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Contract

## **Adult Learning - Approved Provider List**

Buckinghamshire Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-010577

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-029879

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

Buckinghamshire Council

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Aylesbury

HP20 1UA

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKJ13 - Buckinghamshire CC

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Education

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Adult Learning - Approved Provider List

Reference number

DN529942

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

- 80400000 - Adult and other education services

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

Services

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

Buckinghamshire Adult Learning (BAL) is a service area within Buckinghamshire County Council (the Council), which has contracts with the Education Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) and the Education Funding Agency (EFA) to deliver training opportunities funded by them. Much of these are directly delivered by BAL but, in order to fully use its Apprenticeship and Adult Education Budget (AEB) allocation and ensure it addresses the key priorities of both the Council and the ESFA, it sub-contracts part of its delivery. This enables it to deliver to target markets and in geographical areas that it would otherwise be unable to reach.

#### **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: £747,000

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

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

- 80400000 - Adult and other education services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ13 - Buckinghamshire CC

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

This is a notice for social and specific services in accordance with Directive 2014/24/EU Article 74'. Buckinghamshire Adult Learning (BAL) is a service area within Buckinghamshire County Council (the Council), which has contracts with the Education Skills Funding Agency (ESFA) and the Education Funding Agency (EFA) to deliver training opportunities funded by them. Much of these are directly delivered by BAL but, in order to fully use its Apprenticeship and Adult Education Budget (AEB) allocation and ensure it addresses the key priorities of both the Council and the ESFA, it sub-contracts part of its delivery. This enables it to deliver to target markets and in geographical areas that it would otherwise be unable to reach.

Funding for each academic year is provided to Buckinghamshire County Council on a yearly basis from the Education Skills Funding Agency. The Council is therefore seeking applications for the Provision of Delivery of Learning Services. The approved list will be based upon the type of programme delivery. The approved list will be in place for the next 3 years, which ends on 31/7/24.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open 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**

Notice number: [2021/S 000-004386](#)

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

### **Contract No**

DN529942

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

23 April 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 13

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

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

Adult Training Network

Unit 3 Triangle Centre 399 Uxbridge Road Southall

Middlesex

UB1 3EJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Baltic Training Services

Baltic House Aycliffe Industrial Estate Newton Aycliffe

County Durham

DL5 6EN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

EMBS Community College

213b Barns Road

Oxford

OX4 3UT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

EYC Global

63-66 Hatton Garden

London

EC1N 8LE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Go Train

Sussex House 21-25 Lower Stone Street Maidstone

Kent

ME15 6YT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Links2Work

1 Montpelier Avenue Ealing

Greater London

W2 5XP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME



Yes

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

Milton Keynes Dons Sport and Education Trust

Stadium MK Stadium Way

Milton Keynes

MK1 1ST

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

The Skills Network

Abbey Court 6-16 Benedict Drive

Selby

YO8 8RY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Train Together Ltd

5 Barnshaw Park Leycroft Road

Leicester

LE4 1ET

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Thera Trust

The West House Alpha Court Swingbridge Road

Grantham

NG31 7XT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

No

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

TRN (Train) Ltd

Endeavour House Colmet Court Queensway South Team Valley Trading Estate

Gateshead

NE11 0EF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £1

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Buckinghamshire Council

Aylesbury

HP19 7FF

Country

United Kingdom