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## **WME - Framework Agreement for the provision of Regional Agency Services**

West Midlands Employers

F02: Contract notice

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

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

West Midlands Employers

Oldbury

#### **Contact**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.wmemployers.org.uk>

## **I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## **I.3) Communication**

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

<https://www.staffordshire.gov.uk/Business/Procurement/tendering/eProcurement.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login>

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

Body governed by public law

## **I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Employment services for the Public Sector

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

WME - Framework Agreement for the provision of Regional Agency Services

Reference number

DN1276

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

- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

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

Services

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

West Midlands Employers (WME) is a not-for-profit Regional Employers' Organisation created under the Trade Union & Labour Relations Act, offering employer advisory and people support services to its 32 shareholder councils in the West Midlands (who own the Authority) and the wider public sector. Its members are a blend of, predominantly 32 local authorities and some children's trusts, police and fire authorities, the West Midlands Combined Authority and other public sector bodies.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 79900000 - Miscellaneous business and business-related services
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 79600000 - Recruitment services

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

WME wishes to invite interested potential bidders to participate in a procurement process to utilise a Framework Agreement for the identification of a single supplier to provide a Regional Agency Provision. The Successful Bidder will engage directly with WME's members to support the delivery of an enhanced agency service and work with WME to support the ambitions of a Regional Workforce Strategy

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

Start date

1 April 2022

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **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

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Restricted 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 a single operator

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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Date

8 November 2021

Local time

6:30pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

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

West Midlands Employers

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Internet address

[www.wmemployers.org.uk](http://www.wmemployers.org.uk)