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Contract

CT1077 - Care and Repair Service

The City of Edinburgh Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00290

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

CT1077 - Care and Repair Service

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

AWARD of Care and Repair Services

The Edinburgh Health and Social Care Partnership (EHSCP) require the provision of a Care and Repair Service within the City of Edinburgh boundary. The service will help older people and people with disabilities live independently in their own homes by providing small repairs and minor adaptations, a key-safe fitting service, a handyperson service, trade referrals and assistance with major adaptations.

Independent living is key to improving health and wellbeing and timely provision of equipment, repairs and minor adaptations can help vulnerable citizens live in their own home for as long as possible, avoid hospital admission and support hospital discharge. Enabling independent living is a key theme of the Edinburgh Integration Joint Board's Strategic Plan and the provision of the care and repair service will help deliver on the following National Health and Wellbeing Outcomes:

Outcome 2: People, including those with disabilities or long-term conditions, or who are frail, are able to live, as far as reasonably practicable, independently and at home or in a homely setting in their community.

Outcome 3: People who use health and social care services have positive experiences of those services, and have their dignity respected.

Outcome 4: Health and social care services are centred on helping to maintain or improve the quality of life of people who use those services.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £2,045,320

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services
- 85311100 - Welfare services for the elderly
- 85311200 - Welfare services for disabled people
- 85323000 - Community health services
- 98513310 - Home-help services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Main site or place of performance

City of Edinburgh

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

AWARD OF CARE AND REPAIR SERVICE

The Service will deliver a care and repair service across the city of Edinburgh, it was also provide practical services which support individuals to lead independent lives at home within a safe and secure environment for as long as possible and enable those in hospital awaiting hospital discharge to return home quickly. The Service will ensure a personalised, home-based service which puts the client in control of decisions.

The provision of equipment, key safes, small repairs and adaptations can reduce risk and injury, help with people's confidence and their mental well-being, prevent unnecessary admission to hospital and expediate hospital discharge.

It can allow people to do more for themselves, avoid the need for additional, more intensive input from other services and can complement rehabilitation intervention.

There are 5 service areas within the contract:

- 1) Small repairs and minor adaptations – eliminate trip hazards by repairing thresholds etc, preventing falls by fitting handrails, grab-rails etc.
- 2) Key safes supplied and fitted.
- 3) Handyperson Service - a wide range of practical assistance around the home including changing a lightbulb, fitting door chains, setting up digital services, online shopping etc.
- 4) Trade referral service for larger jobs.
- 5) Assistance with Major Adaptations including assistance with grant applications, selecting suppliers, monitoring the building work and completing a building warrant.

The Care and Repair Service will be able to deliver all 5 areas and will seek to find additional funding to enhance the support offered.

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

It is considered this service is regulated under the 'light-touch' regime of the Public Contract (Scotland) Regulations 2015

It is anticipated any contract awarded will be in place for up to 8 years (4+2+2).

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Form of procedure

Procedure involving negotiation

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

2 March 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Care and Repair Edinburgh

1 Osborne Terrace

Edinburgh

EH12 5HG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,045,320

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:724643)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sheriff Court

Sheriff Court House, 27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Appeals Procedure - A tenderer that suffers loss as a result of a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session. The City of Edinburgh Council (the Council) will have a minimum standstill period of 10 days before awarding the contract. The communication of the award decision notice will be sent by fax or e-mail to all tenderers with the standstill period commencing on the next working day. If proceedings are started in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session against the Council in respect of the decision to award the contract within the standstill period then the Council is prevented from awarding the contract. Post contract award the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session may (1) award damages provided proceedings are brought within 3 months from the date when the grounds for the bringing of the proceedings first arose (2) be entitled to issue an ineffectiveness order or impose a financial penalty on the Council. A claim for an ineffectiveness order must be made within 30 days of the Contract Award Notice being published in the FTS or within 30 days of the date those who expressed an interest in or otherwise bid for the contract were informed of the conclusion of the contract or in any other case within 6 months from the date on which the contract was entered into.