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Contract

UKRI-2915 IUK Net Zero Living: Thriving Places Community & Knowledge Sharing Delivery Partner

UK Research & Innovation

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Region code

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

www.ukri.org

Buyer's address

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Research and innovation

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

UKRI-2915 IUK Net Zero Living: Thriving Places Community & Knowledge Sharing
Delivery Partner

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

****THIS IS A CONTRACT AWARD NOTICE NOT A CALL FOR COMPETITION****

UKRI wishes to establish a contract for the provision of UKRI-2915 IUK Net Zero Living:
Thriving Places Community & Knowledge Sharing Delivery Partner

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: £1,920,763

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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UKRI wishes to establish a Contract for the provision of UKRI-2915 IUK Net Zero Living: Thriving Places Community & Knowledge Sharing Delivery Partner. The aim of this tender is to procure an innovative and creative collaborative partner that can co-develop and co-deliver the Future Ready programme to support the cohorts of local authorities in the systemic changes they need to deliver. The contract requires the provision of delivery of the programme to up to 50 places during the contract period from July 2023 to 31st December 2025. These services are to be delivered nationally, to places across the UK.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 90

Cost criterion - Name: Price / Weighting: 10

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

The value of this opportunity for the full the design and delivery of the services, to up to 50 places, is up to £2.1M (excl VAT). Contracting Authority would not accept bids over this value, and any bids above this value will not be considered for evaluation. The Contracting Authority have the option to add more places during the contract period which will run up to 31st December 2025. The max value of the tender including additional/optional requirements will not exceed £3M (excl VAT).

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-008671](#)

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 September 2023

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Urban Foresight Ltd

The Catalyst, 3 Science Square, Newcastle Helix

Newcastle Upon Tyne

NE4 5TG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

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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: £1,920,763

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,920,763

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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