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Contract

Fire Strategy Consultant Framework for the University of Sunderland

University of Sunderland

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-042bb6

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKC23 - Sunderland

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.sunderland.ac.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/universityofsunderland.aspx/Home>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Fire Strategy Consultant Framework for the University of Sunderland

Reference number

UOS/Fire Strategy Consultant Framework/1123

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71317210 - Health and safety consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The University seeks to develop a framework agreement for Fire Strategy Consultancy services. It is envisaged that 3 consultants will be appointed to the Framework. The specification can be found in Appendix F. Estimated value of this framework is :- £125k per annum. For the purpose of this tender award and any subsequent services which may be connected with the original award we reserve the right to spend a further 25% of the anticipated spend subject to changes in University requirements or changes to legislation. The framework will run for a period of 3 years with an option to extend for a further one year. Any commissions under this contract or framework may be subject to external funding from bodies such as Arts Council, ERDF, Heritage Lottery Fund, LEP etc. and the successful suppliers will be expected to work with the University on any funding applications where appropriate. This list of funding bodies is not exhaustive. Expressions of interest and tender documents are available.

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: £600,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71317210 - Health and safety consultancy services
- 79417000 - Safety consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC23 - Sunderland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Sunderland, Tyne & Wear, and Canary Wharf, London, UK

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

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: Yes

Identification of the project

Fire Strategy Consultant Framework for the University of Sunderland

II.2.14) Additional information

It is anticipated that some projects may be part or fully funded by external streams, including European Union (EU) funding (ERDF/ESIF) and potential research bodies, etc.

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

Fire Strategy Consultant Framework for the University of Sunderland

Title

Fire Strategy Consultant Framework for the University of Sunderland

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

5 April 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 9

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: 9

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 9

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

B-First Fire Safety

Suite 22 The Rufus Centre

Flitwick

MK45 1AH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH24 - Bedford

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

PartB Group Ltd

Pera Business Park Nottingham Road

Melton Mowbray

LE13 0PB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Rider Levett Bucknall UK Limited

11A Platform New Station Street

Leeds

LS1 4JB

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE42 - Leeds

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: £500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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