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Contract

HUMAN REMAINS AND EMERGENCY EXCAVATION 20121

Historic Environment Scotland

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM - Scotland

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://historicenvironment.scot

Buyer's address

 $\underline{https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search} \underline{AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0016}$

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Non Departmental Government Body

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Conservation, Built Environment and Tourism

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

HUMAN REMAINS AND EMERGENCY EXCAVATION 20121

Reference number

HES/C/4083

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71351914 - Archaeological services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This contract is for rapid-reaction small-scale investigation and post-excavation work after unexpected discoveries of human remains or after Historic Environment Scotland (HES) has received reports of new or accelerated threats at known sites of human remains. The call off may also be used where an immediate and obvious threat to a vulnerable archaeological site of high significance has been identified, and there is no other tenable alternative. The contract requires reporting to a standard archive level for each call out.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £69,802 / Highest offer: £125,213 taken into consideration

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 71351914 - Archaeological services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

· UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Criterion / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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 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: 2021/S 000-004572

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

HES/C/4083

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

27 July 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

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: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AOC Archaeology Group

Edgefield Industrial Estate, LOANHEAD,, Midlothian

Loanhead

EH20 9SY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKM73 - East Lothian and Midlothian

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £69,802 / Highest offer: £125,213 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Please refer to all the documents within this notice. It is important that you complete and return all the required documents and that the Single Procurement Document is completed online.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Edinburgh Sheriff Court & Justice of the Peace Court

Sheriff Clerks Office, 27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom