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Contract

Supporting the Third Sector in Kirklees

The Council of the Borough of Kirklees

F20: Modification notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-040379

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.kirklees.gov.uk

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Supporting the Third Sector in Kirklees

Reference number

KMCAS-188

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 75200000 - Provision of services to the community
- 85322000 - Community action programme

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

II.2.4) Description of the procurement at the time of conclusion of the contract:

Tenders were invited by the Council from Providers with relevant experience and ability to demonstrate sufficient capacity for the provision of Supporting the Third Sector in Kirklees (the "Services").

The council wishes to commission one provider who can provide support to all VCSE organisations in Kirklees, to increase VCSE capacity resilience and sustainability.

The estimated value of the Services to be awarded is approximately £630,000 over the initial two (2) year contract period.

The anticipated commencement date for the Contract(s) is 1st April 2024.

The anticipated expiry date for the Contract(s) is 31st March 2026, with the option to extend for three (3) further twelve (12) month periods up to 31st March 2029 depending on success and available funding.

Further details regarding the Services required are set out in the Specification - Appendix 1 and in the Conditions of Contract.

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

End date

31 March 2029

Section IV. Procedure

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Contract award notice concerning this contract

Notice number: [2023/S 000-037152](#)

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

KMCAS-188

Title

Supporting the Third Sector in Kirklees

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract/concession award decision:

18 December 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

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

Third Sector Leaders Kirklees

Brian Jackson House 2 New North Parade

Huddersfield

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

Charity Commission (England and Wales)

1162592

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (at the time of conclusion of the contract;excluding VAT)

Total value of the procurement: £1,841,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom

Section VII: Modifications to the contract/concession

VII.1) Description of the procurement after the modifications

VII.1.1) Main CPV code

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

VII.1.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 75200000 - Provision of services to the community
- 85322000 - Community action programme

VII.1.3) Place of performance

NUTS code

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

VII.1.4) Description of the procurement:

Kirklees Council and partners value the contribution made by our local Voluntary Community Faith and Social Enterprise Sector in the local economy (VCSE). Creating jobs, delivering services, and connecting people in neighbourhoods improving community cohesion and reducing social isolation and loneliness as well as improving general health and well-being. The recent experiences in the context of the pandemic have brought that into even sharper focus. The rise in volunteering along with the invaluable roles played by mutual aid groups and anchor organisations are evidence of the energy and capacity that exists.

This procurement intends to provide support to all VCSE organisations in Kirklees, to

increase VCSE capacity resilience and sustainability.

VII.1.5) Duration of the contract, framework agreement, dynamic purchasing system or concession

End date

31 March 2029

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

Kirklees Council and partners value the contribution made by our local Voluntary Community Faith and Social Enterprise in the local economy. Creating jobs, delivering services and connecting people in neighbourhood improving community cohesions and reducing social insolation and loneliness as well as improving general health and wellbeing.

VII.1.6) Information on value of the contract/lot/concession (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot/concession:

£1,841,000

VII.1.7) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

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Brian Jackson House 2 New North Parade

Huddersfield

Country

United Kingdom

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Charity Commission (England and Wales)

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The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

VII.2) Information about modifications

VII.2.1) Description of the modifications

Nature and extent of the modifications (with indication of possible earlier changes to the contract):

A variation to contract to allow TSL to continue the community anchor network projects aiming to build a robust network of anchor organisations to create resilient community capacity. It focuses on developing a network of local third sector organisations to support the growth and sustainability of community groups and activities that enhance health and wellbeing. TSL describes this as 'helping local groups to make great things happen'. The community anchors work in a Place-based way and tackle inequalities across the whole geography of Kirklees.

Continuation of the support to the thematic community networks which are networks

will support both existing and new community networks, helping sustain and grow activities, link networks with services, and strengthen community voices in decisions. It aims to meet identified needs, enhance inclusivity, and ensure the sustainability of community networks by building capacity and infrastructure

This is in line with the outcomes of the contract (outcome 5,6 & 7).

5. The provider builds and develops the community anchor networks to provide an umbrella of support for their local community groups.

6. The VCSE and partners better understand the needs and opportunities within communities and are addressing local inequalities.

7. All sectors are working together, more often and in ways that produce a positive local impact

VII.2.2) Reasons for modification

Need for modification brought about by circumstances which a diligent contracting authority/entity could not foresee.

Description of the circumstances which rendered the modification necessary and explanation of the unforeseen nature of these circumstances:

Comments:

The modification takes advantage of additional funding which will allow the anchor

organisations to carry out additional community services in accordance with the remit of the current Contract.

The modification is complaint under Reg 72(1)(c) unforeseen changes as the change does not alter the overall nature of the contract ie. is not substantial and does not exceed 5% of the value of the original contract.

VII.2.3) Increase in price

Updated total contract value before the modifications (taking into account possible earlier contract modifications, price adaption and average inflation)

Value excluding VAT: £1,841,000

Total contract value after the modifications

Value excluding VAT: £2,083,500