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Planning

NKDC Arts Service

North Kesteven District Council

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.n-kesteven.gov.uk/

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

NKDC Arts Service

Reference number

DN613360

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 92000000 - Recreational, cultural and sporting services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Management Services to The Hub in Sleaford and Arts Development Service in the district of North Kesteven District Council.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £10,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKF3 - Lincolnshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Contract is intended to be for a Arts Development Service in the district of North Kesteven District Council and management services to The Hub in Sleaford.

The Council has developed a nationally acclaimed, high-quality Arts Services through its long-standing commitment and investment in arts and culture, that offers a robust foundation upon which to build greater levels of community engagement and participation in the arts.

The contract will also include the management of the Hub which includes gallery spaces, retail outlet, commercial lets and cafe. In 2021, the Council completed a £1.27 million refurbishment on The Hub.

The Arts Service, incorporating The Hub has been an Arts Council England National Portfolio Organisation (NPO) since 2015. The Council is seeking a partner to deliver its portfolio of Arts Services, including delivery of the NPO Business Plan, for an initial contract length of 5 years with the option to extend the contract by up to 5 years.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 July 2022

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

If you are interested in the opportunity and wish to express an interest, please email: Tony Mabbott Tony_Mabbott@n-kesteven.gov.uk. All interested organisations will be provided with a copy of the Council's Opportunity Document and offered a site tour to the Hub undertaken by NKDC officers.

It is envisaged that the contract terms will be for an initial period of five (5) years intended to commence 1.4.2023 with the option to extend for five (5) further years up to a maximum contract period of ten (10) years.