

Contract notice

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Section I: Contracting Change entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Address of the buyer profile: https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00231

I.2) Joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

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

<https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be sent electronically to:

<https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

Other: Transportation

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Design, Development and Deployment of a Transport Journey Planning Tool

Reference number: 000-HUQP8633

II.1.2) Main CPV code

72212000

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

This commission is to design, develop and deploy an interactive multimodal journey planning tool for the Aberdeen City Region, which incorporates operational data sets into the journey planning process, ready for launch in February 2020.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

71311200

72220000

72246000

72266000

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS code:

UKM50

Main site or place of performance:

Aberdeen.

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Aberdeen is 1 of the several Living Lab cities for Civitas' Horizon 2020 PORTIS project aimed at encouraging sustainable urban mobility. Aberdeen City Council has begun to implement a transport strategy as part of the Civitas Portis to improve the city's transport system. The scope of this particular project is part of the European Union (EU) Civitas Portis Project and as such this procurement receives funding through the EU's Horizon 2020 research and innovation programme, under the grant agreement 690713. The EU is however not participating as a contracting authority in this procurement.

This commission is to design, develop and deploy an interactive multimodal journey planning tool for the Aberdeen City Region, which incorporates operational data sets into the journey planning process, ready for launch in February 2020. The successful tenderer shall subsequently design augmentations to this first iteration of the product by means of a co-design process. This co-design process shall be undertaken through engagement with potential users of the journey planning tool, across a range of transport interests and demographic groups, carrying out a series of at least 2 further 'design sprints' informed by this process. Design extensions to the core product shall be reviewed against the overall Civitas Portis project objectives, and the objectives of this specific measure, by the successful tenderer. Following the delivery of these key milestones, the successful tenderer shall assume post-deployment system management and support services for the tool. Further 'design sprints' to enhance the functionality of the tool will also be considered. In this respect it is expected that the successful tenderer shall develop the journey planning tool using an agile methodology, with the first iteration of the core product developed in a manner which allows additional features of the tool to be developed and deployed in agile design 'sprints'.

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

Duration in months: 36

This contract is subject to renewal: Yes

Description of renewals:

2 x 12 month extensions at the sole discretion of the Council.

II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

Objective criteria for choosing the limited number of candidates:

Due to the nature of the services it is envisaged there will be a limited number of suitably qualified suppliers to perform the required services. Full details can be found in the attached ESPD Instructions document.

II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options:

Bidders invited to tender shall provide day rates per staff member for optional post-deployment design 'sprints', and subsequent functionality updates to the journey planning tool, separately and clearly within the pricing schedule, along with estimated resource requirements for such 'sprints'.

II.2.13) Information about European Union funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: Yes

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1) Conditions for participation

III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions:

As per attached ESPD Instructions which incorporates the ESPD document.

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

III.2) Conditions related to the contract

III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

IV.1.8) Information about 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 in the OJ S:

2018/S 120-273394

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

Date: 10/09/2019

Local time: 12:00

IV.2.3) Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

Date: 24/09/2019

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

EN

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

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

VI.3) Additional information

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Suppliers are advised to allow adequate time for uploading documents and to dispatch the electronic response well in advance of the closing time to avoid any last minute problems.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

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VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice

08/08/2019