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## **Provision of Student Accommodation**

Forth Valley College

F02: Contract notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

**NUTS** code

UKM76 - Falkirk

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.forthvalley.ac.uk

Buyer's address

 $\underline{https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0045}\\1$ 

## I.3) Communication

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

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

## I.5) Main activity

Education

# **Section II: Object**

## II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Provision of Student Accommodation

Reference number

ASC-2025-01

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 55100000 - Hotel services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Forth Valley College is seeking a Contractor for the provision of student accommodation for apprentices that will attend our Falkirk Campus.

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

### II.2) Description

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

- 55110000 Hotel accommodation services
- 98341000 Accommodation services

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM76 - Falkirk

Main site or place of performance

**Falkirk** 

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

Forth Valley College is seeking accommodation for groups of apprentices who attend our Falkirk Campus.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Suitability of the Proposed Accommodation / Weighting: 15

Quality criterion - Name: Hygiene Standards and Health and Safety / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Key Personnel and Safeguarding Procedures / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Fair Work Practices / Weighting: 5

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability / Weighting: 5

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Start date

5 January 2026

End date

31 May 2027

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

The Authority reserves the right to extend the Agreement for a further 3 periods of 12 months until 31st May 2030, subject to satisfactory performance and continued Authority requirements.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Forth Valley College reserves the right to add additional group of students or apprentices to the Agreement.

#### 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

List and brief description of selection criteria

It is a requirement that all Tenderers must have or commit to have the required insurance levels at commencement of the Agreement as indicated below.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Employers Liability – GBP5,000,000

Public Liability – GPB5,000,000

### 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

6 October 2025

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

Tender must be valid until: 16 February 2026

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

Date

6 October 2025

Local time

12:00pm

## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: January 2030

### 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

Tenderers can attend the optional Tenderers' Conference taking place online at 11am to 11.45am on 10th September 2025.

Please contact <u>procurement@forthvalley.ac.uk</u> to confirm attendance.

The Authority will cover the requirements of the Agreement, the SPD, Technical questions and Price Schedule in a presentation to Tenderers.

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## VI.4) Procedures for review

# VI.4.1) Review body

Camelon Sheriff Court

Main St, Camelon

Falkirk

FK1 4AR

Country

United Kingdom