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Contract

T2435 - Animal Healthcare Services at Belfast Zoo

Belfast City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041cab

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Belfast City Council

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Contact

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.belfastcity.gov.uk

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

T2435 - Animal Healthcare Services at Belfast Zoo

Reference number

T2435

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77400000 - Zoological services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Council has awarded this contract to a suitably qualified and experienced economic operator 'Bidder' for the provision of animal healthcare services at Belfast Zoo.

This ITT set out the information that was required by the Council to assess the suitability of Bidders' experience, organisational and financial standing to meet the ITT requirement. In addition to this, quality, social value, and pricing proposals were also assessed before

any contract award was made.

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: £400,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 92530000 - Botanical and zoological garden services and nature reserve services
- 92532000 - Zoological garden services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN06 - Belfast

Main site or place of performance

Belfast

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As stated in the specification and pricing schedule

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Service Delivery / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Resources / Weighting: 12.5

Quality criterion - Name: Contract Management and Continuous Improvement / Weighting: 7.5

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 40

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The Contract shall be effective from the date of award of Contract for an initial period of 2 years.

The Council reserves the right to extend/renew the Contract up to a further 3 years (2 + 1 years). Any extension may be subject to further approval by Council Committee, availability of funding and satisfactory performance of the Contractor.

The Council reserves the right to purchase the following additional Goods or Services under this Contract during the Contract Period: -

- Additional requirements not listed in the Pricing Schedule i.e. animal size/ type and additional equipment, and supplementary items necessary to support the zoo. This may include labour/ staff required and associated hire costs.
- Cover for other Council Premises and departments that require animal healthcare related services e.g. dog/ animal control.

The Council reserves the right to explore/ use other procurement options in these circumstances where value for money is not demonstrated.

The Council reserves the right to add or remove items from the Contract in line with the Council's requirements. Where the Council identifies an additional requirement to be added the Contractor will be expected to price based similar items priced in the Pricing Schedule.

Any Contract variation may be subject to further Council internal approvals and be in accordance with the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations.

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

T2435

Title

Animal Healthcare Services at Belfast Zoo

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 March 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Jubilee Veterinary Centre Ltd

Newtownards

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKN09 - Ards and North Down

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £400,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Royal Courts of Justice

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Royal Courts of Justice

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom