Norway-Vinje: Travel agency, tour operator and tourist assistance services
OJ S 108/2018 08/06/2018
Contract notice
Services

Legal Basis:
Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Vinje kommune
National registration number: 964 964 610
Postal address: Vinjevegen 192
Town: Vinje
NUTS code: NO034 Telemark
Postal code: 3890
Country: Norway
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Internet address(es):
Main address: http://www.innkjopskontoret.no

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?UniqueId=afqdmcalkf&GoTo=Docs
Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: https://tendsign.no/doc.aspx?UniqueId=afqdmcalkf&GoTo=Tender

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Other type: Municipal

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

Tourism Services
Reference number: 18/80

II.1.2. Main CPV code

63500000 Travel agency, tour operator and tourist assistance services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

The competition is for a contract for tourism services.
The procurement value is estimated to: 1 750 000 NOK excluding VAT per annum.
The amount is an estimate and is not binding for the Contracting Authority.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

63510000 Travel agency and similar services, 63513000 Tourist information services, 63515000 Travel services, 79410000 Business and management consultancy services, 79416100 Public relations management services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO034 Telemark

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

On 2.2.2017 Vinje municipal council adopted the transport part of the municipality plan for 2016-2035. The plan has three priority areas and Vinje — with nature as a resource, is one of them. This means that:
Vinje is a leading tourist municipality that uses natural resources and culture to increase value creation within tourism and visitor business. Rauland and Vågslid are priority areas for tourism. By priority area we mean compact holiday cabin development, connection to municipal infrastructure and major facilitation of communal benefits such as a ski track network and other qualities that make the priority area an attractive destination. We will secure and facilitate paths, ski tracks and access to recreational areas through cooperation with landowners and organisations.
The business plan for Vinje municipality 2017-2021 was adopted in the municipal council on 6.4.2017. Tourism is 1 of 3 main priority areas in the municipality. Tourism is the main business in the municipality, which includes tourism destination and holiday cabin destination.
On 5.12.2017 Vinje municipality signed a contract with Visit Telemark AS for a basic package. The municipality will be responsible for the rest of the tourism assignments. Vinje municipality therefore needs a contract with a cooperation partner to carry out these other assignments.
Run a year-round tourist office in the municipality.
Provide information for visitors. Respond in writing and orally to requests from potential tourists, tour operators, the press, etc.
Operate and maintain websites and be active on social media, etc.
Function as an initiator and coordinator for the development of tourism priorities in the municipality.
Cooperate with Visit Norway and Visit Telemark.
Carry out ongoing market activities together with businesses.
The host function must be able to communicate with guests from Norway and abroad. The Contracting Authority assumes that the tenderer has, and can use, new platforms for information, marketing and communication in the future.
See part 2, requirement specifications, for further information.
Lots and alternative tenders.
Tenders cannot be submitted for parts of the assignment, and alternative tenders are not allowed.

The Contracting Authority has considered dividing up the assignment in accordance with PPR §19-4, but has decided that this is not suitable.

II.2.5. Award criteria
Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system
Start: 01/01/2019
This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants
Variants will be accepted: no

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

II.2.14. Additional information

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:
(ESPD: Part II A.e) Certificates for Tax and VAT.
The tenderer shall have settled conditions in relation to payment of taxes and VAT.
(ESPD: Part IV B.58-3) Other economic and financial requirements: Economic and financial position.
Requirements regarding the tenderer´s economic and financial position: The financial capacity to fulfil the contract is required.

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure
Open procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or 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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate
Date: 13/08/2018 Local time: 12:00

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

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

IV.2.6. Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender
Tender must be valid until: 15/10/2018

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders
Date: 13/08/2018 Local time: 12:01

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence
This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information
Visma notice: https://opic.com/id/afqdmcalkf

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body
Official name: Innkjøpskontoret AS
Town: Gjellumlia 10a Heggedal
Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice
06/06/2018