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Award

Bassetlaw District Council - Purchase of AI Research Sensors

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

Bassetlaw District Council

Bassetlaw District Council, Queen's Buildings, Potter Street,

Worksop

S80 2AH

Contact

Charlotte Highcock

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKF15 - North Nottinghamshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/about-us/contact-the-council/contact-and-find-us/>

Buyer's address

<https://www.bassetlaw.gov.uk/about-us/contact-the-council/contact-and-find-us/>

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

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II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 73210000 - Research consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Bassetlaw District Council intend to conduct a research project, under the UK Research and Innovation (UKRI) consortia project, Alchemai. Alchemai aims to pilot a novel method

of designing capital-based decarbonisation projects through a collaboration between building data, AI, and architectural specialists.

To progress this project, the Council will need to install a set of sensors across pre-decided buildings in our estate, meeting our first UKRI approved work package. The chosen kit from the consortia is a specific sensor provided by Atamate, which is a data-packed device that will provide the consortia partners with an exceedingly granular dataset to further analyse the buildings.

The proposed supplier is Atamate Building Intelligence, Celtic House, Caxton Place, Penwyn, Cardiff, CF23 8HA.

Within the approved project plan by the UKRI, Atamate are required as part of their work package to deploy the monitoring equipment (the sensors), monitor the data on an ongoing basis and to facilitate the integration of the live data into the Atamate tool.

The purchase of this equipment is currently costed at £204,720, which is under the approved UKRI budget (£208,000).

It is the Council's reasoned opinion that there is no other available or suitable supplier for this project and therefore, it is the intention to direct award this project to the aforementioned supplier.

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: £204,720

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF15 - North Nottinghamshire

Main site or place of performance

Bassetlaw District

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

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IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section V. Award of contract/concession

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract/concession

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

23 August 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire

Atamate Building Intelligence

Celtic House, Caxton Place, Penwyn,

Cardiff

CF23 8HA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKL22 - Cardiff and Vale of Glamorgan

Companies House

07130716

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot/concession: £204,720

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Welland Procurement Unit Melton Borough Council

Parkside, Station Street

Melton Mowbray

LE13 1GH

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United Kingdom