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Contract

Defra Technical Advisor for Thames Tideway Tunnel

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

 $\underline{https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs}\\$

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Defra Technical Advisor for Thames Tideway Tunnel

Reference number

32935

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71530000 - Construction consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Authority has placed a 2 year contract with 2 x 1 year options to continue to provide the services of a Defra Technical Adviser (DTA) for the Thames Tideway Tunnel (TTT) project. The DTA will provide Defra and Government with expertise from an engineering, major construction and commissioning perspective in order to protect the Government's interests in the TTT project.

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: £400,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

71621000 - Technical analysis or consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The supplier will be the Technical Advisor for the Thames Tideway Tunnel. They will be:

- Providing quarterly reports
- Providing verbal and written briefings to the Government Representative ahead of each Liaison Committee meeting as required, to ensure he/she is fully aware of and understands all technical issues.
- Attending the Liaison Committee as a Defra adviser if required in support of the Government Representative.
- Attending the Defra/Tideway monthly meeting and any other meetings as invited by Defra.
- Ad-hoc technical analysis and support in response to events

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial two year contract duration with two one-year options.

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.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

IV.2) Administrative information

IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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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

14 November 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 5

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Agilia Infrastructure Partners Limited

Middlesborough

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

• UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £400,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Department for Environment Food and Rural Affairs

London

Country

United Kingdom