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Contract

Dynamic Purchasing System For Passenger Transport Services 2023

Aberdeenshire Council

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2025/S 000-055874

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-03b792

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Aberdeenshire Council

Woodhill House, Westburn Road

Aberdeen

AB16 5GB

Email

school.transport@aberdeenshire.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 1467533335

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

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

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00232

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Dynamic Purchasing System For Passenger Transport Services 2023

Reference number

000-QUKQ4828

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

A mini competition was carried out under Lot 1 of the Aberdeenshire Council Dynamic Purchasing System 2023 - 2028(DPS) for the provision of Mainstream School Transport Services

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

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

Value excluding VAT: £887,778.80

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Dedicated School Transport, Minimum Cost Combined Local Bus/School Transport and Other Scheduled Education Transport Services

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 60000000 - Transport services (excl. Waste transport)
- 60100000 - Road transport services
- 60112000 - Public road transport services
- 60130000 - Special-purpose road passenger-transport services
- 60140000 - Non-scheduled passenger transport
- 60170000 - Hire of passenger transport vehicles with driver
- 60120000 - Taxi services
- 60171000 - Hire of passenger cars with driver
- 60172000 - Hire of buses and coaches with driver

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

A mini competition was carried out under Lot 1 of the Aberdeenshire Council DPS 2023 -2028 and contracts were awarded for the following schools:

Ellon Academy

Fetterangus Primary

Inverurie Academy

Keig Primary

Mackie Academy

Marykirk Primary

Mearns Academy

Mintlaw Academy x2

Newburgh Mathers Primary x2

Old Rayne School

Port Errol Primary x 2

St Peters RC School

Ythan Bridge School x 2

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 90

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 IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2023/S 000-013202](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

Dedicated School Transport, Minimum Cost Combined Local Bus/School Transport and Other Scheduled Education Transport Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

4 August 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 50

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 50

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Victoria Group Limited

Forehill, Longside Road

Peterhead

AB423LA

Telephone

+44 01779480480

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

ABERDEENSHIRE TAXIS LTD

Skybrae, Midmar

Inverurie

AB51 7NL

Telephone

+44 01224444444

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

A & I Coaches Ltd

Unit 19, Spurryhillock Ind Est

Stonehaven

AB39 2NH

Telephone

+44 01569764333

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Smith and Sons Coaches

The Coach Depot, Woodside

Coupar Angus

PH13 9LW

Telephone

+44 01828626262

Fax

+44 01828628518

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

AJS Contract Cars Ltd

Eastfield, Blackhills

Peterhead

AB42 3LB

Telephone

+44 01779479995

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Classy Taxis Ltd

Unit 3 Fairneyhill Business Park, Anderson Road, Fraserburgh

Fraserburgh

AB43 9LG

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Kininmonth Cabs Ltd

Richard Allen House, Mintlaw Industrial Estate, Station Road

Mintlaw

AB42 5EE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Central Taxis (North East) Limited

Millbank, Boddam

Peterhead

AB42 3AN

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

G2 Taxi Travel

23 Eilean Rise

Ellon

AB41 7NF

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM50 - Aberdeen City and Aberdeenshire

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £887,778.80

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Award Notice for mini competition carried out under Lot 1 - of the Aberdeenshire Council's Dynamic Purchasing System 2023 -2028 via PCS-T. Full details of the award including contract numbers and values can be found on the Aberdeenshire Council's Contract Register under the following reference numbers:

CRN00039534

CRN00039533

(SC Ref:810007)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Aberdeen Sheriff Court

Aberdeen

Country

United Kingdom