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Tender

Northumberland Community Leisure and Wellbeing Services

Northumberland County Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-039840

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

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Buyer's address

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

I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

www.procontract.due-north.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.procontract.due-north.com

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

Northumberland Community Leisure and Wellbeing Services

Reference number

DN660862

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 92610000 - Sports facilities operation services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Northumberland County Council (the “Authority”) is inviting tenders from suitable partners who wish to be considered to manage and operate the Authority’s Community Leisure and Wellbeing Services.

The Contract is for the operation of the 10 core Authority owned Facilities detailed below. The Contract also includes a requirement for the Operator to have an Active Communities Partnership role within the County. The Services Specification includes further details of specific facility areas within the Facilities.

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Berwick Sports & Leisure Facility, Berwick

Blyth Sports Centre, Blyth

Concordia Leisure Centre, Cramlington

Morpeth Leisure Centre, Morpeth

Newbiggin Sports & Community Hub, Newbiggin

Ponteland Leisure Centre, Ponteland

Prudhoe Water World, Prudhoe

Wentworth Leisure Centre, Hexham

Willowburn Sport & Leisure Centre, Alnwick

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 98330000 - Physical well-being services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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A bidders day for potential providers is to be held on Wednesday 10th May 2023 at Northumberland County Council Headquarters, County Hall, Morpeth, NE61 2EF. Those expressing an interest in this opportunity are requested to advise of attendance at this day as soon as possible.

Tender documents for this opportunity are available via the ProContract Tender Portal - www.procontract.due-north.com

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality and Social Value / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

120

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Competitive procedure with negotiation

IV.1.5) Information about negotiation

The contracting authority reserves the right to award the contract on the basis of the initial tenders without conducting negotiations

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: [2023/S 000-001445](#)

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

14 July 2023

Local time

12:00pm

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

19 April 2023

IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

The Council uses the Due North ProContract e-tendering portal to conduct the tender process which can be accessed via <https://procontract.due-north.com/Login>. Tenderers need to register on the portal in order to gain access to the tender documents. All communication (including SQ submission responses) must be via the portal.

The Council reserves the right not to award any contract (in whole or part), to cancel or amend the procurement process and do not bind itself to accept any tender. The Council shall not be liable under any circumstances for any costs, charges or expenses incurred by any tenderer or prospective tenderer in responding to this notice or in taking part in this procurement process, irrespective of the outcome of the competition, or if the competition is cancelled or postponed.

Please note all dates, time periods and figures in relation to values and volumes specified in this notice are approximate only and the Council reserves the right to change any or all of them.

The council is conducting this procurement in line with the Concessions Contracts Regulations 2016

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

Courts of Justice, Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom