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## Home Care Services

Cornwall Council

F02: Contract notice

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The closing date and time has been changed to:

**24 May 2024 - no time specified**

See the [change notice](#).

## Section I: Contracting authority

### I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Email

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.cornwall.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.cornwall.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/Advert/Index?advertId=f8a28b50-38bf-ed11-8120-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

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**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**

Home Care Services

Reference number

DN660169

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

Services

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

The Council is seeking to procure the provision of Home Care services by way of an alliancing arrangement for a maximum term of up to eight (8) years. Please refer to the procurement documents for further details.

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

Value excluding VAT: £232,104,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots

11

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 Penwith

Lot No

1

**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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The current provision of the Services is delivered by a number of service providers who bid for individual packages of care via a Dynamic Purchasing System (“DPS”). The Council is intending to replace the DPS with a new model of service delivery through this procurement process.

The new model will see the Services being delivered by way of eleven (11) placed-based alliances. Each Alliance will be formed of a number of service providers who will collaborate together to optimise the delivery of the Services in a specific Geographical Zone. Each Alliance will be led by a Strategic Provider who will manage the performance of the Services, administer the Alliance, coordinate capacity optimisation activity and act as an Operational Provider of Last Resort (see the Strategic Provider Specification for more details), and multiple Individual Providers who will directly deliver Home Care services.

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Lot 1 covers the geographical zone of Penwith which includes the following postcodes: TR17 0, TR18 2, TR18 3, TR18 4, TR18 4, TR18 5, TR19 6, TR19 7, TR20 8, TR20 9, TR26 1, TR26 2, TR26 3, TR27 4, TR27 5, TR27 6.

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- an option for the Council to extend the term by a further three (3) years; and
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Quality criterion - Name: Method Statement / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £37,344,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

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### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 Kerrier South

Lot No

2

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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Lot 2 covers the geographical zone of Kerrier (South) which includes the following

postcodes: TR12 6, TR12 7, TR13 0, TR13 8, TR13 9.

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Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £12,528,000

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

Duration in months

96

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No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 Kerrier North

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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Lot 3 covers the geographical zone of Kerrier (North) which includes the following postcodes: TR14 0, TR14 7, TR14 8, TR14 9, TR15 1, TR15 2, TR15 3, TR16 4, TR16 5, TR16 6.

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Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £31,512,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

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### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 4 Falmouth and Penryn

Lot No

4

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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Lot 4 covers the geographical zone of Falmouth and Penryn which includes the following postcodes: TR 3 7, TR11 2, TR11 3, TR11 4, TR11 5, TR10 8, TR10 9.

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Price - Weighting: 20

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £19,480,000

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

Duration in months

96

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No

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 5 Truro Rural

Lot No

5

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

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## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 6 Newquay and Clays

Lot No

6

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NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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The Council is seeking to procure the provision of Home Care services by way of an alliancing arrangement for a maximum term of up to eight (8) years.

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management of local provider failure.

The procurement is divided into eleven (11) Lots which are aligned to eleven (11) Geographical Zones.

Lot 6 covers the geographical zone of Newquay and Clays which includes the following postcodes:

TR7 1, TR7 2, TR7 3, TR8 4, TR8 5, TR9 6.

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### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Method Statement / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £13,496,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

An option for the Council (at its sole discretion) to extend the initial three (3) year term by a further three (3) years. Following the exercise of the first option, an option for the Council (at its sole discretion) to extend the term by a further two (2) years.

The maximum term of the Contract will not exceed eight (8) years.

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 7 St Austell, Three Harbours and Mevagissey

Lot No

7

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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- Alliance Providers working collaboratively in each Geographical Zone to optimise service delivery and support each other with market fragility including prevention and management of local provider failure.

The procurement is divided into eleven (11) Lots which are aligned to eleven (11) Geographical Zones.

Lot 7 covers the geographical zone of St Austell, Three Harbours and Mevagissey which includes the following postcodes: PL22 0, PL23 1, PL24 2, PL25 3, PL25 4, PL25 5, PL26 6, PL26 7, PL26 8.

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#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

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Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £28,384,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

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The maximum term of the Contract will not exceed eight (8) years.

### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 8 Bodmin and Wadebridge

Lot No

8

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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The procurement is divided into eleven (11) Lots which are aligned to eleven (11) Geographical Zones.

Lot 8 covers the geographical zone of Bodmin and Wadebridge which includes the following postcodes: PL27 6, PL27 7, PL28 8, PL29 3, PL30 3, PL30 4, PL30 5, PL31 1, PL31 2.

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#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Method Statement / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £15,264,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

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a further three (3) years. Following the exercise of the first option, an option for the Council (at its sole discretion) to extend the term by a further two (2) years.

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### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 9 Liskeard, Looe, Rame and Peninsula

Lot No

9

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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The procurement is divided into eleven (11) Lots which are aligned to eleven (11) Geographical Zones.

Lot 9 covers the geographical zone of Liskeard, Looe, Rame and Peninsula which includes the following postcodes: PL10 1, PL11 2, PL11 3, PL13 1, PL13 2, PL14 3, PL14 4, PL14 5, PL14 6.

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Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £17,576,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

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### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 10 Tamar Valley and Saltash

Lot No

10

## **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

- UKK3 - Cornwall and Isles of Scilly

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

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Lot 10 covers the geographical zone of Tamar Valley and Saltash which includes the following postcodes: PL12 4, PL12 5, PL12 6, PL17 7, PL17 8, PL18 9.

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Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £13,296,000

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

Duration in months

96

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#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

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### **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) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 11 Camelford, Bude, Stratton and Launceston

Lot No

11

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

NUTS codes

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Lot 11 covers the geographical zone of Camelford, Bude, Stratton and Launceston which includes the following postcodes: EX22 6, EX22 7, EX23 0, EX23 8, EX23 9, PL15 7, PL15 8, PL15 9, PL32 9, PL33 9, PL34 0, PL35 0.

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- following the exercise of the first option, an option for the Council to extend the term by a further two (2) years.

Any extension of the term is at the sole discretion of the Council and the maximum term of the Contract will not exceed eight (8) years.

The Council intends to appoint one Alliance per Lot. In order to participate in this procurement process, providers must form Alliances and submit a composite Tender Response via the Portal. To be clear, a Tender Response from an Individual Provider or a Strategic Provider acting alone will not be considered. Any Individual Provider or Strategic Provider who wishes to take part in this procurement can only do so if it bids as part of an Alliance.

The Services being procured are social and specific services under the Regulations and are governed by the provisions of Section 7 of the Regulations (the “Light Touch Regime”). The Regulations provide the Council with the freedom to determine the procedures to apply in relation to the award of contracts under the Light Touch Regime. As such, the Council has decided to carry out a single stage process, akin to the Open procedure in Regulation 27 of the Regulations to procure the Services.

This advert is replacing the previously published PIN 2023/S 000-008521, published on 23rd March 2023 as Care and Support at Home in Cornwall. The current Home Care and Supportive Lifestyles contract commenced in 2018 and has now been extended until 30th September 2024.

Bidders must be registered on the ProContract portal <https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk> to access the tender documents. Registration on ProContract is free. All bids must be received electronically via the ProContract portal by the closing date stated in the Invitation to Tender.

Please refer to the procurement documents for further details.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Method Statement / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Presentation / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 20

#### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £19,704,000

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

Duration in months

96

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: Yes

Description of options

An option for the Council (at its sole discretion) to extend the initial three (3) year term by a further three (3) years. Following the exercise of the first option, an option for the Council (at its sole discretion) to extend the term by a further two (2) years.

The maximum term of the Contract will not exceed eight (8) years.

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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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

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## **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**

Originally published as:

Date

26 April 2024

Local time

12:00pm

Changed to:

Date

24 May 2024

See the [change notice](#).

**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: 12 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

**IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

26 April 2024

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

### **VI.3) Additional information**

- Any Contract entered into as a result of this contract notice shall be subject to English law and the exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts.
- The Council reserves the right not to enter into any Contract or award any contract as a result of this contract notice and to vary or change or not to proceed with this competition at any stage of the procurement process.
- The Council shall not be responsible for any costs incurred by any potential bidder responding to this contract notice.
- Please refer to the procurement documentation for important notices in respect of commercially sensitive information and the application of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.
- The Council reserves the right to require potential bidders to enter into a parent company guarantee and/or performance bond.

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

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

Cornwall Council

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