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Stray Dog and kennelling Service

Somerset Council

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

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Main address

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Buyer's address

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

Stray Dog and kennelling Service

Reference number

DN697028

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 98380000 - Dog kennel services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Stray dog collection, dog kennelling and rehoming services

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £200,000 / Highest offer: £5,000,000 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Council have a statutory obligation to provide stray dog services including kennelling, collection and rehoming services.

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

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- No tenders or no suitable tenders/requests to participate in response to open procedure
- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
 - absence of competition for technical reasons
- New works/services, constituting a repetition of existing works/services

Explanation:

A previous tender exercise resulted in no suitable bidders. It is a very limited market due to the need to be available to collect stray dogs at short notice which may also be detained under the requirements of the dangerous dogs act. Market testing and prior advertising resulted in no suitable responses, the incumbent suppliers have also been contacted and this has resulted in only one interested party.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract/concession

Contract No

DN697028

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

8 May 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

St Giles Animal Centre Limited

Newport Road

Taunton

TA3 6DJ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKK23 - Somerset

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £200,000 / Highest offer: £500,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

A 10 day standstill period is being applied.

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

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