in respect of any one event and in the aggregate.

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Bidders are required to provide evidence of having the necessary capacity and capability to deliver the requirements of the contract.

Bidders shall demonstrate their experience in delivering the relevant products similar to the project requirements as detailed within the tender documentation by using examples from their own experience.

Please provide 2 relevant examples of supplies carried out during the last 3 years as specified in the tender documentation.

(Examples from both public and/or private sector customers and clients may be provided)

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

As part of your response please provide as a minimum, the following information:

- name of the client, contract value, project duration
- a description of the scope, size and complexity of the contract
- if you were able to demonstrate added value

Bidders must score a minimum threshold of 60% across all questions Any bidder who fails to achieve the minimum points score for any question will be disqualified.

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

As specified within the tender document (section 4.14 key performance indicators).

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

Framework agreement with a single operator

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

14 March 2025

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: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

14 March 2025

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: November/December 2028

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) Additional information

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 28306.
For more information see:

<http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343>

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see:

<https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

Bidders must indicate the type and volume of any Community Benefits outcomes they propose to deliver. The outcomes offered, shall be chosen from the themes available on the Community Benefits Menu. The minimum Community Benefits Points required = 25.

Bidders are also required to provide a supporting Methodology for each of the Themes they are offering from the Menu, detailing how the Community Benefit outcomes will be delivered.

The Community Benefits Menu and Methodology template can be found within the Community Benefits section on Public Contracts Scotland – Tender (PCS-T).

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Glasgow Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

PO Box 23 1 Carlton Place

Glasgow

G5 9DA

Email

glasgow@scotcourts.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Glasgow City Council (“the Council”) must, by notice in writing as soon as possible after the decision has been made, inform all tenderers and candidates concerned of its decision to award the contract, conclude the framework agreement or establish a dynamic purchasing system. The Council must allow a period of at least the relevant standstill period (where the notice is sent by facsimile or electronic means the period is 10 days ending at midnight at the end of the 10th day after that on which the last notice is sent, when sent by other means the period is 15 days) to elapse between the date of despatch of the notice referred to in Regulation 85(1) of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 (“the Regulations”). The Council is obliged to comply with the Regulations and any eligible economic operator can bring an action in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session where as a consequence of a breach by the Council, suffers or risks suffering loss or damage. The bringing of court proceedings during the standstill period means that the Council must not enter into the contract, conclude the framework agreement or establish the dynamic purchasing system unless the proceedings are determined, discontinued or disposed of; or the court, by interim order, brings to an end the prohibition. The bringing of court proceedings after the standstill period has elapsed and the remedies that are available to the courts are detailed in the Regulations. Economic Operators can write to the Council seeking further clarification on the notice, to which the Council must respond within 15 days. Economic Operators should be mindful to seek their own independent legal advice when they consider appropriate to do so.