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# Internal and External Audit Services

Magenta Living

F02: Contract notice

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28 June 2023, 1:00pm

See the change notice.

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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## Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### Region code

UKD7 - Merseyside

## Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.magentaliving.org.uk/

Buyer's address

http://www.magentaliving.org.uk/

# I.3) Communication

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

https://procontract.due-north.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.due-north.com

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Housing and community amenities

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Internal and External Audit Services

Reference number

DN670766

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79212000 - Auditing services

## II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Magenta Living is inviting tenders for the provision of Internal and External Audit services.

The procurement is divided into 2 lots. Bidders can be for one or both lots but can only be appointed onto one Lot

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £600,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 1

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Internal Audit Services

Lot No

1

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

• 79212200 - Internal audit services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD7 - Merseyside

Main site or place of performance

Wirral, Merseyside

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

The provision of Internal Audit Services

The appointed Provider will work in partnership with Magenta Living to deliver continuous improvement through the introduction of internal and external good practice and innovation, adding value through its experience of delivering services of the nature and specialism required, whilst still retaining the responsibility to ensure correct levels of controls, checks and balances to meet the requirements of the Organisation's governance requirements and compliance with the regulatory framework.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery approach / Weighting: 8

Quality criterion - Name: Service delivery team / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Performance Management / Weighting: 4

Quality criterion - Name: approach to review of development programme / Weighting: 18

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 6

Quality criterion - Name: continuous improvement / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: risk management / Weighting: 4

Price - Weighting: 40

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

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

Start date

1 April 2024

End date

31 October 2026

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: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend the contract after the initial 3 year term for up to another 12 months.

#### 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

**External Audit Services** 

Lot No

2

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

79210000 - Accounting and auditing services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD7 - Merseyside

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

**External Audit Services** 

The appointed Provider will work in partnership with Magenta Living to deliver continuous improvement through the introduction of internal and external good practice and innovation, adding value through its experience of the housing sector or suitable equivalent, and elsewhere, whilst still retaining the responsibility to ensure correct levels of controls, checks and balances to meet the requirements of the Organisation governance requirements and compliance with the regulatory framework.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Delivery approach / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: The delivery team / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Management structure / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Continuity of service provision / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Performance management / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Continuous improvement / Weighting: 2.5

Quality criterion - Name: Equality and diversity / Weighting: 2.5

Quality criterion - Name: Risk management / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 40

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

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

Start date

1 November 2023

End date

31 October 2026

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: Yes

Description of options

The contract has the option to extend for up to a further 12 months following the initial 3 year contract period

#### 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

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Local time
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Date
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Local time
1:00pm
See the change notice.
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: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)
IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders  Date
26 June 2023
Local time
1:05pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

Suppliers wishing to submit a tender for this requirement must download and read the ITT documentation via the Magenta Living e-sourcing portal <a href="https://procontract.due-north.com/Register">https://procontract.due-north.com/Register</a>) Project Id: DN670766, and follow instructions for completion and submission of tender responses. You must be registered on the system to be able to respond. You can register, free of charge.

If you have any technical difficulties accessing the information please contact the

ProContract-esourcinghelpdesk on 0330 005 0352 or email Proactis supplier sup

port procontractsuppliers@proactis.com

Award criteria is as stated in the Invitation to Tender documents.

Supplier guidance on how to respond to tenders /download and upload documents / complete your tender return can be found on the Pro-Contract site under the

'Help' button, and via help guides. https://supplierhelp.due-north.com/ProContract

(https://supplierhelp.due-north.com/ProContract) Version3 Help.html?HowtoGuides.html

If you have any technical difficulties accessing the information, please contact the

helpdesk via emailing Proactis Supplier Support at <a href="mailto:procontractsuppliers@proactis.com">procontractsuppliers@proactis.com</a>

Please log any queries regarding this procurement via the e-tendering portal. Direct emails to Magenta Living staff or telephone calls will not be accepted.

Bidders are responsible for ensuring that their Tender has been successfully completed prior to the Tender submission deadline. Tenders must be submitted via the e-tendering portal. Tenders submitted by any other means will not be accepted.

# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Whitehall

London

Country

United Kingdom