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## **Queensbridge & Fox Hollies Schools ~ Catering Tender**

Queensbridge & Fox Hollies Schools  
Highbury Community Campus (Fox Hollies Special School)

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-005789

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-043c1a

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Queensbridge & Fox Hollies Schools

Queensbridge Road, Moseley

Birmingham

B13 8QB

#### **Email**

[tenders@litmuspartnership.co.uk](mailto:tenders@litmuspartnership.co.uk)

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United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKG31 - Birmingham

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.queensbridge.bham.sch.uk/>

**I.1) Name and addresses**

Highbury Community Campus (Fox Hollies Special School)

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<https://www.foxhollies.bham.sch.uk/>

**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract involves joint procurement

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://litmustms.co.uk/respond/4836S74X44>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

#### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

#### **I.5) Main activity**

Education

## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

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#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 55524000 - School catering services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The successful supplier will be required to provide catering and hospitality services for the Queensbridge School's.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £912,528

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG31 - Birmingham

Main site or place of performance

Birmingham

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Outstanding schools have a burning desire to get the best possible deal for children in every respect. They are places where the culture of achievement runs deep with clear vision in their commitments and wording that all the students work towards, which are

RESPECT, KINDNESS, RESILIENCE, ASPIRATION and LEADERSHIP.

Message from the Headteacher, Mr Singh:

“Our results place us in the top 15% of schools nationally and we remain one of the top schools in Birmingham. This accomplishment is a testament to the hard work, dedication, and collaboration of our incredible staff, students, and parents. Your commitment to education and our school makes a difference.

This year, {2023}, more than ever, has highlighted the importance of community and the strength that comes from standing together. Being "Stronger Together," has been more than just words—it has been a guiding principle that has shaped our actions and decisions. We have faced uncertainties and challenges, but through unity and support, we have not only overcome them but also emerged stronger and more resilient.”

Please see SQ document for more information

#### **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: £912,528

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

Start date

1 August 2024

End date

31 July 2030

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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

Envisaged minimum number: 5

Maximum number: 10

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

A minimum of 5 suppliers and a maximum of 10 suppliers will be taken forward to the tender stage of the process. Where less than 5 suppliers meet the minimum standards, only those that meet the minimum standards will be taken through to the tender stage. Where more than 5 suppliers meet the minimum standard, those suppliers with the highest scores will proceed to the tender stage.

#### **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

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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### **Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

#### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

##### **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

## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Restricted procedure

#### **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

28 March 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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

22 April 2024

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **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 contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

It will be the supplier's responsibility to obtain any necessary documents in order to submit a response by the closing date and time.

The contracting authority reserves the right not to award any or part of the contract which is the subject of this contract notice and reserves the right to terminate the procurement process at any time.

The contracting authority will not be liable for any costs incurred by those expressing an interest in tendering for this contract opportunity.

The contracting authority will consider variant bids, evaluating them (so far as the variant or the evaluation of the variant is in the opinion of the contracting authority practicable) on the same basis as a conforming bid, but shall not be obliged to accept any such bid in preference to a conforming bid even if the variant bid scores more highly. No variant will be considered unless the bidder simultaneously submits a conforming bid.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

<https://litmustms.co.uk/tenders/UK-UK-Birmingham:-School-catering-services./4836S74X44>

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## **VI.4) Procedures for review**

### **VI.4.1) Review body**

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