

United Kingdom-Winsford: Automobile emergency road services

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Contract notice**Services****Directive 2004/18/EC****Section I: Contracting authority**

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Cheshire Constabulary

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Official name: The Police & Crime Commissioner for Cheshire

Postal address: Economic Operators wishing to Express Interest and obtain the Invitation to Tender document, should go to www.bluelight.gov.uk and click on New Opportunities which is within the Supplier Area box on the left of the screen. On the next screen enter 9DTDWG in the box labelled 'contains' then click search. Click on the blue link for the contract title to view the opportunity. To express interest you will need to login. If you are not already registered on www.bluelight.gov.uk you will need to return to the home page and click on the 'Register Company' link in the Supplier Area box on the left. Registration is free of charge and your user name and password will be emailed to you.

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: The Police & Crime Commissioner for Cheshire

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I.2. Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.3. Main activity

Public order and safety

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

The contracting authority is purchasing on behalf of other contracting authorities: no

Section II: Object of the contract

II.1. Description

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

Provision of a Fully Managed Vehicle Recovery Scheme (2014) - CPA/SPU/293.

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

Services

Service category No 1: Maintenance and repair services

Main site or place of performance: Cheshire Constabulary Area covering the four unitary authorities of Cheshire West & Chester, Cheshire East, Halton and Warrington.

NUTS code UKD2 Cheshire

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

The notice involves a public contract

II.1.4. Information about framework agreement

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

Fully Managed Vehicle Recovery Scheme to include: call handling, a managed network of approved vehicle recovery operators, roadside breakdown and recovery services (heavy and light vehicles as well as plant/property), single disposal process, complaint and dispute resolution including legal support and consolidated invoicing.

II.1.6. CPV code(s)

50118000 Automobile emergency road services - FB03

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: no

II.1.9. Information about variants

II.2. Scope of the procurement

II.2.1. Total quantity or scope

The Police and Crime Commissioner for Cheshire is seeking expressions of interest for the provision of a Fully Managed Vehicle Recovery Scheme. The service is to include: call handling, a managed network of approved vehicle recovery operators, roadside breakdown

and recovery services (heavy and light vehicles as well as plant/property), single disposal process, complaint and dispute resolution including legal support and consolidated invoicing. The fully managed vehicle recovery scheme will be provided by the Contractor/Managing Agent and it will be their responsibility to engage recovery operators who must be PAS43 certified.

The PCC's area is that served by Cheshire Constabulary covering the four unitary authorities of Cheshire West & Chester, Cheshire East, Halton & Warrington and the area contains motorway, trunk roads, 'A' roads and other classifications of road in urban and rural settings. The PCC requires a sustainable vehicle recovery scheme where recovery operators are either assigned to specific geographic areas (linked to beat codes) or deployed utilising a 'best time to incident' system. The Recovery Operator deployed will be the one contracted to the area where the incident occurs or the one who has been identified as the 'best time to incident'. The PCC also requires the Contractor/Managing Agent to arrange for a single organisation to deal with the collection and disposal of vehicles for auction, scrapping, breaking or crushing; end of life vehicles and disposal of property.

The Contractor/Managing Agent will be required to work with the PCC to implement any best practice solutions or ACPO requirements, an example of such an initiative would be the 'Early Notification to Insurers' scheme.

In the period November 2012 – October 2013, circa 8 000 incidents were dealt with through the Vehicle Recovery Scheme.

The contract term is 48 months to commence from 1.6.2014 until the 31.5.2018. There is the option to extend the contract for a further 2 periods of 12 months.

II.2.2. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options: There is the option to extend the contract for a further 2 periods of 12 months.

II.2.3. Information about renewals

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Number of possible renewals: 2

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

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

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

See Invitation to Tender document.

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

Joint and several liability.

III.1.4. Contract performance conditions

The performance of the contract is subject to particular conditions: no

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: Any supplier may be disqualified who:

- (a) is bankrupt or is being wound up, where his affairs are being administered by the court, where he has entered into an arrangement with creditors, where he has suspended business activities or is in any analogous situation arising from a similar procedure under national laws and regulations;
- (b) is the subject of proceedings for a declaration of bankruptcy, for an order compulsory winding up the administration by the court or of an arrangement with creditors or of any other similar proceedings under national laws and regulations;
- (c) has been convicted by a judgment which has the force of res judicata in accordance with the legal provisions of the country of any offence concerning his professional conduct;
- (d) has been guilty of grave professional misconduct proven by any means which the contract authorities can demonstrate;
- (e) has not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of social security contributions in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which he is established or with those of the country of the contracting authority;
- (f) has not fulfilled obligations relating to the payment of taxes in accordance with the legal provisions of the country in which he is established or with those of the country of the contracting authority;
- (g) is guilty of serious misrepresentation in supplying the information required under this Section or has not supplied such information;
- (h) has been the subject of a conviction for participation in a criminal organization, as defined in Article 2(1) of Council Joint Action 98/733/JHA;
- (i) has been the subject of a conviction for corruption, as defined in Article 3 of the Council Act of 26 May 1972 and Article 3(1) of Council Joint Action 98/742/JHA3 respectively;
- (j) has been the subject of a conviction for fraud within the meaning of Article 1 of the Convention relating to the protection of the financial interests of the European Communities;
- (k) has been the subject of a conviction for money laundering, as defined in Article 1 of Council Directive 91/308/EEC of 10 June 1991 on prevention of the use of the financial system for the purpose of money laundering.

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

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Directive 2004/18/EC and Regulation 23 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006

Statutory Instrument 2006 No 5 and as set out in the Economic Operator

Questionnaire which is part of the Invitation to Tender document and available

from the address in section I.1.

III.2.2. Economic and financial ability

List and brief description of conditions: (a) appropriate statements from banks or, where appropriate, evidence of relevant professional risk indemnity insurance;

(b) the presentation of balance-sheets or extracts from the balance-sheets, where publication of the balance-sheet is required under the law of the country in which the economic operator is established;

(c) a statement of the undertaking's overall turnover and, where appropriate, of turnover in the area covered by the contract for a maximum of the last 3 financial years available, depending on the date on which the undertaking was set up or the economic operator started trading, as far as the information of these turnovers is available.

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

Directive 2004/18/EC and Regulation 24 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006 Statutory

Instrument 2006 No 5 and as set out in the Economic Operator Questionnaire which is part of the Invitation to Tender document and available from the address in section I.1.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: As set out in the Economic Operator Questionnaire which is contained within the Invitation to Tender.

III.2.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of conditions:

- (b) a list of the principal deliveries effected or the main services provided in the past three years, with the sums, dates and recipients, whether public or private, involved. Evidence of delivery and services provided shall be given: - where the recipient was a contracting authority, in the form of certificates issues or countersigned by the competent authority, - where the recipient was a private purchaser, by the purchaser's certification or, failing this, simply by a declaration by the economic operator;
- (c) an indication of the technicians or technical bodies involved, whether or not belonging directly to the economic operator's undertaking, especially those responsible for quality control and, in the case of public works contracts, those upon whom the contractor can call in order to carry out the work;
- (d) a description of the technical facilities and measures used by the supplier or service provider for ensuring quality and the undertaking's study and research facilities;
- (e) where the products or services to be supplied are complex or, exceptionally, are required for a special purpose, a check carried out by the contracting authorities or on their behalf by a competent official body of the country in which the supplier or service provider is established, subject to that body's agreement, on the production capabilities of the supplier or the technical capacity of the service provider and, if necessary, on the means of study and research which are available to it and the quality control measures it will operate;
- (f) the educational and professional qualifications of the service provider or contractor and/or those of the undertaking's managerial staff and, in particular, those of the person or persons responsible for providing the services or managing the work;
- (g) for public works contracts and public services contracts, and only in appropriate cases, and indication of the environmental management measures that the economic operator will be able to apply when performing the contract;

Information and formalities necessary for evaluating if requirements are met:

Directive 2004/18/EC and Regulation 25 & 26 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2006 Statutory Instrument 2006 No 5 and as set out in the Economic Operator Questionnaire which is part of the Invitation to Tender document and available from the address in section I.1.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

As set out in the Economic Operator Questionnaire which is contained within the Invitation to Tender

III.2.4. Information about reserved contracts

III.3. Conditions specific to services contracts

III.3.1. Information about a particular profession

Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession: no

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 Criteria below

1. Price (See ITT for sub-weightings). Weighting 60

2. Quality Score/Detailed Responses (See ITT for sub-weightings). Weighting 40

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

CPA/SPU/293

IV.3.2. Previous publication concerning this procedure

no

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: 2.1.2014 - 11:00

Payable documents: no

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

13.1.2014 - 11:00

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

Duration in months: 6 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

IV.3.8. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 13.1.2014 - 11:00

Persons authorised to be present at the opening of tenders: no

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about European Union funds

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

no

VI.3. Additional information

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VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

VI.4.2. Review procedure

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

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

26.11.2013