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Office Refurbishment Cat A (leading to Cat B) for new Business Cyber Centre in Wiltshire

SWINDON AND WILTSHIRE LOCAL ENTERPRISE PARTNERSHIP LIMITED

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Office Refurbishment Cat A (leading to Cat B) for new Business Cyber Centre in Wiltshire

II.1.2) Main CPV code

45453100 - Refurbishment work

II.1.3) Type of contract

Works

II.1.4) Short description

Swindon and Wiltshire Local Enterprise Partnership (SWLEP) are looking to procure a Contractor to carry out strip out, refurbishment and internal alteration works to an existing premises in Chippenham which will house the BCC. These works will be tendered and awarded according to a specified two stage, design and build programme. Documents related to Stage 1 works can be found in the link provided in the tender notice. SWLEP retains the right to enter into commercial dialogue with the successful Stage 1 Contractor for Stage 2 of the fit out works. SWLEP was awarded £9.7m from the Getting Building Fund (GBF) for a wide-ranging package of projects that will deliver a much-needed boost to the local economy. GBF funds will deliver key science and innovation projects in the cyber, life sciences, environmental and digital technologies sectors. These are new projects that will bring public and private sector investment over the next two years, at a critical time for the region as it looks to recover from the impacts of Covid-19. The three projects bring together academic research with industry expertise to drive growth and jobs in the region and build the UK's knowledge and resilience in these key sectors of the economy. The Business Cyber Centre (BCC) will help close the cyber skills gap driving growth through an academy, employment hub and a cyber response team. The BCC will be the first business-led cyber centre and will look to support SMEs ranging from the high street florist and butcher through to SMEs developing and delivering cyber products and services for the benefit of business, citizens and UK plc.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: 2021/S 000-020672

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.2) Other additional information

To aid with the tender process, SWLEP, along with its project managers, will be hosting an open day at the proposed site on Wednesday 8th September. 45 minute visiting slots will be available from 1000. To book an appointment, please email your request to tom.marshall@swlep.co.uk with name/s, email address/es and phone number/s of those intending to attend. Your appointment will be confirmed directly by SWLEP. Please do not attend site unless you have had confirmation of an appointment time from SWLEP or one of its partners.

Any questions regarding the project will need to be submitted in writing to tom.marshall@swlep.co.uk by 1700 on Friday 10th September 2021. Anonymised responses to these questions will be publicised on the Find a Tender portal. No questions will be answered verbally during visits to ensure a fair tender process for all.

SWLEP and its partners will be following government guidelines concerning COVID-19 as a minimum. Hand sanitiser will be available upon entry to the premises, and we ask that face coverings are worn for the safety of all, other than for those who are medically exempt.