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Opportunity

RIDC Melton - Maintenance of Infrastructure

Network Rail Infrastructure Ltd

F05: Contract notice – utilities

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Section I: Contracting entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

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

<https://networkrail.bravosolution.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://networkrail.bravosolution.co.uk>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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I.6) Main activity

Railway services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

RIDC Melton - Maintenance of Infrastructure

Reference number

28681

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 50225000 - Railway-track maintenance services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The requirement is for the Provision of Maintenance of the Infrastructure at RIDC Melton in accordance with the Non-Mainline Safety Management System (SMS), National Legislation, Railway Group Standards, British and Network Rail standards, HASAWA and other RSSB supporting documents. The contract is for an initial period until the lease expiry on 2 February 2027, plus an option to extend to 31 March 2029; and then finally to 31 March 2031

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £19,923,639

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 50220000 - Repair, maintenance and associated services related to railways and other equipment

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Main site or place of performance

RIDC Test Track near Melton Mowbray, Leicestershire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The core services to be provided consist of:

- Vegetation Management
- Fencing
- Structures and Civils
- Track Maintenance
- Power Distribution Maintenance
- DC Electrification Maintenance (4th Rail DC)
- OLE Maintenance (25kv)
- Signalling, Command and Control
- Earthworks
- Drainage, Lighting, Earthing, All wire ways and risers
- All roadways and car parks
- Upgrades and reactive works of less than £200,000 in value
- Changes to support and maintain specific new test environments

Trackside Power Supply and Equipment

ETCS Level 2 system

Standard 3rd Rail

Lineside battery energy storage systems

Infrastructure to support hydrogen trains

Noise test facilities enhanced maintenance and certifications

- Extension of the OHL infrastructure from milepost 188 to 120 (2 miles)

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £19,923,639

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

Duration in months

22

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

26 months up to 31 March 2029, finally 24 months up to 31 March 2031

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Maximum number: 5

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

As stated in the procurement documents

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

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.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.4) Objective rules and criteria for participation

List and brief description of rules and criteria

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.1.6) Deposits and guarantees required

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.1.7) Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.1.8) Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

As stated in the procurement documentation.

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

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

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 8 years:

The term does not exceed 8 years.

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: [2021/S 000-027487](#)

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

29 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

7 July 2023

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

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 60 months

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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