

Norway-Bodø: Research consultancy 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: Husbanken

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Internet address(es):Main address: <https://permalink.mercell.com/213992025.aspx>Address of the buyer profile: <http://www.husbanken.no/>**I.3. Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://permalink.mercell.com/213992025.aspx>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://permalink.mercell.com/213992025.aspx>

I.4. Type of the contracting authority

National or federal agency/office

I.5. Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

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

Mapping homelessness in Norway 2024

Reference number: 2023/32110

II.1.2. Main CPV code

73210000 Research consultancy services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

In Norway, there is a clear goal that no one should be homeless, and the number of persons experiencing homelessness was almost halved in the period from 2012-2020 to 3,325 people. Through this assignment, the Norwegian State Housing Bank would like to obtain a new status for homelessness as of 2024, and to be able to monitor developments in the municipalities. Only a limited amount of data on homelessness is available through statistics, and must therefore be mapped separately. The assignment assumes that the survey is based on the methods and definitions that were used in previous surveys. At the same time, the intention is that the data be more widely used in the municipalities.

II.1.5. Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: 2 600 000,00 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: NO Norge

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The assignment that will be put out to tender in 2023 has a framework of NOK 750,000 with an option for continuation in 2024 and 2025, totalling NOK 3,250,000 including VAT.

The assignment starting in 2023 will mainly involve planning and preparations for the mapping that will take place in 2024. This includes obtaining the required permits for carrying out the survey. Such approval is required for the option to be exercised and for the entire project to be carried out as outlined. This also depends on the available budgetary funding, as well as an assessment of the technical progress of the project. The deadline for the status report on the assignment is 31.05.2024.

The assignment in 2024 will mainly consist of preparing the final questionnaire, contacting respondents and carrying out the survey. Registering homelessness must be carried out in week 48 in 2024. Status reports for the assignment for 2024 must be submitted by 16 December

In 2025, the assignment will mainly consist of analysis and dissemination, and the deadline for the report is 02.06.2025, but the main figures must be communicated earlier so that they can be included in the Norwegian state Housing Bank's reporting in the annual report for 2024.

This is to be determined.

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: 2 600 000,00 NOK

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

Start: 01/12/2023 End: 31/05/2024

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: yes

Description of options:

The assignment is being announced with an option for 2024 and 2025. The part of the assignment starting in 2023 has a value of up to NOK 600,000, excluding VAT. The assignment must be completed by 31.05.24. The option for 2024 has a value of up to NOK 800,000 excluding VAT, and the option for 2025 has a value of up to NOK 1,200,000, excluding VAT.

Any option assignments must be completed by 16.12.24 and 02.06.25.

The use of the option for 2024 and 2025 depends on the available budgetary funding, as well as an assessment of the professional progress in the project.

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:

Tenderers must be registered in a company register, professional register or a trade register in the country where the tenderer is established. Documented by: Norwegian companies: Company Registration Certificate Foreign companies: Verification showing that the company is registered in a company register, professional register or a trade register in the country where the tenderer is established.

III.1.3. Technical and professional ability

List and brief description of selection criteria:

Tenderers must have experience from comparable assignments. Documented by: A description of up to 3 of the tenderer's most relevant assignments over the past 3 years. The description must include a statement of the assignment value, dates and recipients (name, telephone number and e-mail address). It is the tenderer's responsibility to document relevance through the description. Tenderers can document experience by referring to the competence of personnel at disposal for this assignment, including experience that has been acquired while personnel performed services for another supplier.

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: 13/11/2023 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: 13/02/2024

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 13/11/2023 Local time: 12:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Drammen tingrett

Town: DRAMMEN

Country: Norway

VI.4.2. Body responsible for mediation procedures

Official name: Klagenemnda for offentlige anskaffelser

Town: BERGEN

Country: Norway

VI.4.4. Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Official name: Klagenemnda for offentlige anskaffelser

Postal address: PB 439, Sentrum

Town: BERGEN

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VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

13/10/2023