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Contract

002545 - DfE Musical Instruments, Equipment and Technology - Capital Grant Funding

Durham County Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-046777

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-058314

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Durham County Council

Corten House, Dunholme Close

Durham

DH15WB

Contact

Zoe

Email

zoe.embleton@durham.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UKC14 - Durham CC

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.durham.gov.uk

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

002545 - DfE Musical Instruments, Equipment and Technology - Capital Grant Funding

Reference number

OPEN20251241

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 37310000 - Musical instruments

II.1.3) Type of contract

Supplies

II.1.4) Short description

This capital grant expenditure will support us with delivering against the vision and aims expressed in the NPME.

Grant agreement in conjunction with other local authorities.

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: £271,372

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 37310000 - Musical instruments

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC14 - Durham CC

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This capital grant expenditure will support us with delivering against the vision and aims expressed in the NPME.

Grant agreement in conjunction with other local authorities.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Department for Education Framework used which permits direct awards from the framework.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

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

10 July 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

John Packer Ltd

Salisbury

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

Companies House

02964334

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: £31,382.80

Total value of the contract/lot: £31,382.80

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Number of tenders received: 1

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Gear4music Ltd

Gear4music Ltd, Holgate Park Drive, York, YO26 4GN

York

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

Companies House

03113256

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: £26,169.75

Total value of the contract/lot: £26,169.75

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

10 July 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

The Music Cellar

11-12 Fox Street, Preston, PR1 2AB

Preston

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

Companies House

15557903

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: £14,921.50

Total value of the contract/lot: £14,921.50

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

10 July 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Normans (Burton upon Trent) Limited

Unit 3 Ryknild Industrial Estate, Derby Road, Burton-upon-Trent, England, DE14 1RZ

Burton-upon-Trent

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKC14 - Durham CC

Companies House

00707581

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: £4,668.40

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,668.40

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom