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Contract

Energy Efficiency Consultancy and Programme Management (SBC/2021 -0906)

Scottish Borders Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02df59

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Scottish Borders Council

Council Headquarters

Newtown St Boswells

TD6 0SA

Contact

Ewan Forrest

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.scotborders.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00394

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

Energy Efficiency Consultancy and Programme Management (SBC/2021 -0906)

Reference number

SBC/2021 -0906)

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71314200 - Energy-management services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Council are engaging with this supplier, who are a collaborative partner for Scottish Borders Council, to provide consultancy and to manage the the Energy Efficient Scotland Area Based Scheme Home programme for private sector households.

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: £249,993.38

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71314200 - Energy-management services
- 71314300 - Energy-efficiency consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

Main site or place of performance

Delivering in homes throughout the Scottish Borders.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Changeworks is uniquely placed to provide objective support towards the development of energy specific elements of housing strategy, investment and advice. The current arrangement with Changeworks allows the Housing Strategy Team access to a network of expertise, including technical support, statistical analysis, advice, communications, and behaviour change and policy development. There are other benefits, such as Changeworks being an impartial organisation able to carry out research and gather householder feedback on Council led energy efficiency projects.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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

The relationship between the Council and Changeworks has allowed the Council's energy efficiency objectives to be met and has been a significant factor in achieving the levels of funding coming down to the Borders, without which the Council does not have the skills nor capacity to undertake this alone.

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:

Changeworks are a collaborative partner in the delivery of the Energy Efficient Scotland Area Based Scheme Home for private sector households.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

SBC/Ref No 2021 - 0906

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 September 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Changeworks

36 Newhaven Road

Edinburgh

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

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: £249,993.38

Total value of the contract/lot: £249,993.38

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The Council has used its emergency powers to award this contract directly without seeking competition to meet the time critical demand for this service.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Jedburgh Sheriff Court and Justice of the Peace Court Sheriff Court House

Castlegate

Jedburgh

TD8 6AR

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<http://www.scotborders.gov.uk>