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# **Planning System (Uniform)**

West Berkshire Council

F15: Voluntary ex ante transparency notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-032752

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## Section I: Contracting authority/entity

### I.1) Name and addresses

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### Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

UKJ11 - Berkshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.westberks.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

Planning System (Uniform)

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72261000 - Software support services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Supply of IDOX Uniform Software licences and related system support for planning and related services from 1 April 2022-31 March 2023.

#### 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: £84,287

### II.2) Description

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

• 48000000 - Software package and information systems

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Supply of IDOX Uniform Software licences and related system support for planning and related services.

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### Section IV. Procedure

### **IV.1) Description**

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - o protection of exclusive rights, including intellectual property rights

#### Explanation:

The software product can only be maintained by the original economic operator as they do not have arrangements with third party suppliers.

This Voluntary Ex Ante Transparency (VEAT) notice directly awarding this contract without prior publication is to allow the Council to continue to use its current IDOX Uniform system that it has configured to meet its business requirement in relation to managing both internal business processes and customer interface for planning, building control, environmental health, community safety, property, land & countryside, education & financial assets and policy services.

The current system has been assessed to meet the needs of our business for the duration of this contract award and the organisation does not wish to seek to procure an alternative solution.

This new contract / extension will ensure that the Council continue on the latest version of the system and has technical support should it have any issues.

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 March 2022

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

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

**IDOX** 

1310 Waterside

Theale

RG7 4SA

Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

• UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £84,287

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Review Service

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