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Tender

Collection, Storage and Redelivery of Household Belongings Framework Agreement

Aberdeen City Council Aberdeenshire Council The Highland Council

F02: Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

 $\underline{https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0023}\\1$

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.1) Name and addresses

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.3) Communication

Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

https://www.publictendersscotland.publiccontractsscotland.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

Collection, Storage and Redelivery of Household Belongings Framework Agreement

Reference number

000-ATDF2262

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 63121000 - Storage and retrieval services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Aberdeen City Council, Aberdeenshire Council and The Highland Council are collaborating together to tender their requirements for collection, storage and redelivery of household belongings. Suppliers are invited to tender for 1, 2 or all 3 Council organisations.

This tender is therefore being advertised on behalf of, Aberdeen City Council, Aberdeenshire Council and The Highland Council.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £840,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Aberdeen City Council

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34130000 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods
- 63121000 Storage and retrieval services
- 63120000 Storage and warehousing services
- 44614100 Storage bins
- 44613400 Storage containers
- 63121100 Storage services
- 39173000 Storage units
- 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

Aberdeen City

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberdeen City Council is legally obliged to provide assistance with the removal, transfer and storage of household belongings for people experiencing homelessness. There are a significant number of customers who require this service, sometimes for an unspecified amount of time.

Under this framework agreement the Contractor shall provide short and long-term storage solutions.

Aberdeen City Council require a single Contractor to uplift belongings within a property; all furniture items, white goods, fixture/fittings and any other household item (this list is not exhaustive) and deliver to/from properties, with capacity to conduct requests where specified within 48 hours of request.

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: £226,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possibility of extending by up to 12 months

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

This requirement is being tendered along with the same requirements for Aberdeenshire and the Highland Council. Suppliers are able to tender for all 3 if they have the resource to do so.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 2 - Aberdeenshire Council – North (Banff & Buchan and Buchan)

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 63121000 Storage and retrieval services
- 34130000 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods
- 63120000 Storage and warehousing services
- 44614100 Storage bins
- 44613400 Storage containers
- 63121100 Storage services
- 39173000 Storage units
- 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

Aberdeenshire - Banff & Buchan and Buchan

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberdeenshire Council is legally obliged to provide assistance with the removal, transfer and storage of household belongings for people experiencing homelessness. There are a significant number of customers who require this service, sometimes for an unspecified amount of time.

Under this framework agreement the Contractor shall provide short and long-term storage solutions.

Aberdeenshire Council require a single Contractor to uplift belongings within a property; all furniture items, white goods, fixture/fittings and any other household item (this list is not exhaustive) and deliver to/from properties, with capacity to conduct requests where specified within 48 hours of request.

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: £130,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Possible extension for up to 12 months

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

This requirement is being tendered along with the same requirements for Aberdeen City and the Highland Council. Suppliers are able to tender for all 3 if they have the resource to do so.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 3 - Aberdeenshire Council - South (Formartine, Garioch, Marr and Kincardine &

Mears)

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34130000 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods
- 63121000 Storage and retrieval services
- 63120000 Storage and warehousing services
- 44614100 Storage bins
- 44613400 Storage containers
- 63121100 Storage services
- 39173000 Storage units
- 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Main site or place of performance

Formartine, Garioch, Marr and Kincardine & Mears

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberdeenshire Council is legally obliged to provide assistance with the removal, transfer and storage of household belongings for people experiencing homelessness. There are a significant number of customers who require this service, sometimes for an unspecified amount of time.

Under this framework agreement the Contractor shall provide short and long-term storage solutions.

Aberdeenshire Council require a single Contractor to uplift belongings within a property; all furniture items, white goods, fixture/fittings and any other household item (this list is not exhaustive) and deliver to/from properties, with capacity to conduct requests where

specified within 48 hours of request.

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: £130,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

An extension of up to 12 months

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

This requirement is being tendered along with the same requirements for Aberdeen City and the Highland Council. Suppliers are able to tender for all 3 if they have the resource to do so.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 4 - The Highland Council

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34130000 Motor vehicles for the transport of goods
- 63121000 Storage and retrieval services
- 63120000 Storage and warehousing services
- 44614100 Storage bins
- 44613400 Storage containers
- 63121100 Storage services
- 39173000 Storage units
- 60000000 Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

UKM6 - Highlands and Islands

Main site or place of performance

Entire Region however services to be performed in remote areas are less common

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Highland Council is legally obliged to provide assistance with the removal, transfer and storage of household belongings for people experiencing homelessness. There are a significant number of customers who require this service, sometimes for an unspecified amount of time.

Under this framework agreement the Contractor shall provide short and long-term storage solutions.

The Highland Council require a single Contractor to uplift belongings within a property; all furniture items, white goods, fixture/fittings and any other household item (this list is not

exhaustive) and deliver to/from properties, with capacity to conduct requests where specified within 48 hours of request.

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: £70,000

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

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

An extension of up to 12 months

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

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

This requirement is being tendered along with the same requirements for Aberdeenshire and Aberdeen City Councils. Suppliers are able to tender for all 3 if they have the resource to do so.

Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions

Tenderers should hold the following:

Driver and vehicle:

- All drivers must hold an appropriate valid driver's license
- All vehicles must be insured and taxed as legally required

III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria

Tenderers should hold the following:

Insurance:

- Employers Liability of GBP 5m
- Public Liability Insurance of GBP 5m
- The Council will use an independent credit scoring organisation such as CreditSafe, to conduct appropriate financial probity checks.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Employers Liability of GBP 5m

Public Liability Insurance of GBP 5m

All vehicles must be insured and taxed as legally required

Appropriate financial probity checks shall be carried out

III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria

Tenders must provide Experience 2 relevant examples of similar or equivalent services carried out in the past three years

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

2 examples in the last 3 years

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

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 4

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

N/A

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: 2021/S 000-014592

IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

18 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: 3 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

18 October 2021

Local time

12:00pm

Place

On-line

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 3 or 4 years depending on activation of extension

VI.3) Additional information

This requirement is being tendered as a collaborative procedure between Aberdeen City, Aberdeenshire and The Highland Councils.

Suppliers are able to tender for 1, 2 or all 3 of the Councils. There shall be an opportunity to offer a discount where more than 1 Council service is being bid.

The buyer is using PCS-Tender to conduct this ITT exercise. The Project code is 19647.

For more information see:

http://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/info/InfoCentre.aspx?ID=2343

Community benefits are included in this requirement. For more information see: https://www.gov.scot/policies/public-sector-procurement/community-benefits-in-procurement/

A summary of the expected community benefits has been provided as follows:

Suppliers will be encouraged to offer community benefits focussing on

- Development of the Workforce
- Communities, community groups and community projects
- Fair Work Practices Including "Real" Living Wage

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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