

United Kingdom-Cardiff: Aggregates

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Contract notice

Supplies

Directive 2004/18/EC

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: City of Cardiff Council
Postal address: County Hall, Atlantic Wharf
Town: Cardiff
Postal code: CF10 4UW
Country: United Kingdom
Contact person: Commissioning & Procurement
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Internet address(es):

General address of the contracting authority: http://www.cardiff.gov.uk/content.asp?parent_directory_id=2865

Address of the buyer profile: http://www.sell2wales.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0422

Additional information can be obtained from:

Official name: City of Cardiff Council
Postal address: County Hall, Atlantic Wharf
Town: Cardiff
Postal code: CF10 4UW
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Specifications and additional documents (including documents for competitive dialogue and a dynamic purchasing system) can be obtained from:

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Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted: Official name: City of Cardiff Council

Postal address: County Hall, Atlantic Wharf
Town: Cardiff
Postal code: CF10 4UW
Country: United Kingdom
Contact person: Cashier Safe, Room 255

For the attention of: Chief Officer for Legal and Democratic Services

Telephone: +44 2920873734

Internet address: http://www.cardiff.gov.uk/content.asp?parent_directory_id=2865

I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.3. Main activity

General public services

I.4. Contract award on behalf of other contracting authorities

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: yes

Official name: Blaenau Gwent County Council

Official name: Bridgend County Borough Council

Official name: Caerphilly County Borough Council

Official name: Carmarthenshire County Council

Official name: Ceredigion County Council

Official name: Denbeighshire County Council

Official name: Flintshire County Council

Official name: Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council

Official name: Monmouthshire County Council

Official name: Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council

Official name: Newport County Council

Official name: Pembrokeshire County Council

Official name: Powys County Council

Official name: Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council

Official name: City & County of Swansea Council

Official name: Torfaen County Borough Council

Official name: Vale of Glamorgan Council

Official name: Wrexham County Borough Council

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

II.1.1. Title attributed to the contract by the contracting authority

WPC Asphalt, Macadam, Aggregates, Sand and Ready Mix Concrete Framework.

II.1.2. Type of contract and place of performance or delivery

Supplies

Purchase

Main site or place of performance: Blaneau Gwent, Bridgend, Caerphilly, Cardiff, Carmarthenshire, Ceredigion, Denbighshire, Flintshire, Merthyr Tydfil, Monmouthshire, Neath Port Talbot, Newport, Pembrokeshire, Powys, Rhondda Cynon Taff, Swansea, Torfaen, Vale of Glamorgan, and Wrexham.

NUTS code UK United Kingdom

II.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

Framework agreement with several operators

Number Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 0

Duration of the framework agreement

Duration in months: 48

Estimated total value of purchases for the entire duration of the framework agreement

Estimated value excluding VAT: 32 000 000 GBP

II.1.5. Short description of the contract or purchase(s)

Cardiff Council are acting as lead authority on behalf of the WPC for the framework arrangement for the Supply of Asphalt, Macadam, Drystone Aggregate, Sand & Ready mix Concrete for the period 3rd October, 2014 to the 2nd October, 2016 with the option to extend for up to an additional 2 x 12 month periods. These items have been split into 8 LOTS and then Sub-Lots.

The value of the proposed Framework Agreement has been calculated with reference to the historical spend of all those public sector organisations named.

The Lead Authority offers no guarantee of volume or value in respect of any future expenditure. This Framework Agreement procurement exercise is being led by Cardiff Council on behalf of the participating bodies in the WPC.

There are a number of organisations who have indicated that they may choose to use and/or are interested in using this framework during its lifetime. These organisations are:

Blaenau Gwent County Borough Council; Bridgend County Borough Council; Caerphilly County Borough Council; City of Cardiff Council; Carmarthenshire County Council; Ceredigion County Council; Denbighshire County Council; Flintshire County Council; Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council; Monmouthshire County Council; Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council; Newport City Council; Pembrokeshire County Council; Powys County Council; Rhondda Cynon Taf County Borough Council; City & County of Swansea Council; Torfaen County Borough Council; Vale of Glamorgan Council; Wrexham County Borough Council.

The Framework has been divided into 8 Lots on the basis of type, and each Authority is represented in each Lot as a Sub-Lot. We will look to appoint a maximum of three contractors per Sub-Lot.

Lot 1 - Hot Rolled Asphalt

Lot 2 - Close Graded and Dense Bitumen Macadam

Lot 3 - Medium and Fine Graded Bitumen Macadam

Lot 4 - Aggregates for Bituminous Mixtures and Surface Treatments

Lot 5 - Aggregates for unbound and Hydraulically Bound Material

Lot 6 - Aggregates for Concrete

Lot 7 - Sand

Lot 8 - Ready Mix Concrete

Further detail is provided in the tender documentation. Tenderers can bid for one, some or all the Lots and Sub-Lots.

Tenderers should note that although the Lead Authority for the purposes of this procurement is the City of Cardiff Council, an organisation wishing to use this arrangement will need to enter into a framework agreement with their appointed Sub-Lot contractors on the terms and conditions set out in the tender documentation.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

14212200 Aggregates, 44912200 Sandstone, 14213000 Macadam, tarmac and tar sands, 14211000 Sand, 44114100 Ready-mixed concrete, 44113620 Asphalt, 44113600 Bitumen and asphalt

II.1.7. Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: yes

II.1.8. Lots

This contract is divided into lots: yes
Tenders may be submitted for one or more lots

II.1.9. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

The estimated value over the maximum term of 4 years is 32 000 000 GBP excluding VAT, however, this figure is not a guarantee and is based on historical spend data alone.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: no

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.3. Duration of the contract or time limit for completion

Duration in months: 48 (from the award of the contract)

Information about lots

Lot No: 1

Lot title: Hot Rolled Asphalt

1) Short description

Conforming to EN13108 Part 4), Stone Mastic Asphalt(Conforming to EN13108, Part 5), Hot Rolled Asphalt Sand Carpet.

2) CPV code(s)

44113620 Asphalt

3) Quantity or scope

As indicated on Pricing Schedule.

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 3

Lot title: Medium & Fine Graded Bitumen Macadam

1) Short description

Medium & Fine Graded Bitumen Macadam BS4987 Part1

2) CPV code(s)

44113610 Bitumen

3) Quantity or scope

As indicated in Pricing Schedule.

4) Indication about different time frame or duration

5) Additional information about lots

Lot No: 2

Lot title: Close Graded & Dense Bitumen Macadam

- 1) Short description**
Close Graded & Dense Bitumen Macadam BS4987 Part 1.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
44113610 Bitumen
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule.
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 4

Lot title: Aggregates for Bituminous Mixtures and Surface Treatments

- 1) Short description**
Aggregates for Bituminous Mixtures and Surface Treatments.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
14212200 Aggregates, 44113610 Bitumen
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 5

Lot title: Aggregates for Unbound and Hydraulically Bound materials

- 1) Short description**
Aggregates for Unbound and Hydraulically Bound materials.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
14212200 Aggregates
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 6

Lot title: Aggregates for Concrete

- 1) Short description**
Aggregates for Concrete.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
44114000 Concrete, 14212200 Aggregates
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 7

Lot title: Sand

- 1) Short description**
Sand.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
14211000 Sand
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule.
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Lot No: 8

Lot title: Ready Mix Concrete

- 1) Short description**
Ready Mix Concrete.
- 2) CPV code(s)**
44114100 Ready-mixed concrete
- 3) Quantity or scope**
As indicated in Pricing Schedule
- 4) Indication about different time frame or duration**
- 5) Additional information about lots**

Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

III.1. Conditions related to the contract

III.1.1. Deposits and guarantees required

III.1.2. Main financing conditions and payment arrangements and/or reference to the relevant provisions governing them

As set out in the tender documents.

III.1.3. Legal form to be taken by the group of economic operators to whom the contract is to be awarded

None specified, save that in the case of a partnership or consortia or other grouping of more than one legal entity, one party must act as a "prime contractor" / "lead contractor". Consortia must be legally constituted prior to contract award or establish joint and severable liability.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: yes
Description of particular conditions: As set out in the tender documents

III.2. Conditions for participation

III.2.1. Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers

List and brief description of conditions: As set out in the tender documentation.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: As set out in the tender documentation.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:
As set out in the tender documentation.

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

III.3.2. Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Type of procedure

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open

IV.1.2. Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited

IV.1.3. Information about reduction of the number of solutions or tenders during negotiation or dialogue

IV.2. Award criteria

IV.2.1. Award criteria

The most economically advantageous tender in terms of Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

IV.2.2. Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used: no

IV.3. Administrative information

IV.3.1. File reference number attributed by the contracting authority

WPC/CAR/10026/14

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

IV.3.3. Conditions for obtaining specifications and additional documents or descriptive document

Time limit for receipt of requests for documents or for accessing documents: 18.8.2014

IV.3.4. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

19.8.2014 - 12:00

IV.3.5. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.3.6. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English.

IV.3.7. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 19.8.2014 - 12:00

Place:

County Hall, Cardiff.

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: yes

Information about authorised persons and opening procedure: Authorised personnel in accordance with the Lead Authority CPR's / Standing Orders. Not open to the public.

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

VI.3. Additional information

Any companies expressing an interest in this tender opportunity will be required to register on the Council's suppliers list (If not already registered) prior to downloading the documents. Any company acquiring documents in any way other than through the portal at <http://appswales.alito.co.uk> may not be considered and their submission not evaluated. If you are registering for the first time, you must register your company details against the company profile against category GH02 – Tar macadam and Road Surfacing materials.

You may also register against other relevant categories.

You will then need to search through the bulletin board on the portal for our tender reference WPC/CAR/10026/14 and register your interest in taking part in the tender process.

The documents will then be available for applicants to download. Please note the documents are only available by download from this site, and will not be issued in any other way.

The Council reserves the right to award all, part or none of the business forming the subject matter of this procurement and to abandon this procurement at any time. Under no circumstances will the Council incur any liability (including, but not limited to, liability as to costs) in respect of this procurement exercise, the abandonment of the same, or any documentation issued as part of this procurement exercise.

The tender documents will outline the requirements of the tender process and the evaluation criteria.

Tenders are to be returned in accordance with the instructions in the tender documentation and in order to receive consideration must be received no later than 12:00:00, Noon on Tuesday 19.8.2014.

The selection criteria is as detailed in the ITT documentation.

The tender award criteria for this procurement will comprise of cost and quality. Full details of the award criteria and the method of evaluation will be provided in the ITT.

The Authority does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender as part of this process. (WA Ref:7968)

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

As stated in the tender documentation.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

VI.4.2. Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures: The Authority will incorporate the mandatory standstill period as directed by the Public Contracts Regulation 32 (1) to 32(2A) and send the award decision notice which will include: the award criteria, the reasons for the decision including the characteristics and relative advantages of the successful winner; if the bid is held not to be compliant with any technical specification, the reasons for that decision; the name of the party to be awarded the contract, and a precise statement of when the standstill period is expected to end, including how it may be affected by any 'contingencies' eg., complaints or challenges, and the date after which the contract may be entered into. Applicants will have the duration of the standstill period to ask further questions or bring proceedings. Such information should be sought from the contact named in Section 1.1 of this notice. It should be noted that the Authority is now automatically obliged to refrain from entering into a contract when proceedings are brought in respect of the award decision and the contract has not be entered into or the framework concluded. The contractor must serve the legal claim form on the contracting authority (in accordance with rules of court) that represents the formal trigger for the Authority to suspend the contract-making. It should also be noted that an organisation wishing to use this arrangement will need to enter into a framework agreement with their appointed Sub-Lot contractors on the terms and conditions set out within the tender pack.

VI.4.3. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

3.7.2014