

Portal Contract Reference: DN491108
Internal Contract Reference: CS5678B
Contract Title: Youth Services
Initial Contract Duration 36 months
Extensions: 12 + 12 months (optional to the Council)
Estimated Start Date of Contract: 1st April 2021
Estimated Contract Value: £3,450,000 (including extensions)

Description of Services:

The Youth Service aims to provide a wide range of high-quality engaging opportunities and activities for young people aged 11-19 (up to age 25 if they have additional needs) to enable them to build their social and emotional skills, develop their own projects and enjoy safe spaces.

This opportunity is for the **CENTRES BASED ACTIVITIES** that will cover the four quadrants in the borough (the north west, south west, north east and south east); each quadrant is a separate sub-lot.

Lot Number	Quadrant	Estimated Annual Value
Lot 1a	North East Quadrant Bowe East, Bowe West, Bromley North, Bromley South, Mile End	£207,000
Lot 1b	North West Quadrant Bethnal Green, Spitafields and Banglatown, St Peter's Weavers	£138,000
Lot 1c	South East Quadrant Blackwall and Cubit Town, Canary Wharf, Island Gardens, Lansbury, Limehouse, Poplar	£138,000
Lot 1d	South West Quadrant Shadwell, St Dunstan's, St Katherine's and Wapping, Stepney Green, Whitechapel	£207,000

The Suppliers are able to submit a bid for one, several or all lots, however, bidders will be awarded only a maximum of 2 lots.

The limitation of lots that can be awarded are intended to preserve competition and/or to ensure supply reliability.

The Council reserves the right to award more than 2 lots to a bidder if they have submitted a bid for other lots if no other tenders or suitable tenders have been submitted for that lot or lots (i.e. they have not passed the quality threshold).

Suppliers that are submitting a tender for more than 2 lots will be requested to indicate which lot they prefer to be awarded in case they are successful in more than 2 lots.

Other youth activities services have been advertised as CS5678A.

Additional Information:

Bidders should note that the Contract relates to services that fall under the “light touch” regime of Regulations 74 to 77 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015. This Procurement Exercise will therefore be run in accordance with the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 as they apply to “light touch” services. While the Authority is following a process similar to an Open Procedure to set up a Framework Agreement under the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 neither that fact nor any other statements, acts or omissions of the Authority in connection with this Procurement Exercise should be taken as indicating that the Authority intends to be bound by the provisions of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 or the general principles of the Treaty on the Functioning of the European Union to any greater extent than applies by law.

Organisations wishing to express their interest are requested to **register** on the London Tenders Portal (www.londontenders.org) where any related documentation and ITT documentation in regards to this opportunity available for download.

Organisations must ensure that access to the system is available to their representatives dealing with the contract and that this contact is updated as and when required.

The council will not be liable for the lack of delegated access within the organisation and will not send any documentation regarding the opportunity, which shall be exclusively available through the portal.

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