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Tender

23FND004 Climate Action Fund - Support Partners

Big Lottery Fund, operating as The National Lottery Community Fund

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.tnlcommunityfund.org.uk>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://tnlcommunityfund.bravosolution.co.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://tnlcommunityfund.bravosolution.co.uk>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

23FND004 Climate Action Fund - Support Partners

Reference number

23FND004

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The National Lottery Community Fund are seeking to commission a supplier(s) to facilitate and deliver support and learning services across the Climate Action Fund grant holders.

The three strands are based on what we believe require distinct activities, skills and expertise to deliver, but we recognise their interdependent relationship and that they do not sit in isolation from each other. It will be down to the supplier(s) who bid for the work as to how they feel best to deliver the needs of the ITT. We anticipate that the first strand (Enable) is the key/integral part of the overall delivery of the contract, from which the other strands (Inform and Inspire) will 'hang'.

ENABLE - Build the capacity of CAF grant holders to undertake more impactful community led climate change

INFORM - Generate and facilitate evidence and learning about community led climate action which will support grant holders and progress towards the CAF vision

INSPIRE - Create and curate a collective voice to inspire and encourage more and more communities across the UK to take climate action

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £4,580,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 73100000 - Research and experimental development services
- 73300000 - Design and execution of research and development

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The National Lottery Community Fund is seeking to procure a suitable supplier(s) to facilitate and deliver support and learning across the Climate Action Fund grant holders.

The Climate Action Fund is a 10 year £100m commitment (202-2030) to support communities across the UK to take action on climate. CAF aims to deliver community-led climate action to those who need it most. It's vision is to empower and inspire people in local communities across the UK to take positive action of climate and ecological emergencies. These communities will demonstrate what is possible when people take the lead in tackling climate change, helping those around them to thrive, improving equity and responding to inter-sectional issues. They work together, share their learning and are active participants in a broader movement of change.

CAF aims to support projects that will have a legacy beyond our funding and that, where relevant, are able to point towards longer-term systematic change. The programme also aims to encourage and inspire more and more people across the UK via the funded projects and the activities and work they deliver, to take climate action in their own communities and providing them with the tools to do so.

The procured supplier(s) will aim to:

1. To enable the funded projects to network and collaborate with one another, help them to identify ways in which to share their activities and learning, both individually and collectively, and engage, inspire and enable other communities to play their part. The successful supplier(s) will work with the projects to build their skills, capacity and knowledge to enable them to deliver impactful community led climate action.

2. To work closely with the projects to generate and facilitate evidence about community led action. We hope evidence generated from the programme will remove barriers, create opportunities for cross sector collaboration and unlock further investment for community led climate action.

3. To support projects to develop ambitious, creative and strategic programme of communications which will provide inspiration to further community led climate action. This strand of work will also involve targeted design and dissemination of learning and evidence generated by the programme about community led climate action to reach grant holders and wider audiences.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £4,580,000

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

Duration in months

80

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: Yes

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted 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

19 July 2023

Local time

3:00pm

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

4 September 2023

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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Royal Court of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom