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Contract

The Boleyn Trust - School Catering

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F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041a68

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

The Boleyn Trust

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London

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Email

tenders@matriculateconsulting.co.uk

Telephone

+44 7896876942

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKI - London

Companies House

10488603

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.matriculateconsulting.co.uk

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Education

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

The Boleyn Trust - School Catering

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 55524000 - School catering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Boleyn Trust has eight high performing schools based in Newham and Tower Hamlets. It also includes an established highly renowned teaching school.

The Trust is looking for contractors to demonstrate their experience and expertise to manage the catering services across its member primary academies, and to provide high quality hospitality services to the Trust and the Teaching School.

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: £5,700,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKI - London

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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The Trust is looking for contractors to demonstrate their experience and expertise to manage the catering services across its member primary academies, and to provide high quality hospitality services to the Trust and the Teaching School.

The schools included in this exercise are:

- Shaftesbury Primary School
- Cleves Primary School
- New City Primary School
- Ravenscroft Primary School
- Rosetta Primary School
- Tollgate Primary School
- Monega Primary School
- Clara Grant Primary School

Further schools may join the Trust and contract during the contract term, following a due diligence process.

Services are currently provided by three different caterers

Each school retains its own ethos and independence - all with high expectations for the outcomes of their pupils. Demographics amongst the academies differ, therefore a flexible service provision is required to meet the differing needs of each academy.

Historically, in addition to Universal Free School Meals (UIFSM) Newham was one of only three local authorities in the country to provide free school meals to junior pupils. Funding for Junior School Meal is currently being funded by the London Mayor. It is therefore expected that the caterer will focus on ensuring every pupil takes advantage of their free school meal allowance.

In order to ensure competition, transparency and value for money, this procurement will be conducted in accordance with the Light Touch regime (LTR) as implemented in the UK by the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or as may be amended.

Timetable

This timetable is indicative only. The Contracting Authorities reserve the right to change it at its discretion.

Submission of completed SQs 5th January 2024

Notification of result of evaluation 12th January 2024

Publish Invitation to Tender 12th January 2024

Site Visits/Tender Meeting 16th January 2024

Deadline for tender submissions 16th February 2024

Presentation for Shortlisted Bidders 17th April 2024

Contract Start Date 1st September 2024

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Price - Weighting: 30

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

30 June 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Cater Link Ltd

Reading

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UKJ1 - Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire

Companies House

03732298

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: £5,700,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £5,700,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Body

London

Country

United Kingdom