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#### Contract

## **Provision of Local Bus Services**

NHS Forth Valley NHS Forth Valley

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-006686

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-038503

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

NHS Forth Valley

Trust Headquarters, Carseview Castle Business Park

Stirling

FK9 4SW

#### **Email**

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

#### UKM72 - Clackmannanshire and Fife

### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.nhsforthvalley.com

Buyer's address

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# I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local Agency/Office

# I.5) Main activity

Health

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Provision of Local Bus Services

Reference number

2/6/1975

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 60112000 - Public road transport services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Provision of local supported/socially necessary bus routes in Clackmannanshire lot 4 for Bus services linking communities in Clackmannanshire with each other and with Forth Valley Royal Hospital, Larbert.

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,985,156

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

H1 - H2 - NHSFV Service

Lot No

4

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

• 60112000 - Public road transport services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM72 - Clackmannanshire and Fife

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

H1 - H2 - NHSFV Service

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

#### 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

Lot 4 is for a different contract term from all other Lots please note: lot 4 is for a Two year contract with an opportunity to extend by up to four years with yearly extension options ie 2+1+1+1+1

# 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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2022/S 000-032543</u>

## Section V. Award of contract

#### Lot No

4

#### **Title**

H1 - H2 - NHSFV Service

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 March 2023

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

## V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Midland Bluebird Limited

Carmuirs House, 300 Stirling Road

Larbert

FK5 3NJ

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UKM76 - Falkirk

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,985,156

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.3) Additional information

It is our understanding that The Terms of the Transfer of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations (TUPE) might apply in the event of this Contract being awarded to a Tenderer other than the current service provider. Each Tenderer must satisfy itself as to whether or not in its view the TUPE regulations will apply and Tenderers are advised to seek independent professional advice on the consequences for them if they are the successful Tenderer and the TUPE regulations are held to be applicable.

Please note Lot 4 Bus service linking communities in Clackmannanshire with each other and with Forth Valley Royal Hospital, Larbert. has a different contract term and please also note that Lot 4 is subject to NHS Forth Valley payment terms and conditions.

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### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Alloa Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

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