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Tender

Wareham Level Crossing – Provision of crossing attendants

Dorset Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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

Buyer's address

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

I.3) Communication

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

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk/>

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

Wareham Level Crossing – Provision of crossing attendants

Reference number

DN525553

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79710000 - Security services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Provision of crossing attendants at Wareham Level Crossing, Dorset.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £360,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 63711000 - Support services for railway transport

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The pedestrian level crossing at Wareham was identified by the Office of Road and Rail (ORR) as needing mitigating safety measures. The provision of crossing attendants/guards was initially viewed as a short-term solution and a contractor was recommended to the then Dorset County Council by Network Rail.

Permanent solutions at the level crossing have been attempted in recent years but did not get the support of the planning authority, previously Purbeck District Council. As a result, the need for crossing attendants to manually open/close the electronic gates at the level crossing still remains as there is currently no suitable alternative route to cross the rail lines that is accessible for all.

Tenders are now being sought for provision of crossing attendants at Wareham Level Crossing for a 3 year contract term.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £360,000

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

Duration in months

36

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 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

9 July 2021

Local time

2:00pm

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

English

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

9 July 2021

Local time

2:10pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Dorset Council

South Walks House

Dorchester

Country

United Kingdom