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Contract

Continued provision of Web Casting at Southend-on-Sea City Council

Southend-on-Sea City Council

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Scope

Reference

DN777013

Description

Southend-on-Sea City Council is looking for continued provision of Web Casting services using the current equipment installed by Public-I Group Limited. The contract will include the provision of web casting in the Council Chamber of council meetings, links to the Civica <u>Modern.gov</u> system for the delivery of meeting papers for councillors and the public. The equipment for the Council Chamber is leased from Public-I and this contract includes the replacement of equipment as nears end of life.

Southend-on-Sea City Council has investigated the possibility of going out to the market with the potential of a new provider reviewing the web casting needs and potentially installing new equipment, however the Local Government Reorganisation introduces a possibility that

a new Mayoral Combined Council (MCC) may host its Full Council meetings outside of Southend.

It was decided that it not be economically advantageous for Southend-on-Sea City Council to undertake a procurement exercise to replace all the web casting equipment in the Council Chamber and Committee Rooms, if the new system would not be used. If the new MCC is established, all contracts will be reviewed. If the new MCC decides that this contract should be procured early, then a compliant procurement process will be undertaken.

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Supplier

• PUBLIC-I GROUP LIMITED

Contract value

- £72,126 excluding VAT
- £86,551.20 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Date signed

28 April 2025

Contract dates

- 19 June 2025 to 18 June 2028
- 3 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 30237240 Web camera
- 32232000 Video-conferencing equipment
- 48515000 Video conferencing software package
- 64224000 Teleconferencing services

Contract locations

• UKH31 - Southend-on-Sea

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

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Region: UKJ21 - Brighton and Hove

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

Southend-on-Sea City Council

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government