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Tender

4 year Framework Agreement for Main Building Contractors for New Build Housing

Link Group

New Gorbals Housing Association Ltd

New Gorbals Property Management Ltd

Partick Housing Association Limited

Partick Works Ltd

Glasgow West Housing Association Limited

Paragon Housing Association Ltd

Tollcross Housing Association Limited

Almond Housing Association

Cathcart & District Housing Association Ltd

Shettleston Housing Association Ltd

Trust Housing Association Ltd

Calvay Housing Association Ltd

Cassiltoun Housing Association Ltd.

Govan Housing Association Limited

Queens Cross Housing Association Ltd

Berwickshire Housing Association Ltd

Whiteinch & Scotstoun Housing Association Ltd

Yoker Housing Association

Atrium Homes

Dunbritton Housing Association

Glen Oaks Housing Association

Govanhill Housing Association

Clydebank Housing Association Limited

Hanover Housing Association Limited

Cernach Housing Association Limited

Port of Leith Housing Association Ltd

Linstone Housing Association

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Section I: Contracting authority

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.3) Communication

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

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address.

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://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

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Registered Social Landlord

I.5) Main activity

Housing and community amenities

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

4 year Framework Agreement for Main Building Contractors for New Build Housing

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 45210000 - Building construction work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Link Group intends to enter into a Framework Agreement with a limited number of Building

Contractors to provide construction services for a four year period. This may also include the provision of design and construction services. Link works in partnership with a number of subsidiary companies who will also be entitled to purchase services from the Framework Agreement. The subsidiaries of Link Group Ltd currently include, Link Housing Association Ltd, Link Living, C~urb, Horizon Housing Association Ltd, Larkfield Housing Association Ltd and West Highland Housing Association Ltd. Although it is possible that other organisations may join the Group, becoming subsidiary companies, during the term of the Framework Agreement, and may also wish to "call off" from the Framework.

Link also works in partnership with several external organisations, refer to Section 1.1 of the Contract Notice for further detail, who will also be entitled to purchase services from the Framework Agreement. In addition, it is also intended that any Registered Social Landlord registered and operating in Scotland will be entitled to purchase services from the framework, subject to Link's prior agreement.

There is no guarantee of any work. It is however, more than likely that individual commissions will be "called off" either by direct selection or by mini tendering, within the terms of the Framework Agreement, to identify the most economically advantageous tender.

The Framework Agreement will mainly cover the provision of construction services for new build housing, however individual projects may also include rehabilitation of existing properties, office and commercial properties, extensions and adaptations, and planned maintenance projects.

The projects will range in size, tenure and type from mainstream housing to a variety of special needs projects. The tenure type will cover all affordable tenures, private rented and market sale. Applicants should have experience of projects within the social housing sector for projects between 5 and 500 units including flats, houses and retirement living projects with a mix of tenures.

The location of projects will vary but in the main will be located in the Central Belt of Scotland, Argyll & Bute and Highland, however individual projects may be located in any part of Scotland. The total number of units in each of the geographical areas may vary and specific numbers cannot be guaranteed in any area or in total.

Although individual projects cannot be guaranteed, Link will expect the successful contractors to deliver a high quality and value for money service.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £8,400,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots 6

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Argyll & Bute & Highland Contracts

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45210000 Building construction work
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses
- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Highlands and Argyll & Bute council areas

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

A maximum of thirty two bidding organisations that submit a SPD (Scotland) Document v1.2 response and meet the selection criteria will be invited to submit a tender for the Framework Agreement in accordance with Regulation 66 'Reduction of the number of otherwise qualified candidates to be invited to participate'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality Price 70/30

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Low Value contracts up to 2000000

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45210000 Building construction work
- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Central Belt of Scotland, the Highlands and Argyll & Bute

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

A maximum of thirty two bidding organisations that submit a SPD (Scotland) Document v1.2 response and meet the selection criteria will be invited to submit a tender for the Framework Agreement in accordance with Regulation 66 'Reduction of the number of otherwise qualified candidates to be invited to participate'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating

circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality and Price 70/30

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Low/Medium value contracts 2000001 to 5000000

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 45210000 - Building construction work

- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Central Belt of Scotland, the Highlands and Argyll & Bute

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

A maximum of thirty two bidding organisations that submit a SPD (Scotland) Document v1.2 response and meet the selection criteria will be invited to submit a tender for the Framework Agreement in accordance with Regulation 66 'Reduction of the number of otherwise qualified candidates to be invited to participate'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality Price 70/30

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Medium Value 5000001 to 10000000

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45210000 Building construction work
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses
- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Central Belt of Scotland, the Highlands and Argyll & Bute

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

A maximum of thirty two bidding organisations that submit a SPD (Scotland) Document v1.2 response and meet the selection criteria will be invited to submit a tender for the Framework Agreement in accordance with Regulation 66 'Reduction of the number of otherwise qualified candidates to be invited to participate'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality Price 70/30

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

Medium/High Value 10000001 to 30000000

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45210000 Building construction work
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses
- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Central Belt of Scotland, the Highlands and Argyll & Bute

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality/Price 70/30

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) Description

II.2.1) Title

High Value contracts greater than 30000000

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45210000 Building construction work
- 45211000 Construction work for multi-dwelling buildings and individual houses
- 45211100 Construction work for houses
- 45211300 Houses construction work
- 45211340 Multi-dwelling buildings construction work
- 45211341 Flats construction work

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

Various locations throughout the Central Belt of Scotland, the Highlands and Argyll & Bute

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Link Group Ltd is undertaking the procurement in accordance with Regulation 29, Restricted Procedure and Regulation 34, Framework Agreements of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulation 2015.

A maximum of thirty two bidding organisations that submit a SPD (Scotland) Document v1.2 response and meet the selection criteria will be invited to submit a tender for the Framework Agreement in accordance with Regulation 66 'Reduction of the number of otherwise qualified candidates to be invited to participate'.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contracting Authority could consider extending the Framework under extenuating circumstances.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged minimum number: 8

Maximum number: 32

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Quality Price 70/30

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.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Selection criteria as stated within the procurement documents.

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

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

As stated within the procurement documents.

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 60

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

15 June 2022

Local time

5:00pm

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

4 July 2022

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

Duration in months: 48 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

The SPD will be available and uploaded on the Public Contracts Scotland Postbox from 16

May 2022.

Link Group and its partners to the Framework are committed to the delivery of high quality public services, and recognises that this is critically dependent on a workforce that is well-rewarded, well-motivated, well-led, has access to appropriate opportunities for training and skills development, is diverse and is engaged in decision making. These factors are also important for workforce recruitment and retention, and thus continuity of service. It is therefore expected that appointees to the Framework will adopt fair working practices, which will be further detailed in the SPD.

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

Community enhancement, targeted recruitment and training, promotion of subcontracting opportunities to SMEs and social enterprises, community consultation, community outreach and education opportunities

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The Contracting Authority does not intend to include a sub-contract clause as part of community benefits (as per Section 25 of the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014) in this contract for the following reason:

Contracts under the Framework will be awarded to main contractors who may sub contract elements of the works.

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 Benefit Clauses are contractual requirements which deliver social, economic and

environmental benefits in addition to the primary objectives of the contract. Community Benefits will contribute to Link's social, economic and environmental aspirations and objectives through promoting benefits such as apprenticeships, graduates and new entrant employment, and training opportunities. Delivery of the Community Benefit Clauses will be a mandatory requirement placed on successful Bidders that are awarded individual contracts through the Framework Agreement.

Types of voluntary Community Benefits which Link would like successful Bidders to provide through the Framework Agreement may include, but are not limited to:

- Education support initiatives, including offering school work experience placements;
- Targeted recruitment and training e.g. jobs, training, work experience, job shadowing opportunities, apprenticeships for young persons and unemployed individuals;
- Supported employment for people with disabilities or other disadvantaged groups;
- Promotion of job opportunities through employment agencies and third sector organisations;
- Graduate recruitment:
- Training for existing workforce;

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Falkirk Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

Falkirk

Country

United Kingdom