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Planning

NRW Arboricultural, Chainsaw and Tree Safety Framework

Natural Resources Wales

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0110

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

NRW Arboricultural, Chainsaw and Tree Safety Framework

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77231000 - Forestry management services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Natural Resources Wales (NRW) is looking to conduct pre-tender market engagement with contractors interested in providing Arboricultural, Chainsaw and Tree Safety services

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £8,000,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Arboricultural services

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77231000 - Forestry management services

- 77000000 - Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Arboricultural services

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Chainsaw services

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77231000 - Forestry management services
- 77000000 - Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Chainsaw services

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

5 May 2025

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Natural Resources Wales (NRW) is looking to conduct pre-tender market engagement with contractors interested in providing Arboricultural, Chainsaw and Tree Safety Works

The purpose of this is to share NRW's planned approach to the new framework agreement and receive feedback from the contractors across Wales. Contractor input is important to NRW, so that we can look to put in place efficient procurement opportunities that work well for everyone.

During this open, pre-tender market engagement period contractors are invited to attend an online Webinar (2 dates available with the same content) describing our approach and the forthcoming tender.

The dates of this webinar are:

Tuesday 25th March 2025, 10:00 - 11:30 am

Tuesday 8th April 2025, 10:00 – 11:30 am

These webinars will be hosted by Business Wales. Book your place by pasting the URL below into your web browser:

Eng: Business Wales Events Finder - NRW Arboriculture, Chainsaw and Tree Safety Framework event

<https://wales.business-events.org.uk/en/events/nrw-arboriculture-chainsaw-and-tree-safety-framework-event/>

Cym: Business Wales Events Finder - Digwyddiad fframwaith Garddwriaeth, Llif Cadwyn a Diogelwch Coed CNC

<https://wales.business-events.org.uk/en/events/nrw-arboriculture-chainsaw-and-tree-safety-framework-event/>

Following the webinars there will be opportunity for some 1:1 face to face or online meetings (on MS Teams) with procurement and project team staff. We are looking to hold these events across Wales. The dates, times and locations will be confirmed following the open webinars and will run through April..

Please note this PIN is not a call for competition.

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Sell2Wales Web Site at

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=148287.

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