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Contract

## **2023 Aberdeenshire Children's Services Wrap Around Care**

Aberdeenshire Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-014338

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-039994

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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Aberdeen

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

[https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00232](https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00232)

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

2023 Aberdeenshire Children's Services Wrap Around Care

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Aberdeenshire Council requires a Wrap Around Care Service for Children with additional support needs.

The services to be delivered are:

- Weekend clubs for primary age children.
- Weekend clubs for secondary school age children.
- Holiday playschemes.
- Skills-based workshops.
- Afterschool clubs
- Life skills group.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £3,417,115

### **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Wrap Around Care - North

Lot No

1

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

North Aberdeenshire

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Aberdeenshire Council requires the provision of wrap around care services which provide outcome focused activities for school aged children and young people who have additional support needs.

-Weekend clubs for primary age children.

-Weekend clubs for secondary school age children.

-Holiday playschemes.

-Skills-based workshops.

-Afterschool clubs

-Life skills group.

For the purpose of this contract, the North area covers Banff/Buchan, Peterhead and Fraserburgh

### **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**

The cost noted above is for the initial three year contract period for all three lots, plus two optional 12 month extensions. The duration of the contract is 3+2

years.

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Wrap Around Care - Central

Lot No

2

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

Central Aberdeenshire

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Aberdeenshire Council requires the provision of wrap around care services which provide outcome focused activities for school aged children and young people who have additional support needs.

-Weekend clubs for primary age children.

-Weekend clubs for secondary school age children.

-Holiday playschemes.

-Skills-based workshops.

-Afterschool clubs

-Life skills group.

For the purpose of this contract, Central is considered to include Ellon, Oldmeldrum, Inverurie, Huntly, and Alford and will also be accessible to children and young people in the area.

### **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**

The cost noted above is for the initial three year contract period for all three lots, plus two optional 12 month extensions. The duration of the contract is 3+2

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Wrap Around Care - South

Lot No

3

### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

South Aberdeenshire

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Aberdeenshire Council requires the provision of wrap around care services which provide outcome focused activities for school aged children and young people who have

additional support needs.

- Weekend clubs for primary age children.
- Weekend clubs for secondary school age children.
- Holiday playschemes.
- Skills-based workshops.
- Afterschool clubs
- Life skills group.

For the purpose of this contract, South is considered to include Portlethen, Stonehaven, Laurencekirk, Banchory, Aboyne and will also be accessible to children and young people in the area.

#### **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**

The cost noted above is for the initial three year contract period for all three lots, plus two optional 12 month extensions. The duration of the contract is 3+2

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Form of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.11) Main features of the award procedure**

Open Procedure.

The contract will be awarded using MEAT. Quality to Price ratio is 80:20

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-012341](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Wrap Around Care - North

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

27 March 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0



Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Flexible Childcare Services Scotland

2 York Place

Edinburgh

EH1 3EP

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

**V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,681,562.29

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**Section V. Award of contract**

**Lot No**

2

**Title**

Wrap Around Care - Central

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

**V.2) Award of contract**

**V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

27 March 2024

### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Flexible Childcare Services Scotland

2 York Place

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Telephone

+44 000000

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,220,251.77

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Wrap Around Care - South

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

27 March 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £515,300.94

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

1.The Council shall obtain a Creditsafe credit check and will score bidders accordingly:

71 - 100 Very Low Risk – Accept

51 - 70 Low Risk - Accept

30 - 50 Moderate Risk – subject to further discussion internally with the option to reject.

21-29 High Risk – subject to further discussion internally with the option to reject.

1-20 Very High Risk – Reject.

\*The following applies if no credit check can be undertaken:

2. Please state current turnover (if contract value is over 50% of reported turnover, further discussion will be had internally with the option to reject).

3. If you are under no obligation to publish accounts on Companies House and/or do not have a comprehensive credit rating then provide audited financial accounts for the previous two years. Both quick and current ratios should be a minimum of 1:1.5 for the two successive years. Bidders whose ratios do not meet the minimum criteria will be rejected. Bidders who can provide audited accounts but chose not to do so shall be rejected.

4. Bidders who have been trading for less than one year and cannot provide audited accounts must submit the cash flow for the current year and a letter from the bank outlining the current cash and credit position for the current year and subsequent year.

This will be subject to internal discussion with the option to reject.

5. If bidder still does not meet the financial criteria for consideration but has a parent company that does, the firm may still be eligible for consideration where their submission is supported by a parent company guarantee.

It is a requirement of this contract that bidders hold, or can commit to obtain prior to the commencement of any subsequently awarded contract, the types and levels of insurance indicated below:

Employer's Liability Insurance = GBP10m

Public Liability Insurance = GBP5m

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#### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Aberdeen Sheriff Court

Castle Street

Aberdeen

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Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

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