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Tender

East Midlands 'Made Smarter' Programme - IDTA support

Lincolnshire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03acff

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<https://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/opportunities>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/opportunities>

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

East Midlands 'Made Smarter' Programme - IDTA support

Reference number

DN652378

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The service which is being procured as part of this Procurement is the 'Made Smarter East Midlands Programme - Industrial Digital Technology Advice' services to Manufacturing SMEs (Beneficiaries).

Lincolnshire County Council are tendering for the opportunity on behalf of Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire County Councils. Please Note: This Contract is Funded by the Department of Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy as part of the National Made Smarter Adoption Programme.

The contract is anticipated to start on 17/04/2023 and will expire automatically on 31/03/2025.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £340,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

In providing IDTA Intensive Support the Supplier must be able to provide unbiased technical expertise to the Beneficiaries in the following IDT disciplines:

- Additive Manufacturing (3D printing)
- Augmented Reality (AR) & Virtual Reality (VR)
- Big Data & Analytics
- Cognitive Computing & Artificial Intelligence (AI) (machine learning)
- Data & Systems Integration
- Industrial Cyber Security
- Internet of Things (sensors, Barcode, QR Code, RFID, NFC, Bluetooth etc)
- Mobile Devices & Wearables

The scope of IDTA Intensive Support could include, but not be limited to:

- Developing the technical specification of equipment, hardware or software
- Supporting the Beneficiary with the purchasing of IDT i.e. finding & managing quotations from Tech Suppliers
- Detailed implementation planning
- Implementation risk analysis & mitigation

- Aid the Beneficiary in the final selection of technology/approach/supplier
- Quantifying likely benefits of implementation
- Outline financial justifications (Return on Investment (ROI), Net Present Value (NPV), Internal Rate of Return (IRR), Pay back period)
- Supporting employee training & development
- Cultural change management

The Supplier shall deliver IDTA Intensive Support on site at Beneficiary's Manufacturing facilities in Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire, Derbyshire and Lincolnshire where permitted by Beneficiaries. Follow up and supplementary discussions can be delivered virtually.

II.2.5) Award criteria

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

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

End date

31 March 2025

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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 IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open 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

30 March 2023

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

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

30 March 2023

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Strand

London

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United Kingdom