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Contract

Geotechnical Site Investigations

Norwich City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03b612

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Norwich City Council

City Hall

NORWICH

NR21NH

Contact

Sara Crowley

Email

procurement@norwich.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.norwich.gov.uk/site/>

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

Geotechnical Site Investigations

Reference number

NRW/20340

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71332000 - Geotechnical engineering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Awarded contract compliantly under Reg 32 (2) as Emergency requirement as not possible to vary the supplier's existing contract for adhoc services (ref: NRW/HSC/9852/G) under Regulation 72.

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: £200,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71315300 - Building surveying services
- 71351500 - Ground investigation services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKH - East of England

Main site or place of performance

William Mear Gardens, Pilling Park Road and surrounding area of Norwich, Norfolk.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Following water leak in Norwich and the appearance of a sinkhole, supplier of existing adhoc Geotechnical Site Investigations contacted to attend to work with the council to make site area safe and to assess surrounding area. Retaining services for period of 1 year as and when needed.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Dependant on the progression of the Project and if any other sinkholes appear in the area in the future.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Following a serious water leak and the appearance of a sinkhole, the existing supplier who had been awarded a contract for an adhoc smaller value services contract (£132k) which had been awarded following an open process (although under PCR threshold for services) was called upon in an emergency to assist the council in geotechnical site investigations to make the area safe. New contract arrangement awarded compliantly under Regulation 32 (2) of PCR Regulations 2015 (as Regulation 72 for a variation was not available as an option due to the new value of £200k).

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

NRW/20340

Title

Geotechnical Site Investigations

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

26 January 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Harrison Group Environmental Limited

12 Kimberley Street

Norwich

NR2 2RJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH - East of England

Companies House

01306165

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Contract awarded compliantly under Regulation 32 (2) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 as an emergency procurement requirement.

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

nplaw

County Hall, Martineau Lane

Norwich

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

any objections will be considered by the council's legal representation, nplaw prior to any further action.