

United Kingdom-Manchester: Business and management consultancy and related services

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: GM Business Support Ltd

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Internet address(es):Main address: <http://www.businessgrowthhub.com/>Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.businessgrowthhub.com/>**I.3. Communication**The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/manchestergrowthcompany.aspx/Home>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/manchestergrowthcompany.aspx/Home>**I.4. Type of the contracting authority**

Other type: Private company running publicly funded projects

I.5. Main activity

Other activity: Support to local businesses via public funded projects

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement**II.1.1. Title**

Greater Manchester Leadership for Productivity

Reference number: T21067

II.1.2. Main CPV code

79400000 Business and management consultancy and related services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

GC Business Growth Hub (GC BGH) is seeking to appoint a service provider (single Service Delivery Provider or consortium with a 'lead' operator) to complement and add value to the existing business support available across Greater Manchester for leadership and management development.

The target market for this programme is Greater Manchester based SMEs that are looking to improve their productivity; recover from Covid-19; respond to innovative opportunities; and develop their skills, knowledge, and expertise to enable growth. We are particularly looking for a Service Delivery Provider/s who can reach businesses who previously haven't accessed leadership and management support.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 333 334,00 GBP

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKD3 Greater Manchester

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The appointed Service Delivery Provider/s will need to clearly demonstrate both the capacity to deliver at volume and the ability to mobilize quickly and efficiently.

The successful Service Delivery Provider/s will also offer signposting to thematic and sector programmes available to GM businesses, as well as mentoring initiatives, offered by partners such as the Growth Company.

The Service Delivery Provider/s must be prepared to attend a quarterly contract performance meeting with an identified member of BGH staff. The agenda for these meetings will include a progress summary to date for all areas of scope, a review of business engaging on the programme, what is planned for forthcoming months amongst others to be discussed and agreed with the supplier.

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

Value excluding VAT: 333 333,00 GBP

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

Start: 04/01/2022 End: 30/09/2023

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: yes

Identification of the project: This programme is funded by the European Regional Development Fund (ERDF) with match funding from the Greater Manchester Combined Authority (GMCA), therefore all businesses assisted will need to meet ERDF eligibility requirements.

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

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents

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: 02/08/2021 Local time: 10:00

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

English

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 02/08/2021 Local time: 10:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

The contract period will be from the award date until the 30 September 2023, with an option, to be exercised at GM Business Support Limited sole discretion for an additional 12 months.

Please note that payments will be made quarterly in arrears.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1.

Review body

Official name: GM Business Support Ltd

Town: Manchester

Country: United Kingdom

VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: GM Business Support Ltd

Town: Manchester

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

30/06/2021