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Award

Clarion Futures Household Grant Fulfilment

Clarion Housing Group

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The <u>previous version</u> is still available.

Please note that the annual value is £535,000. Totalling a maximum of around £2,675,000 for five years.

Scope

Reference

C1167

Description

Household voucher fullfilment. Clarion require a supplier to provide a fulfilment solution for our household grant awards to residents by authorised Clarion staff; ordering via a digital portal. Vouchers including fuel and food vouchers to digital devices and household item.

Contract 1. Household Grant/Vouchers Fulfilment

Suppliers

Supplier not yet selected

Contract value

- £416,666 excluding VAT
- £500,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

1 July 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

• 4 August 2025 to 3 August 2028

- Possible extension to 3 August 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Two 12 months extensions

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79900000 Miscellaneous business and business-related services
- 75200000 Provision of services to the community

Contract locations

- UKC North East (England)
- UKD North West (England)
- UKF East Midlands (England)
- UKG West Midlands (England)
- UKH East of England
- UKJ South East (England)
- UKK South West (England)

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Other information

Description of risks to contract performance

Risk of not having competative pricing.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Switching to direct award

Clarion is purchasing repeat services and goods from the existing supplier, Charis. No other company can provide such a wide variety of vouchers. Charis offers everything from fuel and food vouchers to digital devices and household items. Given this wide variety, it makes sense for Clarion to continue with Charis as a supplier. This justifies a direct award under the Procurement Act 2023, as Charis appears to be the only supplier capable of meeting such diverse needs.

Contracting authority

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