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Contract

## **TC1090 - Preferred Provider Supported and Independent Living Service (SaLS)**

Manchester City Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-028453

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-028752

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

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

Manchester City Council

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Manchester

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**Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKD3 - Greater Manchester

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**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**

TC1090 - Preferred Provider Supported and Independent Living Service (SaILS)

Reference number

DN554293

#### **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 delivery of a four-year framework of 'preferred providers' to deliver floating support only, or accommodation and floating support, for looked after children aged 17 and above. In some cases, it may be suitable for 16-year old's to be placed depending on social care assessment. MCC is hoping to achieve effective partnership working through this new framework, ensuring services are developed that meet the needs of young people, and supporting them on their pathway to independence. MCC is looking to work with up to a maximum of five 'preferred providers' who can demonstrate that they have the experience and expertise to meet the needs of our young people in care. Providers will be asked to provide outcome based floating support to young people residing in social housing properties and other accommodations, to assist them take over the tenancy at 18. Additionally, some providers will be expected to provide the accommodation, as well as floating support, with rent being within the applicable Local Housing Allowance rate, so the young person can also take the tenancy at 18.

#### **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: £12,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

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The Authority is conducting this procurement under Article 77 of the Public Contract Directive as it wishes to ensure that this procurement opportunity is open to those organisations which qualify, namely organisations which fulfils all of the following conditions:

(a) its objective is the pursuit of a public service mission linked to the delivery of services covered by CPV codes 85000000-9 (Health and Social Work Services);

(b) profits are reinvested with a view to achieving the organisation's objective, and any distribution of profits is based on participatory considerations.

(c) the structures of management or ownership of the organisation are (or will be, if and when it performs the contract)

(i) based on employee ownership or participatory principles, or

(ii) require the active participation of employees, users or stakeholders; and

(d) the organisation has not been awarded, pursuant to this regulation, a contract for the services concerned by the contracting authority concerned within the past 3 years.

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The result of this tender may not be exclusive to one supplier and Manchester City Council reserves the right to place orders with up to and no more than five approved successful

tenderers for the above said items or work required. This constitutes a Framework Agreement. The Council cannot guarantee to call off any specific quantities/work during the Framework period. In consideration of the agreements on the part of the Council herein contained the successful framework holders agree that they will not during the Framework period withdraw their offers contained in their tender. The Council reserves the right to clarify with tenderers once tender responses have been assessed. In the event of such clarifications taking place the unsuccessful tenderers will be informed accordingly. Tenders that have not been submitted in accordance with the instructions or are found to be incomplete may be disqualified from the process and will not be considered any further. The Council reserves the right not to award a framework or contract against the framework as a result of the procurement process and will not be liable for any costs incurred by candidates.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 20

Price - Weighting: 20

### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

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

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

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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 000-000011](#)

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

### **Contract No**

TC1090

### **Title**

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A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

12 November 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 14

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 14

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: 14

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

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

Stepping Stone Projects

Rochdale

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £12,000,000



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

Bedspace Ltd

Trafford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

The contractor is an SME

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

Salvation Army Housing Association

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

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Yes

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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costs or expenses incurred by any organisation in responding to this notice or in tendering for the proposed framework. All submissions must be in English, with any clarifications or discussions conducted in English. Tenders and supporting documents must be priced in pounds sterling and all payments under the proposed contract will be made in pounds sterling.

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

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

Manchester City Council

Manchester

Country

United Kingdom

### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Council will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period at the point information on the award of the framework is communicated to tenderers prior to entering into the framework. If an appeal regarding the award of a framework has not been successfully resolved, the Public Contract Regulations 2015 provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland)