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Contract

Edinburgh's Christmas 2022/23

The City of Edinburgh Council

F25: Concession award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-039472

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

The City of Edinburgh Council

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00290

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

Edinburgh's Christmas 2022/23

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79952000 - Event services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The City of Edinburgh Council requires contracts for winter festivals - Edinburgh's Christmas is a component of the festival.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This concession is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The Christmas contract is a component of the city's events offer delivered during the festive period providing a programme of activities, events and attractions for visitor and residents of the city.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Concession is awarded on the basis of the criteria described below:

- Criterion: quality
- Criterion: cost

II.2.7) Duration of the concession

Duration in months

24

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) Form of procedure

Award procedure without prior publication of a concession notice in the cases listed below

- The services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:

- absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

Appointed Contractor notified that it was unable to deliver the contract CT1043 Winter Festivals, ref no. AUG456351 at a crucial point in the scheduled programme leaving insufficient time to re-tender the contract. Appointed contractor was delivering a component of winter festivals, and had technical insights of programme to date and able to step in at short notice.

Section V. Award of concession

A concession/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of concession

V.2.1) Date of concession award decision

25 September 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

The concession has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the concessionaire

Unique Events Ltd

2 Commercial Street, Suite 1-2

Edinburgh

EH6 6JA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM - Scotland

The concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the concessionaire

Assembly Festival Limited

2 Roxburgh Place

Edinburgh

EH8 9SU

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM75 - Edinburgh, City of

The concessionaire is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of concession and main financing terms (excluding VAT)

Total value of the concession/lot: £500,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Edinburgh Sheriff Court

27 Chambers Street

Edinburgh

EH1 1LB

Country

United Kingdom