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# Mersey Tidal Power Project - Front-End Engineering Design Services (FEED Services) - Phase 4

Liverpool City Region Combined Authority (LCRCA)

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Liverpool City Region Combined Authority (LCRCA)

1 Mann Island

Liverpool

**L3 1BP** 

#### Contact

**Procurement Team** 

#### **Email**

tender@liverpoolcityregion-ca.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKD7 - Merseyside

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.liverpoolcityregion-ca.gov.uk

Buyer's address

http://www.liverpoolcityregion-ca.gov.uk

# I.3) Communication

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

www.the-chest.org.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.the-chest.org.uk

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

#### I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

#### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Mersey Tidal Power Project - Front-End Engineering Design Services (FEED Services) - Phase 4

Reference number

DN764733

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Liverpool City Region Combined Authority (LCRCA) is looking to progress a Front-End Engineering Design Services (FEED Services) Contract to further develop the Mersey Tidal Power Project (Project).

The Specification details the scope of the FEED Services, across a combination of project, commercial and technical aspects to enable a full technoeconomic development study of all aspects of the Project.

The FEED Services contract is to be performed as part of the Phase 4a Development activity on the Project, and in parallel with the Development Consent Order (DCO) Consenting activity, (performed by others)

The FEED Services contract will improve the specification of the scope of works through multi-discipline outline design and deliver a comprehensive approach to future contracting of the detail engineering and construction including a full cost estimate and schedule based on the configuration, scope, method and approach to Phase 5 Engineering and Phases 6-9 Construction, Testing and Commissioning.

The Specification is to be read in conjunction with other documents identified in the Tender Return.

It is important that the Tenderer (Consultant) recognises the breadth and depth of activity

within the FEED Services Contract scope and is able to evidence that the extent of work is within their competence and capability.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £4,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# II.2) Description

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

• 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD7 - Merseyside

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £4,000,000

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

**Duration in months** 

18

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Details of requirements can be located within the specification document via <a href="www.the-chest.org.uk">www.the-chest.org.uk</a>

#### 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

#### 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: No

#### IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

14 April 2025

Local time

11:00am

#### 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: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

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

Date

14 April 2025

Local time

11:00am

Place

The electronic seal will be broken via the online portal, The Chest.

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure

The seal will be broken by a member of the LCRCA / Merseytravel procurement team, after the deadline has passed.

# 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

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom**