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Contract

## **HCC Dec 2023 – The Provision of Advocacy Services for Adults in Hertfordshire**

Hertfordshire County Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-0426e1

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

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

Hertfordshire County Council

Farnham House, Six Hills Way

STEVENAGE

SG1 2FQ

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKH23 - Hertfordshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.hertfordshire.gov.uk](http://www.hertfordshire.gov.uk)

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/supplyhertfordshire/asp/Home>

**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**

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Reference number

HCC2315192

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

- 85300000 - Social work and related services

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

Services

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

Hertfordshire County Council (hereinafter referred to as the Council), went out to procurement for the Provision of Advocacy Services for Adults in Hertfordshire. This is an Award Notice and this opportunity has now closed. Please see Section V (Award of Contract) for further details.

#### **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: £6,000,000

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85300000 - Social work and related services
- 85312000 - Social work services without accommodation

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

NUTS codes

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

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

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Options: Yes

Description of options

Option to extend the initial Contract period for further period(s) of up to two (2) years, at the Council's sole discretion.

#### **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: Yes

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

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-037299](#)

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

### **Contract No**

HCC2315192

### **Title**

The Provision of Advocacy Services for Adults in Hertfordshire

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

11 June 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 3

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**

POhWER

Suite 4 Middlesex House, Meadway Corporate Centre

Stevenage

SG1 2EF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH23 - Hertfordshire

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £6,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £6,000,000

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.4) Procedures for review**

**VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court, Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

High Court, Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

**VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

High Court, Royal Courts of Justice

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom