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Contract

Ulva Landing Craft - Integrated Consultancy Services

North West Mull Community Woodland Limited

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05e7b5

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

North West Mull Community Woodland Limited

Penmore Mill, Penmore

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.nwmullwoodland.co.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA16303

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Community-owned charitable company

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Community development, island infrastructure, and asset management

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Ulva Landing Craft - Integrated Consultancy Services

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71300000 - Engineering services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Ulva Landing Craft Project Integrated Consultancy Services. North West Mull Community

Woodland Company sought to appoint a suitably qualified consultancy or consortium to deliver design, regulatory and business planning work for the development of a new community landing craft for the island of Ulva. The contract included producing a full vessel design and technical specification, providing advice on technical feasibility, preparing the regulatory and licensing pathway including Marine Scotland and Crown Estate requirements, and producing a complete business and operational plan covering financial modelling, long term sustainability and funding strategy. The contract also included preparation of the technical specification for a new vessel mooring. The total budget available was 32520 including VAT. All work had to be completed by 31 March 2026. Consortium bids were accepted.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £18,460

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71335000 - Engineering studies
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79415200 - Design consultancy services
- 71354500 - Marine survey services
- 71334000 - Mechanical and electrical engineering services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute

Main site or place of performance

Isle of Ulva

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The contract was procured using an open procedure in accordance with the North West Mull Community Woodland Company Procurement Policy and was advertised on Public

Contracts Scotland. Tenders were submitted electronically via the PCS portal and evaluated by a panel appointed by the Board of North West Mull Community Woodland Company. The contract has been awarded to the most economically advantageous tender based on a combination of quality and price, in accordance with the published award criteria. No variant bids were permitted.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Methodology and approach / Weighting: 30

Quality criterion - Name: Relevant experience and technical competence / Weighting: 20

Quality criterion - Name: Project management and delivery plan / Weighting: 10

Quality criterion - Name: Understanding of regulatory and licensing requirements / Weighting: 10

Price - Weighting: 30

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: No

II.2.14) Additional information

Funded by the Islands Programme

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Open procedure

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

729678

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

24 December 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 4

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Orcades Marine Management Consultants Ltd

Unit 3 Hatston Pier Road

Kirkwall

KW15 1LG

Telephone

+44 1856874884

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Total value of the contract/lot: £18,460

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Oban Sheriff Court

Oban

PA34 4AR

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.scotcourts.gov.uk/the-courts/court-locations/oban-sheriff-court-and-justice-of-the-peace-court>

VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

Any proceedings must be raised in the Sheriff Court or Court of Session in accordance with the time limits set out in the Public Contracts Scotland Regulations.