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## **Southwark Works Network Coordination Service**

London Borough of Southwark

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-039216

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

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

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United Kingdom

**Region code**

UK144 - Lewisham and Southwark

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

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

**I.3) Communication**

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**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**

Southwark Works Network Coordination Service

Reference number

DN647078

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

- 98000000 - Other community, social and personal services

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

Services

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

The Contracting Authority gives prior notice that it intends to launch a procurement for qualified and experienced operators to enter into a 2 year contract (with an option to extend for a further 2 years) to provide coordination and management of employment support services in the London Borough of Southwark.

Southwark Works is the council's longstanding employment support programme and the council's key channel to deliver the thriving and inclusive economy employment ambitions.

The Contracting Authority is seeking a provider to manage our network of specialist employment support providers; including assessment of customers and referral to Southwark Works providers and/or external support; operation of a hub office for customers; customer record management to track progress and outcomes; organising joint network activity (such as job fairs), managing the Southwark Works website and social media.

Should you require further details please communicate via the tender portal.

#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £300,000

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

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

NUTS codes

- UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

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

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The contract will be awarded on a 2 year basis, with the option to extend for a further 2 years.

## **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

27 April 2023

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes