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Contract

## **UKRI-1468 Tees Valley Transport Hydrogen Hub – Hydrogen supply and refueler**

UK Research & Innovation

F03: Contract award notice

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

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

UK Research & Innovation

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Swindon

SN2 1FL

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Corporate Procurement

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKK14 - Swindon

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.ukri.org/>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Research and Innovation

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

UKRI-1468 Tees Valley Transport Hydrogen Hub – Hydrogen supply and refueler

Reference number

UKRI-1468

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

- 34133110 - Fuel-tanker trucks

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

Supplies

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

UK Research and Innovation through its component body Innovate UK in partnership with the Department for Transport (DfT) are looking for a supplier who can provide hydrogen refuelling capability in the Tees Valley area between 1st September 2021 – 31st March 2022 (with an optional extension of three months). Fuel cell grade green hydrogen is required to support a small number of vehicle and vessel trials.

The aim will be achieved through the following objectives:

- The guaranteed provision of fuel cell grade green hydrogen which requires sourcing from a reliable and cost effective provider.
- The safe and secure siting and operation of a mobile refueler which will remain static at an agreed location for the period in question.
- The dispensing of up to 200kg a day of green hydrogen to a potential cross section of vehicle types
- The option to dispense green hydrogen at 350 and where possible 700barr pressure.

The budget for the requirement is between £200,000 to £750,000.

#### **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: £646,104.68

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

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

- 24111600 - Hydrogen
- 65400000 - Other sources of energy supplies and distribution

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

NUTS codes

- UKC1 - Tees Valley and Durham

Main site or place of performance

Tees Valley and Durham

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

UK Research and Innovation through its component body Innovate UK and in partnership with the Department for Transport (DfT) is seeking a single mobile hydrogen refueller to support a small number of vehicle and/or vessel demonstrations. The refueler will be sighted at a designated location in the Tees Valley area and is expected to offer refuelling capability to a mix of operations and use cases.

The provision of the refueler will enable a planned demonstration of hydrogen vehicles which is being competitively awarded via Innovate UK. This procurement and the demonstration is part of the Transport Hydrogen Hub in the Tees Valley area between 1st September 2021 – 31st March 2022 (with an optional 3 month extension).

The hydrogen refueler will ideally dispense green hydrogen only and meet a target kg/day figure. Fuel cell grade green hydrogen is required to support a small number of vehicle and vessel trials within the Teas Valley area over the same period.

The aim will be achieved through the following objectives:

- The guaranteed provision of fuel cell grade green hydrogen which requires sourcing from a reliable and cost effect provider.

- The safe and secure siting and operation of a mobile refueler which will remain static at an agreed location for the period in question.
- The dispensing of up to 200kg a day of green hydrogen to a potential cross section of vehicle types
- The option to dispense green hydrogen at 350 and where possible 700barr pressure.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 70

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 30

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: Yes

Description of options

with a provision to extend the contract duration for a further three month.

#### **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**

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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 000-011330](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 September 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

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

Element 2 Ltd

Acorn Business Park

Skipton

BD23 2UE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC1 - Tees Valley and Durham

National registration number

12651834

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £646,104.68

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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

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

UKRI

Swindon

Country

United Kingdom