

Norway-Ålesund: Construction work for water and sewage pipelines

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Contract notice – utilities

Works

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/25/EU

Section I: Contracting entity

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Ålesund kommune

National registration number: 920415288

Postal address: Storgata 25

Town: Ålesund

NUTS code: NO Norge

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Internet address(es):Main address: <https://permalink.mercell.com/210743798.aspx>**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/210743798.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/210743798.aspx>

I.6. Main activity

Other activity: Water and sewage

Section II: Object

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

Framework agreement for renovation of pipelines via sliplining

II.1.2. Main CPV code

45231300 Construction work for water and sewage pipelines

II.1.3. Type of contract

Works

II.1.4. Short description

The procurement concerns a framework agreement for the renovation of sewage pipelines via sliplining, as well as the renovation/replacement of manholes and reconnection of private service pipelines.

The purpose of the procurement is to cover the need for pipeline renewal for sewage pipelines. The contractor must take care of provisional rerouting of sewage and traffic for all sub-projects. Users of this framework agreement will be: Ålesund municipality, Giske municipality, Sula municipality, Ørsta municipality, Volda municipality, Stranda municipality.

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II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 10 000 000,00 NOK

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: NO0A3 Møre og Romsdal

Main site or place of performance: Ålesund Municipality

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The Builder on the contract is Ålesund municipality.

Ålesund municipality now consists of the former municipalities of Ålesund, Skodje, Ørskog, Haram and Sandøy. They were merged on 01.01.20. Ålesund municipality is the largest municipality in Møre og Romsdal.

In June 2022, the Norwegian Parliament decided that the former Haram municipality would go back to being a separate municipality. This means that Haram and Ålesund will be established as two new municipalities from 01.01.2024.

The contract will be signed with the chosen tenderer must take into account that such a division will take place.

New Haram will be free to withdraw from this contract and will not be bound by its terms from 01.01.2024. If new Haram chooses to continue the contractual relationship, this will take place under the same terms and conditions as before the municipality was divided for all contract parties. If new Haram chooses to withdraw from the contract, this will be of no consequence for the terms and conditions of other contract parties, unless there is a reduction in the volume of the contract.

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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: 10 000 000,00 NOK

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

Duration in months: 24

This contract is subject to renewal: yes

Description of renewals:

The Builder has an option to extend the framework agreement for one year at a time, up to 2 years.

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

II.2.11. Information about options

Options: yes

Description of options:

Option for extension for 1+1 year.

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

List and brief description of conditions:

REQUIREMENT: Tenderers must have their affairs in order with respect to the payment of tax, payroll tax and value added tax (VAT). Documentation requirement: Tax Certificate, not older than six months from the qualification deadline. Tax Certificate means: For Norwegian contractors:

Tax and VAT certificate issued by the Norwegian Tax Administration via Altinn.

For foreign contractors: Foreign tenderers must submit equivalent certificates from their own country that show that they have their affairs in order with respect to the payment of taxes and duties. If the authorities in the relevant country do not issue such certificates, the tenderer should submit a declaration stating that all taxes and duties have been paid. The statement must be approved and signed by the contractor's Financial Director/person responsible for finance.

REQUIREMENT: Contractors must be a legally established company. DOCUMENTATION

REQUIREMENT: Norwegian contractors: Company registration certificate. The Builder will obtain a Company Registration Certificate from the Brønnøysund Register Centre for Norwegian tenderers. Norwegian contractors therefore do not need to submit a Company Registration Certificate. Foreign contractors: Verification that the contractor is registered in an industry register or business register in accordance with the laws and regulations in the country in which the contract is established as a legally established business.

III.1.2. Economic and financial standing

List and brief description of selection criteria:

REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have sufficient financial strength to fulfil the contract.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have sufficient financial strength to fulfil the contract. The assessment criteria for financial strength are: revenue, profitability, solvency, liquidity and payment history, in relation to the specific contract. DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: The contractor's annual accounts, including notes with the boards and auditor's reports from the last three years (2020-2022). The Builder reserves the right to obtain their own credit rating.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have sufficient experience from projects of an equivalent nature, complexity and scope. REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have the necessary capacity and access to resources that have the competence and execution capability in the specialist areas required for the assignment. Contractors must meet the applicable requirements in order to be able to declare the right of responsibility for contractors in the measure class that is necessary in relation to the size and complexity of the functions to be performed. REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have a quality assurance system that is suitable for the delivery and the risk involved. REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have an environmental management system that meets the requirements of ISO 14001, Eco-Lighthouse, EMAS or equivalent.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required:

REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have sufficient experience from projects of an equivalent nature, complexity and scope. Projects of a similar nature means experience with: Renovation of pipelines via sliplining of min. DN400 sewage pipelines (wastewater and surface water), with associated service pipeline work, manhole work and maintenance of subscriptions. The contractor must have performed more than 50% of the contract. DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: A list of 3 to 5 contracts that the contractor has carried out or is in the process of carrying out, during the last seven years from the tender deadline. The list must contain the following for each of the contracts: Name of the builder (Builder), period of execution, value of the contract, description of the assignment: Reference assignment, how the reference is relevant to this assignment, see comment on "similar nature" in the left column, Response to how much of the work was carried out by the contractor themselves, and what work was carried out by subcontractors (contract assistants). REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have the necessary capacity and access to resources that have the competence and execution capability in the specialist areas required for the assignment. The contractor must meet the applicable requirements in order to be able to declare the right of responsibility for contractors in the necessary measure class in relation to the size and complexity of the functions to be performed, cf. CASE 10 chapters 9 through 11. Including the following measure classes: Road and groundworks TK3, cast-in-place concrete structures TK1, sanitary installations TK3, water supply and sewage systems TK3. DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Tenderers must provide a description of the workforce they have available for the execution of the contract. Tenderers must submit valid central approval for the right of responsibility in the measure class for the functions that will be performed, or other documentation that substantiates that the contractor meets the requirements for declaring the right of responsibility in the measure class. REQUIREMENT: Tenderers must have quality assurance measures that are suitable for the delivery and the risk involved. DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: A description of the contractor's quality assurance system (the table of contents will not be accepted as documentation). If the contractor is certified in accordance with ISO 9001 or equivalent quality assurance standards, it is sufficient to make a copy of a valid certificate. REQUIREMENT: Contractors must have an environmental management system that meets the requirements of ISO 14001, Eco-Lighthouse, EMAS or equivalent. DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT: Verification (certificate) issued by an independent body. The Builder will accept other documentation of equivalent environmental management measures if the contractor does not have the opportunity to obtain such certificates by the deadline and if this is not the fault of the contractor. This requires that the contractor substantiates that these measures are equivalent to the requested standards. If a contractor relies on other businesses to fulfil the requirement,

the contractor must also account for how the environmental management system of the supporting company will specifically be incorporated in the relevant contract. **REQUIREMENT:** Contractors must have an HSE system that fulfils the requirements in the Regulations on systematic health, environment, and safety work in entities (internal control regulations). **DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENT:** Description of the contractor's system for safeguarding HSE, and possibly ISO 45001 certification. The system will be subject to periodic audits.

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

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

Framework agreement with a single operator

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: 25/09/2023 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: 22/12/2023

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 25/09/2023 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.2. Information about electronic workflows

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Møre og Romsdal tingrett

Town: Ålesund

Postal code: 6001

Country: Norway

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

25/08/2023