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Contract

Conservation Surveying Services and Architectural Services 2024-2029

Orkney Islands Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UKM65 - Orkney Islands

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.orkney.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00369

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

Conservation Surveying Services and Architectural Services 2024-2029

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71250000 - Architectural, engineering and surveying services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The focus of this procurement will be on the delivery of full and interim quinquennial inspections at the Cathedral, over a period of 5 years after which the procurement of these services will commence again. The intention is to undertake the one-off inspections to other historical properties within the first year or two of the contract. This will provide a clear picture of future commitments to facilitate improved budgeting and planning of works.

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: £163,462

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM65 - Orkney Islands

Main site or place of performance

St Magnus Cathedral and other Heritage properties within Orkney

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

St Magnus Cathedral

Measured survey and delivery of scaled drawings

Full Quinquennial inspection, 2024

Interim Quinquennial inspection, 2029

Up to 4 other heritage properties - Measured surveys as above complete with inspection, report and long term costed plans of work

Undefined architectural services to develop projects potentially from stage 2-4

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Open procedure

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

OIC/PROC/1874 PP560

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 July 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Simpson & Brown

The Old Printworks, 77a Brunswick Street

Edinburgh

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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: £163,462

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Proportion: 10 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Drone surveys and measured surveys

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Orkney Islands Council reserves the right to cancel the procurement at any stage and not award a Contract. The expenditure, work or effort

undertaken by bidders prior to the award of any Contract is accordingly a matter solely for the commercial judgement of bidders.

Late tenders will not be considered by the Council and all questions are to be submitted via the Questions and Answers section of this

contract advertisement on PCS.

An economic operator that suffers, or risks suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland)

regulations 2015 may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or Court of Session.

Tenderers should complete the SPD (Scotland) contained within the SPD Module attached to this notice.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Kirkwall Sheriff Court

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United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Kirkwall Sheriff Court

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VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

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