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Contract

## **Flying Start Childcare Provision 2022**

Cardiff Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02c2b6

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Cardiff Council

County Hall, Atlantic Wharf

Cardiff

CF10 4UW

#### **Email**

[socialcare.procurement@cardiff.gov.uk](mailto:socialcare.procurement@cardiff.gov.uk)

#### **Telephone**

+44 2920873734

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.cardiff.gov.uk](http://www.cardiff.gov.uk)

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0422](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0422)

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Flying Start Childcare Provision 2022

Reference number

ERFX1007550

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 85312110 - Child daycare services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

The Flying Start Programme requires provision of a part-time childcare place for all 2-3 year old children residing in Flying Start catchments. The Service to be provided is the delivery of childcare places (defined as up to 5 x 2.5 hours of childcare a week for up to 39 weeks a year) to the standards as specified within the Welsh Government guidance for the Flying Start Programme. It is imperative that these service continue to provide to the specified requirements at the existing location in order to secure consistency for Flying Start children living in the area. This is an ongoing requirement as part of the Welsh Government Flying Start programme. The childcare provision delivered is regulated by CIW.

#### **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: £3,283,897.50

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 85312110 - Child daycare services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

**II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 100

Price - Weighting: 0

**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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **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 000-015170](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

ERFX1007550

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

13 September 2021

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 6

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Darling Buds Nursery Ltd

Seaway House, 55 Bute Street

Cardiff Bay

CF105AH

Telephone

+44 2920484646

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Little Angels Flying Start Nurseries Ltd

Cardiff

Telephone

+44 7870188321

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL - Wales

The contractor is an SME

Yes

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

First Steps Playgroups (Cardiff) Limited

'Treetops', Romilly Park Road

Barry

CF626RN

Telephone

+44 7837798509

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

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: £3,283,897

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

(WA Ref:114115)

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

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+44 2079477501

Country

United Kingdom