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Tender

Sefton Council Passenger Transport Framework Agreement

Sefton Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UKD - North West (England)

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.sefton.gov.uk/

Buyer's address

http://www.sefton.gov.uk/

I.3) Communication

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

https://procontract.due-north.com

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://procontract.due-north.com

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

Sefton Council Passenger Transport Framework Agreement

Reference number

DN568386

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Sefton Council are prepared to receive tenders to be included on a Framework of contractors, for the provision of hired passenger transport services (bus, mini-bus, coach, taxi and private hire) to Sefton Council and its establishments. The majority of journeys will take place within Sefton, although, on occasions, routes may start in Sefton but travel out of the borough, or visa versa.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £52,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 4

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKD - North West (England)

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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The resulting Framework Agreement's use is not restricted to Sefton MBC; it is open to be used by the Liverpool City Region (LCR) Authorities and their establishments. (to include Liverpool CC, St Helens MBC, Halton MBC, Knowsley MBC, Wirral MBC and Merseytravel). The period of the contract will be 2yrs plus an option to extend for 2 x 12 month periods, commencing 1st January 2022, upon the terms and conditions set out in the attached documents.

The Travel Support Team is charged by commissioning departments of Sefton Council with delivering passenger transport to those service users eligible to receive this service.

Each bidder will be asked to submit a cost per mile for a vehicle in any or all of 4 Lots;

0 to 5 seater, 6 to 8 seater, 9 to 16 seater and 17+seater vehicles make up the 4 lots.

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: £52,000,000

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

End date

31 December 2022

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Either after 24,36 or 48 months depending on if optional extension periods are taken.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

There are 2 x 12 months options available to take following completion of the 24 month core period

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

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

11 October 2021

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: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

11 October 2021

Local time

12:05pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: In either 24,36 or 48 months depending on whether optional years are taken

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Sefton Council

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Country

United Kingdom