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#### Opportunity

# **Community Family Support**

Suffolk County Council

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKH14 - Suffolk

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

www.suffolksourcing.uk

## I.3) Communication

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

http://www.suffolksourcing.uk/

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

http://www.suffolksourcing.uk/

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

http://www.suffolksourcing.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

Community Family Support

Reference number

CD1374

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 85312400 - Welfare services not delivered through residential institutions

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Suffolk County Council are currently out to tender for the provision of Community Family Support . A volunteer led countywide community family support service that can work in all areas of Suffolk. The service will support families both in their homes and in the community, working in partnership with the Family Hubs and delivery will form part of Suffolk County Council's Family Hubs offer across the county. Helping to provide early intervention or prevention family support to the communities. The service will focus on whole family working – including families with mental health concerns / emotional well- being, or additional needs. The service will create a local network of volunteers and befrienders who will provide direct support and interventions with families. This opportunity is available in the `Current Tenders` area of portal. Interested parties are invited to express their interest to gain full access to the tender documentation.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £1,900,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 85300000 Social work and related services
- 85312400 Welfare services not delivered through residential institutions

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKH14 - Suffolk

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

Please see main description above.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £1,900,000

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

Start date

1 July 2023

End date

30 January 2030

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The service contract is likely to be retendered subject to funding being available. Please note that this contract is for the period 1st July 2023 till 30th June 2028 with the option to extend for up to a further 24 months

#### 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

## **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

22 December 2022

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: 31 March 2023

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

Date

22 December 2022

Local time

12:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

## VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

#### VI.3) Additional information

If the Contracting Authority identifies that the scope of this procurement falls within a business sector which may be attractive to infiltration by organised crime groups, the Contracting Authority reserves the right to include enhanced probity checks / requirements at the award stages of the procurement. Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: This tender is an Open tender with negotiation, compliant with the Light Touch Regime. For further information please see the Invitation to Tender. Suffolk County Council incorporates a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period from the point at which information on the award of contract is communicated to the tenderers. This period allows unsuccessful tenderers to seek further debriefing from the contracting authority before the contract is entered into. If an appeal regarding the award of contract has not been successfully resolved: The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 as amended provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or at risk of harm by a breach of the rules, to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland). Any such action must be brought promptly.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

Suffolk County Council

**Ipswich** 

Country

**United Kingdom**