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Contract

## **SOL - 17032 - SOL-SCH Discretionary Crisis Fund 2024**

Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

Council House, Manor Square

Solihull

B91 3QB

#### **Email**

[procteam@solihull.gov.uk](mailto:procteam@solihull.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKG32 - Solihull

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.solihull.gov.uk](http://www.solihull.gov.uk)

## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

SOL - 17032 - SOL-SCH Discretionary Crisis Fund 2024

Reference number

SOL - 17032

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Discretionary Crisis Fund 2024  
Lot 1 - Pre-paid meter top-ups  
Lot 2 - White goods  
Lot 3 - Furniture  
Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council (SMBC), Income and Awards operates a discretionary crisis grant scheme for customers who present in financial hardship. This scheme provides basic white goods, furniture and pre-paid meter top-ups to help customers resolve their immediate crisis and live independently in the community. All customers are assessed in accordance with the grant criteria which is available within the ITT documentation, Solihull Community Housing (SCH) operate a similar scheme and will be party to any Contract awarded following the conclusion of this ITT.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £967,000

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Pre-paid meter top-ups

Lot No

1

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

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG32 - Solihull

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

Provision of pre-paid meter top-ups - see procurement documents for further details.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extensions of 2+2 years

### **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**

Lot 2 - White goods

Lot No

2

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

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG32 - Solihull

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

Provision of white goods - see procurement documents for further details.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension of 2+2 years

### **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**

Lot 3 - Furniture

Lot No

3

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

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG32 - Solihull

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

Provision of furniture - see procurement documents for further details.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 40

Cost criterion - Name: As detailed in tender documentation / Weighting: 60

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

Optional extension of 2 + 2 years

### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2023/S 000-033577](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

1

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Discretionary Crisis Fund Lot 1 - Pre-paid meter top-ups

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

6 May 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Charis Grants Ltd

Peterborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH11 - Peterborough

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £264,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £264,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

2

### **Lot No**

2

### **Title**

Discretionary Crisis Fund Lot 2 - White goods

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

8 April 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Borshch Ltd

Birmingham

Country



United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG31 - Birmingham

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £299,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £299,000

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

3

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Discretionary Crisis Fund Lot 3 - Furniture

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

25 March 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Furniture Resource Centre Ltd

Liverpool

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD72 - Liverpool

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £404,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £404,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Solihull Metropolitan Borough Council

Council House, Manor Square

Solihull

B91 3QB

Country

United Kingdom