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Contract

## **TC924 - Framework Provision for Travel Services**

Manchester City Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-032492

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03417a

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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

**Region 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

## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

TC924 - Framework Provision for Travel Services

Reference number

DN615126

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 63500000 - Travel agency, tour operator and tourist assistance services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

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#### **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: £15,948

### **II.2) Description**

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

- 63500000 - Travel agency, tour operator and tourist assistance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

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**II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50%

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 20%

Quality criterion - Name: Env & Climate / Weighting: 10%

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**

The Council is using the e-business portal known as the Chest. Applicants will need to register their details at the following link [www.the-chest.org.uk](http://www.the-chest.org.uk). Applicants will need to electronically submit their completed tender documents, including online questionnaire, via the on-line portal by 11am on Friday, 1 July 2022 as referred to in IV.2.2.

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## **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**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-015060](#)

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

### **Contract No**

TC924 - Travel Services

### **Title**

TC924 - Travel Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

28 October 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

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

Diversity Travel

Manchester

M1 3LD

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: £15,948

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

**VI.3) Additional information**

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The contracts will be for 4 years, expected to commence 1 October 2022.

The successful supplier will be required to actively participate in the economic and social regeneration of the locality of, and surroundings of, the place of delivery of the contract. Therefore, selection and award criteria, specification requirements and contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations as relevant to the subject matter of this project.

The Council reserves the right not to award the framework, as a result of this Contract Notice. The Council shall not be liable for any 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

M60 2LA

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)