

United Kingdom-Craigavon: Training services
OJ S 247/2020 18/12/2020
Contract award notice
Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council

Postal address: Craigavon Civic and Conference Centre

Town: Craigavon

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: BT64 1AL

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: SSDAdmin.CPD@finance-ni.gov.uk

Internet address(es):

Main address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

Address of the buyer profile: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1. Scope of the procurement

II.1.1. Title

The Delivery of the Transform Your Business Programme for Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council

Reference number: 3077390

II.1.2. Main CPV code

80500000 Training services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council has received funding from Invest Northern Ireland under EU Investment for Growth and Jobs Programme (2014-2020) LED Measure to deliver a new business support programme to local companies in the Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council area.

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.1.7. Total value of the procurement

Value excluding VAT: 554 325,00 GBP

II.2. Description

II.2.2. Additional CPV code(s)

80000000 Education and training services, 80510000 Specialist training services, 80521000 Training programme services, 80530000 Vocational training services, 79410000 Business and management consultancy services, 79411100 Business development consultancy services

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: 00 Other or Not Specified

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

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II.2.5. Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: AC01 Key personnel experience / Weighting: 22.4

Quality criterion - Name: AC02 Proposed methodology / Weighting: 22.4

Quality criterion - Name: AC03 Ability to deliver to schedule / Weighting: 13.6

Quality criterion - Name: AC04 Monitoring, reporting, quality and contract management / Weighting: 13.6

Quality criterion - Name: AC05 Risk management / Weighting: 8

Cost criterion - Name: Total contract price / Weighting: 20

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: ERDF/INI/BCC funded project.

II.2.14. Additional information

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.2.1. Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number in the OJ S: [2020/S 198-481272](#)

IV.2.8. Information about termination of dynamic purchasing system

IV.2.9. Information about termination of call for competition in the form of a prior information notice

Section V: Award of contract

Contract No: 1

Title:

The Delivery of the Transform Your Business Programme for Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough Council

A contract/lot is awarded: yes

V.2. Award of contract

V.2.1. Date of conclusion of the contract

09/12/2020

V.2.2. Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: no

V.2.3. Name and address of the contractor

Official name: Innovate-NI Ltd

Postal address: 10-14 Bishop St

Town: Derry

NUTS code: UK United Kingdom

Postal code: BT48 8JB

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: barney.toal@innovate-ni.com

Internet address: <https://etendersni.gov.uk/epps>

The contractor is an SME: yes

V.2.4. Information on value of the contract/lot

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: 554 325,00 GBP

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V.2.5. Information about subcontracting

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.3. Additional information

Contract monitoring. The successful contractor's performance on this contract will be managed as per the specification and regularly monitored (see Procurement Guidance Note 01/12 — Contract Management — Procedures and Principles). Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a

specified time to improve. If, after the specified time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a notice of unsatisfactory performance and this contract may be terminated. A central register of such notices for supplies and services contracts will be maintained and published on the CPD website. Any contractor. in receipt of a notice of unsatisfactory performance will be required to declare this in future tender submissions for a period of 3 years from the date of issue of the notice. It may also result in the contractor being excluded from all procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland Procurement Policy.

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: The UK does not have any special review body with responsibility for appeal /mediation procedures in public procurement competitions. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015

Town: UK

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

14/12/2020