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Contract

ESPH NB HBC UKSPF Business Support and Skills Development Activity (ESPH598 JB)

Hastings Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-034322

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03ee57

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Hastings Borough Council

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Hastings

TN34 3UY

Contact

Natalia Bagiriants

Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://www.sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing>

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

ESPH NB HBC UKSPF Business Support and Skills Development Activity (ESPH598 JB)

Reference number

HBC - 036714

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79411100 - Business development consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hastings Borough Council (HBC, Council) has successfully obtained funding from the UK Shared Prosperity Fund (UKSPF) to initiate a program to support business and skills

development in Hastings with a focus on Northeast Hastings neighbourhoods (Broomgrove). Full details are included in the document set.

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: £200,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79411100 - Business development consultancy services
- 79414000 - Human resources management consultancy services
- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Full information can be found at <http://www.sesharedservices.org.uk/esourcing>

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 95

Price - Weighting: 5

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

HBC - 036714

Title

ESPH NB HBC UKSPF Business Support and Skills Development Activity (ESPH598 JB)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

6 November 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Let's Do Business (South East) Group Limited

7 Wellington Square

Hastings

TN34 1PD

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ22 - East Sussex CC

National registration number

07422542

Internet address

www.letsdobusinessgroup.co.uk

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

V.2.5) Information about subcontracting

The contract is likely to be subcontracted

Value or proportion likely to be subcontracted to third parties

Value excluding VAT: £100,000

Proportion: 50 %

Short description of the part of the contract to be subcontracted

Provision of community engagement, Support Worker and training. Provision of training.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of England and Wales

The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Hastings Borough Council will observe a standstill period following the award of the contract and conduct itself in respect of any appeals in accordance with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended).