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Tender

Community Engagement & Behaviour Change in Relation to Avenues Plus Project - Block S

Glasgow City Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

www.glasgow.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0019

I.3) Communication

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

http://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

http://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.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

Community Engagement & Behaviour Change in Relation to Avenues Plus Project - Block S

Reference number

GCC005385CPU

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 73110000 - Research services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Glasgow City Council is seeking to appoint a suitably qualified lead consultant to manage a multi-disciplinary team to carry out community engagement and behaviour change activities to inform a design contract the focus of which is the implementation of active travel solutions in four Glasgow locations. More information is available in the accompanying High-Level Scope of Requirements document.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £540,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 73110000 Research services
- 71311000 Civil engineering consultancy services
- 71311200 Transport systems consultancy services
- 71311300 Infrastructure works consultancy services
- 71530000 Construction consultancy services
- 73000000 Research and development services and related consultancy services

- 73200000 Research and development consultancy services
- 73210000 Research consultancy services
- 75200000 Provision of services to the community
- 79416200 Public relations consultancy services
- 98133100 Civic betterment and community facility support services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKM82 - Glasgow City

Main site or place of performance

Glasgow City

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Glasgow City Council is seeking to appoint a suitably qualified lead consultant to manage a multi-disciplinary team to carry out community engagement and behaviour change activities to inform a design contract the focus of which is the implementation of active travel solutions in four Glasgow locations.

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: £540,000

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

Duration in months

51

This contract is subject to renewal

No

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Envisaged number of candidates: 6

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

It is anticipated that the 6 highest scoring bidders will be invited to tender, where 6 bidders can be identified as having met the minimum

criteria for consideration.

Where there is a score differential of less than 2% between the sixth placed bidder and subsequent ranking bidders, those lower ranking

bidders will also be shortlisted and invited to tender, up to a maximum of 8 bidders in total. Only if there is a tie at 8 bidders will more than 8 bidders be invited to tender as all the tied bidders will be invited to tender.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

II.2.14) Additional information

Economic operators may be excluded from this competition if they are in any of the situations referred to in regulation 58 of the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015.

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

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.2) Contract performance conditions

As specified in the Invitation to Tender.

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

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: Yes

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2021/S 000-012143</u>

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

Date

30 August 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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

1 October 2021

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: 4 (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.3) Additional information

At SPD stage:

- 1) Health & Safety the H&S Questionnaire is in the attachments section of PCS-T. Bidders must complete the H&S Questionnaire as part of their SPD submission. Responses to the H&S Questionnaire will be evaluated as pass/fail.
- 2) Quality Assurance and Environmental Management Standards SPD Questions 4D.1, 4D1.1, 4D1.2, 4D2.1 & 4D2.2: bidders must hold the certificates or comply with the questions noted in Section 4D of the SPD Statements document. Evidence will be requested at the Request for Document stage of the evaluation (see item 10 below) and will be requested only of the preferred bidder. The submission of this evidence is mandatory and will be evaluated as a pass/fail.
- 3) Applicants who do not comply with the financial requirements as stated in the Invitation to Participate document but are part of a Group, can provide a Parent Guarantee if the Parent company satisfies the financial requirements stipulated. A Parent Company Guarantee form is included in the attachments area of PCS-T should this be required.
- 4) Freedom of Information Act Information on the FOI Act is contained in Appendix A of the Invitation to Participate document.

Applicants must note the implications of this legislation and ensure that any information they wish the council to consider withholding is specifically indicated on the FOI Certificate contained in the attachments area within the PCS-T portal (NB the council does not bind itself to withhold this information).

If the bidder is successful to be taken forward to ITT stage, the following will be required at ITT stage:

- 5) Collateral warranties may be required. This will be detailed at ITT stage.
- 6) Tenderers Amendments The tenderer must enter any clause, condition, amendment to specification or any other qualification he may wish to make conditional to their offer. Bidders will be required to complete the tenderers amendment certificate contained in the attachment area within PCS-T portal.
- 7) Prompt Payment The successful tenderer shall, as a condition of being awarded the tender, be required to demonstrate to the council's satisfaction that all funds due to the tenderer's permitted sub-contractors in respect of these services are paid timeously and that as a minimum invoices rendered by subcontractors shall (unless formally disputed by the tenderer) be paid within 30 days of receipt. Bidders will be required to complete the prompt payment certificate contained in the attachment area within PCS-T portal.
- 8) Bidders will be required to complete the Non-Collusion certificate contained in the attachments area within the PCS-T portal.
- 9) Bidders will be required to complete an FoI certificate at ITT stage (as well as SPD stage as detailed in item 3 above).
- 10) Request for Documentation: Once the Evaluation of Price & Quality is complete, the recommended Bidder will be expected to provide all documentation as specified in the SPD. When the Request for Documentation is made, Bidders must supply the relevant information within 3 working days. Failure to provide this information within the specified time may result in your bid being rejected and the Council proceeding with the procurement exercise to the next appropriate bidder.
- 11) Terms and conditions for this contract will be Glasgow City Council consultancy terms and conditions. Full details at ITT stage.

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this PQQ exercise. The Project code is 19232. For more information see:

http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343

A sub-contract clause has been included in this contract. For more information see: http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2363

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see: http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2361

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

As detailed in the Invitation to Tender.

(SC Ref:661194)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Glasgow Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court

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Glasgow

G5 9DA

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www.scotcourts.gov.uk