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Contract

CP2253-22 Specialist Stop Smoking Service

Devon County Council

F21: Social and other specific services – public contracts

Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-025909

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03566e

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<http://www.devon.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

CP2253-22 Specialist Stop Smoking Service

Reference number

DN624235

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The principal aim of the service is to support residents to stop smoking, using a proportionate universalism approach - offering universal access for all with more targeted support for groups and areas experiencing the poorest health outcomes. The service will be innovative to adapt service delivery to meet the needs of diverse communities and have a strong presence and visibility with stakeholders and potential clients.

To increase reach and capacity, the service will provide training and support to trained advisors and other professional workforces in a variety of settings. Whilst the main focus of the service will be to provide stop smoking support, it is recognised that other health harming behaviours also impact on poorer health outcomes. The service must therefore provide brief advice and information around other health and wellbeing issues in a holistic way, and signpost to other relevant services and information.

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: £3,425,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKK43 - Devon CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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.1.11) Main features of the award procedure

The contract award decision will be made on the basis of the most economically advantageous (MEAT) Bid, based on the application of the detailed evaluation criteria shown in Appendix 7 and 8 of the Invitation to Tender (ITT).

Evaluation Criteria and Weighting - Quality 100%

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2023/S 000-011047](#)

IV.2.9) Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

The contracting authority will not award any further contracts based on the above prior information notice

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

CP2253-22

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

28 July 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 7

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

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

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 7

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ICE Creates Ltd

2 Abbots Quay

Monks Ferry, Wirral

CH41 5LH

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK43 - Devon CC

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,421,850

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Devon County Council

County Hall, Topsham Road

Exeter

EX2 4QD

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

In accordance with Regulations 86 (notices of decisions to award a contract or conclude a Framework Agreement), 87 (standstill period) and Regulation 91 (enforcement of duties through the court) of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015.