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Contract

Winter Maintenance Framework Agreement (Footways & Miscellaneous).

Scottish Borders Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02cb8d

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

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Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00394

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

Winter Maintenance Framework Agreement (Footways & Miscellaneous).

Reference number

SBC/CPS/2055

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 90620000 - Snow-clearing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This is an award notice for the purpose of establishing a Framework Agreement to provide Winter Maintenance Assistance from 3rd party contractors to cover legislative requirements during winter periods should there be insufficient in-house capacity.

The Framework will be split into 3 Lots covering the following requirements:

Lot 1: Provision of Planned Winter Service Treatments on Priority Footway Routes (AM).

Lot 2: Assistance for Reactive Winter Service Treatment to Footways Network.

Lot 3 Assistance with Miscellaneous Winter related activities within Roads & Footways and other Council locations.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Provision of Planned Winter Service Treatments on Priority Footway Routes (AM).

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 90620000 - Snow-clearing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Award of framework agreement for supplement of the Council's in-house resources, the Contractors will be required to respond to the need for planned winter treatments to the Council's priority footway network. They will be rota'd along with other contractors/Council winter operatives for any given week(s) throughout the winter period. Contractors within Lot 1 will be provided with a designated route. There will be a squad (2 operatives) identified for each of the 21 routes for a seven day week. There will be similar teams working from the six Roads Depots across the Region. One driver per squad within this Lot is required to hold a Class C1+E licence.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Ability to meet requirements / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Service Back Up / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Contract Implementation/Exit / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Response Times / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Fair Working Practices / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 70

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

The Framework will be for a maximum period of 36 months. The initial period of the Framework will be for 12 months from the starting date with an option to extend for up to a further 24 months subject to satisfactory operation and performance. Any periods of extension will be at the sole discretion of the Council.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Reactive Treatments on Footway Network during periods of icing & snow

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 90620000 - Snow-clearing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Award of Framework Agreement. Contractors within Lot 2 will be requested to carry out winter maintenance treatment to any part of the Council's footway network. The Contractor may not receive any instruction until the completion of the primary footway network that morning however, there will be occasions where the request is made in advance i.e. the day before.

Drivers are required to hold a Class C1+ E licence to enable them to tow the appropriate trailer complete with footpath tractor, gritter & scraper when appropriate. The towing vehicle is also required to have the capability of carrying up to 1 tonne of salt while towing the loaded trailer.

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Assistance with Miscellaneous Winter related activities within Roads & Footways and other Council locations

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 90620000 - Snow-clearing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Award of Framework Agreement. Contractors within Lot 3 will generally be available for 'calling out' at short notice to assist with miscellaneous winter related activities from a particular specified Roads Depot or within a specific area.

When called out to provide a service under this Lot a minimum charge equivalent to four hours of working time will apply.

Contractors must ensure that all drivers/operators hold the appropriate licence.

II.2.5) Award criteria

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Quality criterion - Name: Service Back Up / Weighting: 25

Quality criterion - Name: Contract Implementation/Exit / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Response Times / Weighting: 25

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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 000-017439](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

Provision of Planned Winter Service Treatments on Priority Footway Routes (AM).

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: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Swans minicoach hire

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United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM9 - Southern Scotland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Borders Machinery Ring Ltd

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £100,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

2

Title

Reactive Treatments on Footway Network during periods of icing & snow

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:675565)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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