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# **GMCA 716 - Community Grants**

**Greater Manchester Combined Authority** 

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

**Greater Manchester Combined Authority** 

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UKD - North West (England)

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.manchesterfire.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

http://www.manchesterfire.gov.uk/

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

### I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

https://www.the-chest.org.uk/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.the-chest.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

GMCA 716 - Community Grants

Reference number

DN673535

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 80000000 - Education and training services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The GMCA Education, Skills & Work (ESW) directorate are seeking to procure a Managing Agent (MA) to deliver a long-term Community Grants programme (later referred to as 'the Vehicle'). Community based projects will be funded via Community Grants (up to the value of £100k per grant) and delivered by VCSE sector organisations and housing providers working with disadvantaged and/or excluded unemployed and inactive residents (aged 16 and over) for the purpose of enabling their progress towards and skills employment across Greater Manchester.

The Managing Agent will be responsible for all aspects of the grant administering process and will be accountable for the achievement of the outcomes set out in this specification.

For more information on this procurement please visit The Chest at <a href="https://www.the-chest.org.uk">https://www.the-chest.org.uk</a>

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKD - North West (England)

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Capacity / Weighting: 90

Cost criterion - Name: Financial Value for Money / Weighting: 10

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

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

Duration in months

18

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The contract has provision to extend for a further 1+1+1

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

### II.2.12) Information about electronic catalogues

Tenders must be presented in the form of electronic catalogues or include an electronic catalogue

### 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: No

## IV.2) Administrative information

### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

10 July 2023

Local time

12:00pm

### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

10 July 2023

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts Of Justice

London

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

www.theroyalcourtsofjustice.com