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Contract

Economics of Sustainable Farming Scheme

Welsh Government

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-001685

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-041070

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Welsh Government

Welsh Government Cathays Park

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CF10 3NQ

Contact

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Email

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKL - Wales

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.welshgovernment@gov.wales>

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0007

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

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

Economics of Sustainable Farming Scheme

Reference number

C054/2023/2024

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 73110000 - Research services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Welsh Government wishes to commission a bidder to undertake economic analysis to help develop its SFS proposals. The focus of the contract is on emerging proposals concerning Optional and Collaborative Actions and any changes to Universal Actions following consultation.

The timing of specific workstreams to meet the objectives will be agreed by the bidder and the client as the work under this contract develops.

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: £367,638.11

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 73110000 - Research services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical Questions / Weighting: 80

Price - Weighting: 20

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Initial contract of 3 years with an optional additional 12 plus 12 Months = Maximum of 5 years

II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-032099](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

C054/2023/2024

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

17 January 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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: 1

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

RSK ADAS Limited

Spring Lodge, 172 Chester Road, Helsby

Frodsham

WA60AR

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)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £370,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £367,638.11

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Tender Information:

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk>

The first person from your Organisation to use the Platform will be required to register on behalf of the Organisation.

Registration involves accepting a User Agreement, and providing basic information about your Organisation and about the User performing the Registration.

The User who performs the Registration becomes the Super User for the Organisation.

On registering on the Platform the Super User will select a Username and will receive a password.

The Password will be sent by e-mail to the email address that was specified in the User Details section of the Registration page.

In order to log-in to the Platform please enter your Username and Password.

Note: If you forget your Password then visit the homepage and click “Forgot your password?”

Registration should only be performed once for each Organisation.

If you think that someone in your Organisation may have already registered on this Platform then you must not register again.

Please contact the person who Registered (i.e. the Super User) in order to arrange access to the Platform.

Contact the Helpdesk immediately if you are unable to contact the Super User (for example if they have left your Organisation).

Note: If your Organisation is already registered on the Platform then you must not make any additional registration. Please contact the Helpdesk to gain access to the Platform.

Tenders must be uploaded to the BravoSolution portal by 17:00 GMT

How To Find The ITT:

Once logged in you must click on ‘ITT’s Open to all Suppliers’

The e-tender references for this contract are: project 54788, ITT 106615.

Click on the title to access summary details of the contract. If you are still interested in submitting a tender, click the ‘Express an Interest button’. This will move the ITT from the ‘Open to all Suppliers’ area to the ‘My ITT’s’ on the home page.

You will then see the full details of the ITT in the qualification and technical envelopes along with any relevant documents in the ‘Attachments’ area.

Should you have any questions on the ITT, please use the 'Messages' area to contact the buyer directly – Please do not contact the named person at the top of this notice.

NOTE: The authority is using eTenderwales to carry out this procurement process. To obtain further information record your interest on Sell2Wales at

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/search_switch.aspx?ID=115828

Under the terms of this contract the successful supplier(s) will be required to deliver Community Benefits in support of the authority's economic and social objectives. Accordingly, contract performance conditions may relate in particular to social and environmental considerations. The Community Benefits included in this contract are:

Community benefits will be non-core.

(WA Ref:138154)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

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