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## **Bulk Rock Salt 2021-2025**

Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02899e

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council

Sandwell Council House, Freeth Street

Oldbury

B69 3DB

#### **Email**

[shauna\\_docherty@sandwell.gov.uk](mailto:shauna_docherty@sandwell.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKG - WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

## **Internet address(es)**

Main address

[www.sandwell.gov.uk](http://www.sandwell.gov.uk)

## **I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/sandwellmbc>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/sandwellmbc>

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## **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

## **I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

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Reference number

SMBC 20062

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 14410000 - Rock salt

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

This framework is for the provision of the bulk de-icing rock salt to support Sandwell MBC and Dudley MBC in their front-line winter service delivery. This procurement is being undertaken by Sandwell MBC, acting as lead Authority, on behalf of Sandwell and Dudley. The supplied materials are to be delivered to the individual contracting authority's storage depots detailed in the specification. The proposed framework agreement is for the period 25 May 2021 to 24 May 2023 with the option to extend for 2 x 12 months. In accordance with the framework agreement, each contracting authority will enter into its own call-off contract. Call-off contracts will be awarded under the Framework by way of direct award to the sole, appointed Supplier. Volumes may increase or decrease dependent on legislation changes, weather conditions and service requirements, therefore, no level of business is guaranteed. Wolverhampton Council and Walsall MBC may also access this framework.

**II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £1,500,000

**II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

**II.2) Description****II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG - WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

**II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is anticipated that this requirement will be retendered in four years time.

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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

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## **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

Please refer to the ITT documents.

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria

Please refer to the ITT documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Please refer to the ITT documents.

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria

Please refer to the ITT documents.

Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required

Please refer to the ITT documents.

### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

Please refer to the ITT documents.

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## **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

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

Not applicable.

#### **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

12 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Duration in months: 4 (from the date stated for receipt of tender)

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

12 February 2021

Local time

12:00pm

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### **Section VI. Complementary information**

#### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

Estimated timing for further notices to be published: 48 months

#### **VI.3) Additional information**

Sandwell MBC will incorporate a standstill period at the point information on the award of the contract is communicated to tenderers. That notification will provide full information on the award decision. The standstill period, which will be for a minimum of 10 calendar days, provides time for unsuccessful tenderers to challenge the award decision before the contract is entered into.

#### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

##### **VI.4.1) Review body**

The Royal Courts Of Justice.

London.

Country

United Kingdom