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#### Contract

# **East Midlands Yorkshire Sherwood Sandstone Groundwater Model Update**

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

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## **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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#### **NUTS** code

#### **UK - UNITED KINGDOM**

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Main address

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#### 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

Environment

## **Section II: Object**

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

East Midlands Yorkshire Sherwood Sandstone Groundwater Model Update

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 72242000 - Design-modelling services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The overarching objective for this project is to improve the Environment Agency's capability to regulate, manage and protect water resources of the Sherwood Sandstone Principal Aquifer. The project aims to do this by improving the conceptualisation of the Sherwood Sandstone using the updated geological knowledge from the recent British Geological Survey's investigations in the Yorkshire area, and from the newly created

gridded 3D geological models. The updated conceptualisation of the aquifer (undertaken in Phase 1) should be used to generate an updated, unified, reliable numerical groundwater model covering both the Sherwood Sandstone Principal Aquifer of the East Midlands and the Yorkshire areas.

#### 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: £80,924

#### II.2) Description

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UK - UNITED KINGDOM

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

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#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

#### 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

## 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: No

## IV.2) Administrative information

#### IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: <u>2020/S 245-609058</u>

## Section V. Award of contract

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

#### V.2) Award of contract

#### V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

22 February 2021

#### V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

#### V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Groundwater Science Ltd

Shrewsbury

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: £80,924

## Section VI. Complementary information

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Courts of England and Wales

London

Country

United Kingdom