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Planning

Northumberland Voluntary & Community Sector Infrastructure Support

Northumberland County Council

F01: Prior information notice

Reducing time limits for receipt of tenders

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02c22b

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

<http://www.northumberland.gov.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

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Northumberland Voluntary & Community Sector Infrastructure Support

Reference number

NCC433 -DN553825

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 75000000 - Administration, defence and social security services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Objective

- 1) Support Northumberland VCS organisations capacity to operate safely and legally
- 2) Improve the confidence and ability of Northumberland VCS organisations to secure funding
- 3) Ensure communications with the voluntary, public and private sectors keep organisations fully informed of key issues and opportunities
- 4) Manage the Northumberland VCS Assembly and promote awareness of VCS issues with Northumberland County Council

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Voluntary and Community Sector (VCS) is a key partner of Northumberland County Council (NCC) in delivering services to support communities across the County.

The budget for this commission is fixed at £100,000 per annum (VAT not applicable for this requirement) based on a 36 month contract.

NCC seeks to commission a contract to deliver infrastructure support services for the period Sept 2021 - Aug 2024. The commission will deliver the strategic aim 'To maintain the continued development of a vibrant, independent and sustainable sector that will work in partnership with NCC and other partners to ensure the best outcomes for individuals and communities of place, interest and identity in Northumberland'

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 20

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

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.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 August 2021

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

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.5) Scheduled date for start of award procedures

27 August 2021

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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