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#### Tender

# Maintenance, repair and inspection of grounds maintenance plant and equipment.

Belfast City Council

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# Section I: Contracting authority

# I.1) Name and addresses

Belfast City Council

9 Adelaide Street

Belfast

BT2 8DJ

Email

cps@belfastcity.gov.uk

#### Country

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKN - Northern Ireland

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.belfastcity.gov.uk

# **I.3)** Communication

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

#### www.e-sourcingni.bravosolution.co.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

#### www.e-sourcingni.bravosolution.co.uk

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

# 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

Maintenance, repair and inspection of grounds maintenance plant and equipment.

Reference number

T2481

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 50530000 - Repair and maintenance services of machinery

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

This ITT has been issued by the Council in connection with a competitive procurement being conducted in accordance with the Regulations.

The Council invites Tenders from suitably qualified and experienced economic operators 'Bidders' for the provision of a comprehensive maintenance, repair and inspection service of a wide range of grounds maintenance equipment.

This ITT sets out the information which is required by the Council to assess the suitability of Bidders' experience, organisational and financial standing to meet the ITT requirement. In addition to this, quality, social value, and pricing proposals will also be assessed before any contract award is made.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

# **II.2) Description**

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKN06 - Belfast

Main site or place of performance

Belfast City Council area

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

This Contract is for the provision of a comprehensive maintenance, repair and inspection service of a range of grounds maintenance equipment for the Council.

The Service shall ensure that all applicable equipment is maintained, repaired and inspected as required to ensure they are of a safe and satisfactory standard for the

purpose for which they are intended.

The Service shall include, but not limited to, the following aspects:

inspection, safety checks, servicing, workshop repair, on-site repair, standby arrangements, preparation of service schedules, maintenance of work records, provision of safe custody, care and insurance of equipment whilst waiting for, during and after repair, service or maintenance work, or awaiting collection from same.

#### 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: £1,000,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Contract shall be effective from the date of award of Contract for an initial period of 3years.

The Council reserves the right to extend/renew the Contract up to a further 2 years. Any extension may be subject to further approval by Council Committee, availability of funding and satisfactory performance of the Contractor.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

**Options: Yes** 

Description of options

The Contract shall be effective from the date of award of Contract for an initial period of 3years.

The Council reserves the right to extend/renew the Contract up to a further 2 years. Any extension may be subject to further approval by Council Committee, availability of funding and satisfactory performance of the Contractor.

The Council reserves the right to add the following additional requirements to the Service under this Contract during the Contract Period: -

Other equipment/vehicle/plant maintenance, repair or servicing services provided the Contractor has the capacity and capability to do so.

Additional equipment or types of equipment not currently listed in Annexe 1.

Introduce required changes associated with the Service to the Specification to accommodate changes to the Council's operational model and working practices e.g. functional re-structuring, new customer hub, etc;

Large scale projects or changes may be subject to price negotiation based on economies of scale. The Council reserves the right to explore/ use other procurement options in all circumstances where VFM is not demonstrated.

The Council reserves the right to add or remove equipment from the Contract in line with the Council's requirements. Where the Council identifies an additional equipment to be added, the Contractor will be expected to price based on similar equipment/ service tasks priced in the Pricing Schedule.

Any contract variation may be subject to further Council internal approvals and be in accordance with the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations.

#### 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

Values included in this notice include for potential options and future price rises in line with market conditions.

# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

# III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

As stated in the procurement documents.

#### 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 stated in the procurement documents.

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

Date

2 August 2024

Local time

12:00pm

#### 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: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

2 August 2024

Local time

12:30pm

Place

via esourcing NI

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

#### VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Royal Courts of Justice

Belfast

Country

United Kingdom