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# **Public Analyst Services.**

Norfolk County Council

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Norfolk County Council

County Hall, Martineau Lane

Norwich

NR1 2DH

#### **Email**

sourcingteam@norfolk.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

#### Internet address(es)

Main address

#### www.norfolk.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc

## I.3) Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc

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# 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

Public Analyst Services.

Reference number

NCCT43060

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71620000 - Analysis services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Council wishes to enter a contract for the provision of Public Analyst and Agriculture Analyst Services. Norfolk County Council Trading Standards Service allocates part of its budget to food and feeding stuff/ fertiliser sampling. This translates into approximately 150 food samples and 50 agriculture samples per annum. Most of the samples are taken as part of a planned programme, which consists of several specific surveys. This allows us to submit samples in batches where the analysis requirements are the same for each sample.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 90721300 - Food or feed contamination protection services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKH15 - Norwich and East Norfolk

Main site or place of performance

Norfolk

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

The Council wishes to enter a contract for the provision of Public Analyst and Agriculture Analyst Services.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start date

1 April 2025

End date

31 March 2030

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### 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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information

# III.1) Conditions for participation

## III.1.2) Economic and financial standing

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## III.1.3) Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

## 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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

12 December 2024

Local time

10:00am

#### IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

#### IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

12 December 2024

Local time

10:00am

Place

In-tend

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

## VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.3) Additional information

This procurement will be managed electronically via the Council's e-procurement system. To participate in this procurement, applicants must first be registered on the system at <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc</a>. Full instructions for registration and use of the system can be found at <a href="https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc/aspx/BuyerProfiles">https://in-tendhost.co.uk/norfolkcc/aspx/BuyerProfiles</a>. Once registered you will be able to see the procurement project under the `tenders` section and `express an interest` to view the documentation. If you encounter any difficulties whilst using the system you can contact the In-tend support team by phoning +44 8442728810 or e-mailing <a href="mailing-upport@in-tend.co.uk">upport@in-tend.co.uk</a>.

## VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

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Norwich

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

The Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended) provide for aggrieved parties who have been harmed or are at risk of harm by a breach of the rules to take action in the High Court (England, Wales and Northern Ireland). Proceedings must be brought within 30 days

from the date of knowledge (the date on which the economic operator first knew or ought to have known that grounds for starting the proceedings had arisen) unless the Court considers that there is good reason for extending the period within which proceedings may be brought, in which case the Court may extend that period up to a maximum of 3 months from the date of knowledge.