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Contract

## **Digital Preservation and Storage Service**

Dorset Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0329b4

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

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

Dorset Council

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Dorchester

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.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**

Digital Preservation and Storage Service

Reference number

DN591649

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

- 72000000 - IT services: consulting, software development, Internet and support

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

Services

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

The delivery of a digital preservation and storage service for Council archives. Dorset Council's Dorset History Centre is dedicated to collecting and preserving the rich heritage of Dorset and looks after council records as well as personal collections for Dorset Council, Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council. Dorset Council is acting as the lead procurer of the service on behalf of a consortium of other local authorities. The list of current partners is:

Dorset History Centre

West Sussex Record Office

Wiltshire & Swindon History Centre

Oxfordshire History Centre

Staffordshire Archives

Berkshire Record Office

Kent Archives

Birmingham Archives

Portsmouth City Council

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £359,525

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

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

Dorset Council is seeking a provider to deliver a digital preservation and storage service for its archives. The Council's Dorset History Centre is dedicated to collecting and preserving the rich heritage of Dorset and looks after council records as well as personal collections for Dorset Council, Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 60

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

At the end of the initial contract period, there is an option to extend the contract for a further two-year term.

### **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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Notice number: [2022/S 000-008985](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

24 May 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

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**

Preservica Ltd

32 The Quadrant, Abingdon Science Park

Abingdon

OX14 3YS

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

Internet address

<https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk>

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £359,525

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Dorset Council

County Hall, Colliton Park

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