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#### Contract

# **Passive Fire Safety Works**

Southampton City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e882

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

Southampton City Council

Civic Centre, Civic Centre Road

Southampton

S0147LY

#### **Email**

procurement@southampton.gov.uk

#### **Telephone**

+44 2380833000

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### **Region code**

UKJ32 - Southampton

### Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

## Internet address(es)

Main address

www.southampton.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

Passive Fire Safety Works

Reference number

DN2764

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 51700000 - Installation services of fire protection equipment

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Southampton City Council (the Authority) has awarded a contract to CLC Contractors Limited via direct award through the Procurement for Housing Fire Safety Works Framework - Lot 7 - Whole House Building Works.

The above framework allows the Authority to complete a call of to the provider on the basis that CLC Contractors Limited are a ranked provider with national coverage and a direct award is permitted on the basis of continuation of service. This route to market has been reviewed and approved by the framework owner. The incumbent provider has a detailed knowledge of our property portfolio and the systems and processes in place to facilitate a smooth transition of services to this new direct award call-off contract. A compliantly awarded contract to our incumbent provider gives us significant added value through agreed contractual terms and benefits from the economies of scale offered via the framework, along with reassurance that the recently awarded framework has tested the market and our incumbent provider continues to be competitive.

The duration of this call of contract is 3 years +1+1 at the sole discretion of the Authority and has a proposed value across the entire potential length of the contract of approximately £15,000,000.

Accordingly, the Authority considers that public procurement law permits the award of a contract without prior publication of a contract notice to be permissible on the grounds of regulation 99(3) of the public contracts regulations 2015.

The standstill period expired at midnight on 10th March 2025.

## 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: £15,000,000

## II.2) Description

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

- 44480000 Miscellaneous fire-protection equipment
- 45343000 Fire-prevention installation works

75251110 - Fire-prevention services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKJ32 - Southampton

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### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### 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 services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

#### Explanation:

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### 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

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## Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

## V.2) Award of contract

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

26 February 2025

### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

**CLC Contractors Limited** 

Unit 2 Northbrook Industrial Estate, Vincent Avenue

Southampton

SO16 6PB

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UKJ32 - Southampton

Companies House

01230435

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £15,000,000

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

This award notice is in relation to VEAT notice 2025/S 000-007472

# VI.4) Procedures for review

## VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom