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Contract

MFA for Transport and Land-Use Modelling, Appraisal and Transport Planning Services (2021-2024/5)

Transport Scotland

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02a7de

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

<http://www.transport.gov.scot>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00099

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Transport

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

MFA for Transport and Land-Use Modelling, Appraisal and Transport Planning Services (2021-2024/5)

Reference number

TS/TSA/SER/2021/01

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71311200 - Transport systems consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Transport Scotland on behalf of the Scottish Ministers has identified an on-going need for the services of experienced consultants to carry out services in connection with Transport and Land-Use Modelling and Transport Appraisal and Planning. Transport Scotland, on behalf of the Scottish Ministers, wishes to progress a procurement competition for a Multi-Supplier Framework Agreement. The Framework Agreement, to cover 3 years with a 1-year extension option, will be available for use by Regional Transport Partnerships and other Scottish Government Directorates. The framework will consist of 4 Lots, of which this Award Notice relates to:

- Lot 4 is for Transport Planning Advice.

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: £2,875,000

II.2) Description**II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 71311210 - Highways consultancy services
- 71318000 - Advisory and consultative engineering services
- 71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services
- 71311230 - Railway engineering services
- 71311000 - Civil engineering consultancy services
- 79310000 - Market research services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Lot 4 entails a broad array of transport planning services. Advising upon and auditing the full range of traffic, transport and land-use models and business cases that support transport projects, programmes and policies in accordance with STAG, the Design Manual for Roads and Bridges (DMRB), Governance for Railway Investment Projects (GRIP) and HM Treasury and Transport Scotland guidance on

business cases. The scope embraces national models (TMfS and TELMoS); second-tier models (regional models) and third-tier models (local area models). In addition, advice, audit and appraisal Services are required to support the development of business cases for transport projects and policies. Lot 4 also requires the provision of expert advice on Transport Appraisals undertaken by Transport Scotland and other parties for projects, development plans and policies. Further, this Lot will entail the evaluation of all transport projects in accordance with the appropriate guidance, such as Scottish Trunk Road Infrastructure Project Evaluation (STRIFE); rail projects evaluation and HM

Treasury's Magenta book. In all aspects of Lot 4 Services the Framework Suppliers need to have an awareness of the increasingly wide range of factors and policy drivers influencing the Employer requirements to be able to appraise all transport proposals and evaluate project outcomes against the policy objectives of NTS2.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Assessment was based on tenderer's approach to execution and delivery of services; providing suitable staff; management of resources and risks; innovation; adding value and community benefits. / Weighting: 70%

Cost criterion - Name: Final tenders were assessed against evaluation criteria to determine the most economically advantageous submission. Further information was included in the tender documents. / Weighting: 30%

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 IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

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

Lot 4 - Transport Planning Advice

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 February 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 5

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AECOM

Aurora Building, 7th Floor, 120 Bothwell Street

Glasgow

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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Telephone

+44 1413522360

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Jacobs

95 Bothwell Street

Glasgow

G2 7HX

Telephone

+44 1412438000

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM82 - Glasgow City

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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EDINBURGH

EH2 1DF

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

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- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,875,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,875,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Community Benefits: As per the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014 there is a requirement in this contract for community benefits to

be provided. The appointed Consultants have committed to provide a range of relevant and proportionate benefits including:

- using local facilities for community engagement and providing learning and work experience opportunities for people who are not in education, employment or training;
- engaging with schools across Scotland to raise the profile of transport and climate action through science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) subjects, and promoting careers in transportation, and encouraging safe and sustainable travel; and
- creating new apprentice roles, where possible.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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