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Planning

Market Engagement for Active Travel Initiatives Programme 2021 - 2025

East Sussex County Council

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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**

Market Engagement for Active Travel Initiatives Programme 2021 - 2025

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

ESCC are inviting interested organisations to attend a market engagement event on 30 March from 11.30-12.30 to discuss our outline requirements and procurement timeline ahead of the tender being published in early April 2021. Please contact the council via the email address given to register interest in attending the virtual event via MS Teams. The

COVID-19 pandemic has also had huge impact on the way people work, socialise and, ultimately, travel. For some people and organisations this has meant that they have been able to re-think about how they travel and cycling and walking has become more of an option. Following the East Sussex Active Access for Growth programme which comprised walking and cycling initiatives being delivered in the county there are further opportunities to allocate and apply for funding from the DFT to deliver similar initiatives for walking and cycling programmes. A new Active Travel Initiatives Programme is being developed to deliver initiatives which will 'Help people to cycle and walk to live better'. It will be funded through a number of revenue funding sources, predominantly the Government's recently announced Capability Fund, and will run for a period of up to five years from 2021-2025. The initial contract term is for one year (2021-22), but this could be extended for the following three years as further funding becomes available. The key objectives of the programme will be to support: -economic recovery and the levelling up of local areas, health & wellbeing, net zero carbon emissions, and greater linkages between infrastructure & initiatives. To deliver these objectives we will be entering into a contract to deliver active travel engagement projects. The requirement will be split into 3 Lots: Lot 1 – Active Travel Projects (with an emphasis on cycling) Lot 2 – Active Travel Projects (with an emphasis on walking) Lot 3 – Programme Management (including developing and managing monitoring and evaluation framework, and developing and delivering a Communications Plan) There will be a requirement for bidders to make Social Value commitments as part of the tender submission.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 – Active Travel Projects (with an emphasis on cycling)

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34430000 - Bicycles

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

to be set out in the tender documents

II.2.14) Additional information

social value will be included as part of this tender

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 - Active Travel Projects (with an emphasis on walking)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

to be set out in tender documents.

II.2.14) Additional information

the contract period will be an initial period of one year with the option to extend for multiple one year periods up to 3 years dependant on funding.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Programme Management

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security
- 79420000 - Management-related services
- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Programme Management (including developing and managing monitoring and evaluation framework and developing and delivering a Communications Plan)

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

6 April 2021

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes