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Contract

Derbyshire Step Down from Residential to Fostering

Derbyshire County Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-009136

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02ab21

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Derbyshire Step Down from Residential to Fostering

Reference number

DN503095

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Council is procuring the service detailed in the specification using a bespoke 'Restricted procedure' under the Light Touch Regime ('LTR') subject to limited regulation and will be conducted in accordance with regulations 74 to 76 PCR 2015.

The Service aim is to increase the number of Derbyshire children with disabilities appropriately placed in local specialist fostering provision to age 18, or beyond. These children may have experienced multiple placement endings and their needs and behaviours will have led to either a placement in residential care or identification as a child on the cusp of residential care. DCC is particularly keen to return to Derbyshire children placed 'at a distance'. The Project will provide high quality specialist foster care that nurtures and supports the children to achieve their full potential. The Provider for an 'all-inclusive' bid price will stabilise placements during volatile or crisis periods by delivering additional and flexible support to the carer and/or placed child.

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: £8,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Service Specific Questions / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Funding Model / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Mobilisation and Delivery Key Points / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Service User Panel / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 10

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

There is an option to extend this contract by up to 2 additional years. The contract is for 4 years with the option to extend a further 2 years, 6 years in total.

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

Restricted 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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2020/S 202-492110

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CS/2020/BAF

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

26 April 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Progress Children's Services Ltd

Wolverhampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £8,000,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Derbyshire County Council

Matlock

Country

United Kingdom