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Contract

Framework for the Provision of Asbestos Testing, Inspection & Consultancy Services 2025-29

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, High Street

Winchester

SO238UJ

Email

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

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

Buyer's address

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/hampshire.aspx/Home>

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

Framework for the Provision of Asbestos Testing, Inspection & Consultancy Services 2025-29

Reference number

UN26006

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hampshire County Council (the Authority) is awarding a Framework for the Provision of Asbestos Testing, Inspection & Consultancy Services.

The framework will consist of a single lot covering provision of all services in the Framework Specification at Annex 1, across all locations listed in the Framework Guidelines & Working Practices at Annex 5. The Authority is appointing 4 suppliers to the Framework.

The awarded suppliers will carry out asbestos air monitoring, asbestos surveying and/or consultancy services as required in Hampshire County Council's property including schools, social services premises, libraries and offices.

The Framework Agreement will run for a period of 4 years from the commencement date.

Hampshire County Council will be the lead contracting authority, with the framework available for use by the following contracting authorities should they so desire:

- Southampton City Council
- Winchester City Council
- The Police and Crime Commissioner for Hampshire and Isle of Wight/Hampshire and

Isle of Wight Constabulary

- Hampshire Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Service
- Unitary, District, Borough, Town and Parish Councils, and successor authorities across Hampshire.
- Arun District Council

The contracting authorities may enter into call-off contracts with a framework supplier at any time during the term of the Framework Agreement, up until the date of expiry, by following the call-off procedure as detailed in the ITT and the Framework Guidelines & Working Practices. Call-off contracts will be awarded by either direct award or mini-competition, calling-off and placing an Order for services as and when required.

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: £950,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71630000 - Technical inspection and testing services
- 71700000 - Monitoring and control services
- 79311300 - Survey analysis services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)
- UKJ28 - West Sussex (North East)
- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Main site or place of performance

The framework will cover Hampshire, Isle of Wight, Southampton, Portsmouth and West Sussex.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Authority is establishing a Framework of 4 suppliers using an open procedure. Successful Contractors will be placed on a list of Contractors for Asbestos Testing and Inspection Services and may be selected to carry out asbestos air monitoring, asbestos surveying and/or consultancy services as required in Hampshire County Council's property including schools, social services premises, libraries and offices many of which are Second Consortium of Local Authorities (SCOLA) system building construction.

The estimated maximum framework value is £950,000 over the 4-year term of the Framework, based on historical spend data and anticipated work over the life of the framework. However successful suppliers are not guaranteed any work under this framework agreement.

Hampshire County Councils spend over the duration of the framework is anticipated to be up to £500,000. The value of participation by the wider public sector cannot be calculated accurately or guaranteed but has nevertheless been incorporated with a value of up to £450,000 for the duration of the framework.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Mobilisation & Delivery / Weighting: 12%

Quality criterion - Name: Resource Capacity & Impartiality / Weighting: 12%

Quality criterion - Name: Communication / Weighting: 12%

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Assurance / Weighting: 24%

Price - Weighting: 40%

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: 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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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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

28 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 10

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

A.B.P Associates Limited

Southampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Companies House

04128328

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £950,000

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Asbestos Consultants Europe Limited

Essex

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH3 - Essex

Companies House

06464301

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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Acorn Analytical Services (UK) Ltd

Northampton

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

Companies House

08340465

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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Gully Howard Technical Limited

Portsmouth

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ3 - Hampshire and Isle of Wight

Companies House

05128356

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

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Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom