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Contract

Specialist Pressure Part Pipework

Wolverhampton City Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03e9e2

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.wolverhampton.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

Specialist Pressure Part Pipework

Reference number

ON 16150183

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 44160000 - Pipeline, piping, pipes, casing, tubing and related items

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

As part of the Council's annual outage to undertake repairs and maintenance of it's Energy from Waste plant, there is a need to purchase specialist pressure part pipework.

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: £246,510

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKG39 - Wolverhampton

Main site or place of performance

Energy from Waste Plant

Crown Street

Wolverhampton.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

As part of the Council's annual outage to undertake repairs and maintenance of it's Energy from Waste plant, there is a need to purchase specialist pressure part pipework.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- Extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable for the contracting authority

Explanation:

Regulation 32(2)(c) of the Public Contract Regulations 2015 allows direct award:-

'insofar as is strictly necessary where, for reasons of extreme urgency brought about by events unforeseeable by the contracting authority, the time limits for the open or restricted procedures or competitive procedures with negotiation cannot be complied with.'

The Council assumed direct operation of the EFW after the unexpected collapse of negotiations with the operator in late January. The 'outage period' is set by reference to what is necessary to comply with the plants permit from the Environment Agency issued under Environmental Protection Act and subsidiary regulations. The equipment and services required during the outage are of a specialist nature with a limited number of potential suppliers at any time. The lead in times for such equipment and specialist contractors are considerable and planning for the outage and engaging the market commenced in mid 2022, prior to the Council having responsibility for the plant.

The interim operator, as professional advisors and operators have advised that:-

- unless orders are placed urgently with each of the suppliers listed the necessary works cannot be undertaken in the scheduled outage period and
- the plant would have to cease operation until the works are rescheduled, probably not until mid 2024 and the conditions of the Environmental Permit would not be complied with.

Therefore the award of the attached contracts satisfied the legal requirements of PCR32(2)(c) .

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

ON 16150183

Title

Specialist Pressure Part Pipework

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

27 April 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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31-32 Industrial House, Maybrook Road

Walsall

WS8 7DG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG38 - Walsall

Companies House

01164808

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £246,510

Total value of the contract/lot: £246,510

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

City of Wolverhampton City Council, Democratic Services

Wolverhampton

Country

United Kingdom