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Tender

The Supply, Support and Maintenance of Schools Internet Connectivity

Angus Council

F02: Contract notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-012232

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04fb46

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Angus Council

Angus House, Orchardbank Business Park

Forfar

DD8 1AN

Email

Procurement@angus.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 3452777778

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00236

I.3) Communication

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

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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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

The Supply, Support and Maintenance of Schools Internet Connectivity

Reference number

AC-25-006-HDIB

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 72400000 - Internet services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of 2 x 1GB fibre connections to the internet with a /29 IP address on each connection along with a managed router for each connection.

This requirement is for a total of 7 sites as detailed within our Statement of Requirements

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 32412110 - Internet network
- 72410000 - Provider services
- 72411000 - Internet service providers ISP

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

Main site or place of performance

Angus locations as described within our Statement of Requirements

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This new contract opportunity is for the provision of 2 x 1GB fibre connections to the internet with a /29 IP address on each connection along with a managed router for each connection. This will allow us to achieve a 2GB bandwidth per site. These sites being those as detailed below.

Arbroath Academy

Brechin High School

Carnoustie High School

County Buildings (For Forfar Academy)

Monifieth High School

Websters High School

Montrose Academy

This contract is to include the supply, support and maintenance of the new provision for a term as detailed in the “Contract Duration” below.

Initial 3 year contract with 2 x 1year optional extensions making a maximum of 5 years being available to the successful supplier.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 70

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

2 x 12 month optional extensions at discretion of the buyer

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Current contract ends with the incumbent supplier on 18/07/2025

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

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

Date

1 May 2025

Local time

12:30pm

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

English

IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 29 August 2025

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

1 May 2025

Local time

12:30pm

Place

Angus

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3) Additional information

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=793950.

The buyer has indicated that it will accept electronic responses to this notice via the Postbox facility. A user guide is available at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/sitehelp/help_guides.aspx.

Suppliers are advised to allow adequate time for uploading documents and to dispatch the electronic response well in advance of the closing time to avoid any last minute problems.

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see:

<https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/>

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

Community Benefits feature in the Award Questionnaire as a Method Statement Response requirement

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Download the ESPD document here:

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/ESPD/ESPD_Download.aspx?id=793950

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Forfar Sheriff Court

Sheriff Court House, Market Street

Forfar

DD8 3LA

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forfar@scotcourts.gov.uk

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United Kingdom

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www.scotcourts.gov.uk

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

Single Point of Enquiry (SPoE) Scottish Government Procurement and Commercial Division

The Scottish Government, 7th Floor, 5 Atlantic Quay, 150 Broomielaw

Glasgow

G2 8LU

Email

spoeprocurement@gov.scot

Telephone

+44 1412425466

Country

United Kingdom

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

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