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# **First Federation Trust Grounds Maintenance Services**

First Federation Trust

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

### I.1) Name and addresses

First Federation Trust

Blackpool C of E Primary School

**Newton Abbot** 

TQ12 6JB

#### Contact

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### **Country**

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UK - United Kingdom

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.firstfederation.org

Buyer's address

https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA43212

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://www.mytenders.co.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://www.mytenders.co.uk

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

First Federation Trust Grounds Maintenance Services

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The proposed contract will be for the outsourced provision of Grounds Maintenance Services to the Trust.

The successful Bidder shall establish effective management and operational level communication systems at all levels regarding the grounds maintenance service with the Trust. In addition, the Bidder will also be responsible for all legal, and health and safety requirements in delivering the services.

The Contract will include the purchase of equipment to support the delivery of the grounds maintenance service

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £800,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for maximum number of lots 3

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 3

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

Suppliers may bid for a one or a combination of 3 Lots from Lots A, B & C (selection of schools)

or

Suppliers can bid for Lot D on its own (all schools)

Schools allocated to each Lot are provided in the tender documents.

### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

**Plymouth** 

Lot No

2

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

77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKK4 - Devon

Main site or place of performance

The First Federation Trust, Blackpool CE Primary School, Liverton, Newton Abbot, TQ12 6JB

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

The Contractor will be responsible for the provision of skilled horticultural craftsmen to undertake the services of grass cutting, hedge maintenance, leaf and litter control, pruning, weed control, tree survey, sport pitch maintenance and associated works.

As a result of this tender process, the Trust intends to appoint the successful Bidder as a Contractor to provide a high-quality service, whilst delivering value for money for schools, parents and pupils using the Services.

Tasks specified to be carried out on a regular basis, must be suitably spaced out over the period and must meet with the approval of the Site Manager at each location. The

scheduling of these tasks must be available for inspection and the Contractor shall make any reasonable adjustments as deemed necessary by the Site Manager.

The Contractor is to avoid soil, grass cuttings or moss from grassed or soil areas being carried onto buildings, paths and roads. Where this has occurred, the area should be cleaned and materials removed immediately.

All pruning, hedge cuttings and arisings shall be removed from the premises by the Contractor and disposed of in a proper manner at the Contractor's expense. No burning on any premises of any material is permitted.

The Contractor will be responsible for reinstating any areas damaged by herbicide drift, including damage to any plants or turf. Such damage will be reinstated within five days of the Contractor receiving the Site Manager's instruction and any labour or materials required will be provided by the Contractor at his own expense.

The Contractor's representative is to report to Site Manager on arrival on every visit prior to commencing any works. A report is required to be completed for every day of attendance detailing the tasks undertaken and handed to Site Manager for signature. Failure to provide this report will count as non-attendance.

The Contractor will monitor and review the performance of the services on an ongoing basis and is required to meet formally once every term with the Site Manager and to discuss delivery of services and to plan the following terms schedule of work.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 70

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 30

Price - Weighting: 70

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### 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) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Dorset

Lot No

3

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

• 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKK4 - Devon

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### II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Devon

Lot No

1

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

• 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKK43 - Devon CC

Main site or place of performance

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# Section III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

### III.1) Conditions for participation

#### III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

#### III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## 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: Yes

### IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

21 December 2023

Local time

12:00pm

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

#### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 15 March 2024

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

21 December 2023

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.3) Additional information

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the myTenders Web Site at

https://www.mytenders.co.uk/Search/Search Switch.aspx?ID=230522.

The buyer has indicated that it will accept electronic responses to this notice via the Postbox facility. A user guide is available at <a href="https://www.mytenders.co.uk/sitehelp/help\_guides.aspx.">https://www.mytenders.co.uk/sitehelp/help\_guides.aspx.</a>

Suppliers are advised to allow adequate time for uploading documents and to dispatch the electronic response well in advance of the closing time to avoid any last minute problems.

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### VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Public Procurement Review Service

Cabinet Office

London

Email

publicprocurementreview@cabinetoffice.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 3450103503

Country

**United Kingdom** 

Internet address

https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit

## VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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