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Contract

## **CO-MANAGED SERVICE AGREEMENT WAN, LAN, WLAN & SD-WAN**

NORTHERN GAS NETWORKS LIMITED

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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### **Section I: Contracting entity**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKE42 - Leeds

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.northerngasnetworks.co.uk/>

**I.6) Main activity**

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

CO-MANAGED SERVICE AGREEMENT WAN, LAN, WLAN & SD-WAN

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The scope of this contract encompasses the provision of WAN, LAN, WLAN & SD-WAN managed service.

1. Wide Area Network (WAN) underlay to 16 locations in Yorkshire, North East and Cumbria, Connectivity Amazon Web services through Direct Connect, existing data centre and third-party partner organisations

2. Local Area Network (LAN) both Wired and Wireless at each NGN location replacing the existing managed service provider equipment

3. Software-Defined Wide Area Network (SD-WAN) that compliments NGN application use and security requirements.

#### **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: £2,179,599.93

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE42 - Leeds

Main site or place of performance

NGN's network

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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3. Software-Defined Wide Area Network (SD-WAN) that compliments NGN application use and security requirements.

There is currently no SD-WAN solution in place at NGN, however implementation of the technology is currently being considered. The standard setup for NGN locations is a set of at least two underlay connections in order to ensure redundancy. SD-WAN technology provides benefits even on a single link and is capable of creating overlays utilizing any type of transport.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial term of 3 years + 2x1-year extension provisions.

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

#### **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: [2021/S 000-017796](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Title**

CO-MANAGED SERVICE AGREEMENT WAN, LAN, WLAN & SD-WAN

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

6 April 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,179,599.93

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Northern Gas Networks

Leeds

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

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