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Planning

PIN - Meet the Buyer South 2024

Scottish Borders Council

F01: Prior information notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Scottish Borders Council

Council Headquarters

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Email

procurement@scotborders.gov.uk

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM91 - Scottish Borders

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

- 79952000 - Event services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Together with headline partners, Scottish Borders Council, the Supplier Development Programme has announced the third Meet the Buyer South event will take place on 29 October in Galashiels.

Meet with Buyers from Scotland's local authorities, Government agencies and contractors to hear about upcoming contract opportunities with Scotland's public sector, worth 16bn GBP annually.

Businesses and third sector organisations will be able to meet procurement teams from local councils, alongside other public and private sector buying organisations, private contractors and business support organisations visit Meet the Buyer South 2024 | Meet the Buyer South 2024 | Supplier Development Programme (sdpscotland.co.uk) to see a full list of exhibitors.

As the largest free procurement event in the South of Scotland, the event affords suppliers unprecedented access to buyers and decision makers from across the Public and Private sector, with the opportunity to raise your profile as a business and prepare for upcoming contract opportunities.

The event is FREE to attend and open to all, but places are limited so make sure you register early at Meet the Buyer South 2024 | All events and training listings | Supplier Development Programme (sdpscotland.co.uk)

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45000000 - Construction work
- 50000000 - Repair and maintenance services
- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services
- 90000000 - Sewage, refuse, cleaning and environmental services
- 31000000 - Electrical machinery, apparatus, equipment and consumables; lighting
- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM91 - Scottish Borders

Main site or place of performance

Galashiels

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Supplier Development Programme's Meet the Buyer South event is the largest FREE public procurement event in the South of Scotland.

Why attend?

16bn GBP is spent in the public sector in Scotland each year on goods, services and works.

-Meet buyers from a variety of Scottish and National public sector organisations.

-Meet buyers from a variety of major contractors.

-Hear the latest about contract opportunities and procurement news from Scotland Excel, Scottish Government, Crown Commercial Service and many more.

-Make key contacts and find opportunities to grow your business.

-Access to business support, Supplier Development Programme, Just Enterprise, Business Gateway and many more.

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II.2.14) Additional information

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Follow the hashtag on social media: #MeetTheBuyerSouth2024

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

29 October 2024

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=779459.

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