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Contract

## **Framework for Provision of Public Notice Advertising Services 2023-2027**

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

The Castle

WINCHESTER

SO238ZB

#### **Email**

[procurement.support@hants.gov.uk](mailto:procurement.support@hants.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKJ36 - Central Hampshire

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<http://www.hants.gov.uk/procurement>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Framework for Provision of Public Notice Advertising Services 2023-2027

Reference number

ET18759

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

- 79341000 - Advertising services

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

Services

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

Hampshire County Council establishment of a Single Supplier Framework for the provision of Public Notice Advertising Services. The Framework Commencement is 3rd Jan 2023 for a period of 4 years.

Statutory Public Notices are adverts that are placed in local newspapers by individual Councils to advertise information of a statutory nature and, if required, to generate response, either from the general public or the business community. Government agencies are required by statute to publish notices.

As well as publishing notices that are required to be advertised by law, the framework can be used to advertise non-statutory adverts if needed.

Therefore, this framework will be used for the procurement of the following services:

- Statutory public notices such as road closures and planning notices.
- Non-Statutory notices such as local events and tender opportunities etc.

#### **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: £2,000,000

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ31 - Portsmouth
- UKJ32 - Southampton
- UKJ35 - South Hampshire
- UKJ36 - Central Hampshire
- UKJ37 - North Hampshire

Main site or place of performance

The distribution of the newspaper publication(s) must cover the entire county of Hampshire

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

Hampshire County Council establishment of a Single Supplier Framework for the provision of Public Notice Advertising Services via Open Procedure.

The Framework Commencement is 3rd Jan 2023 for a period of 4 years.

Call-off contracts through the framework placed up to and including the date of the framework expiry can have a duration which goes beyond the date of expiry of the framework itself.

### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The Framework Agreement, will be accessible via individual call-off contracts to the following Local Authorities in Hampshire (Contracting Authorities):

Hampshire County Council;

New Forest District Council;

Basingstoke & Deane Borough Council;

Eastleigh Borough Council;

East Hants District Council;

Fareham Borough Council;

Gosport Borough Council;

Hart District Council;

Havant Borough Council;

Rushmoor Borough Council;

Test Valley Borough Council;

Southampton City Council; and

Winchester City Council;

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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: [2022/S 000-027291](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

18 November 2022

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

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

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

Newsquest Media Group Limited

Loudwater Mill, Station Road, High Wycombe,

Buckinghamshire

HP10 9TY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ - South East (England)

Companies House

01676637

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,000,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

High Court of England and Wales

Winchester

Country

United Kingdom

