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# Framework for Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

**Durham County Council** 

F02: Contract notice

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

**Durham County Council** 

County Hall

**DURHAM** 

DH15UQ

#### Contact

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### **Telephone**

+44 3000265444

### Country

**United Kingdom** 

### Region code

UKC14 - Durham CC

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.durham.gov.uk

# I.3) Communication

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

www.nepo.org

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

www.nepo.org

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

# I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

### II.1.1) Title

Framework for Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Reference number

DN659447

### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

### II.1.4) Short description

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

This Framework Agreement is divided into 8 separate Lots and bidders can bid for one Lot, a combination of Lots or all Lots.

### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

### II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

West Durham

Lot No

1

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 03000000 Agricultural, farming, fishing, forestry and related products
- 77340000 Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 1 West Durham

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

9 May 2023

End date

8 May 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12,1x12, 1x12 mths

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

extensions at discretion of Council

# II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Derwentside & Chester le Street Area

Lot No

2

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

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8 May 2024

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Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12,1x12 mths

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions at the discretion of the Council

# II.2) Description

# II.2.1) Title

**Durham City Area** 

Lot No

3

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 3 Durham city area

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

9 May 2023

End date

8 May 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12, 1x12 mths

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions will be at the discretion of the Council

# II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Easington Area

Lot No

4

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 4 Easington Area

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

8 May 2023

End date

8 May 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12,1x12 mths

# II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions will be at the discretion of the Council

# II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Crook Area

Lot No

5

# II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 5 Crook Area

### II.2.5) Award criteria

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### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

8 May 2023

End date

9 May 2023

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12, 1x12 mths

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions at the discretion of the Council

### II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Bishop Auckland area

Lot No

6

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

# II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 6 Bishop Auckland area

### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

8 May 2023

End date

9 May 2023

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12, 1x12mths

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions at the discretion of the Council

# II.2) Description

### II.2.1) Title

Sedgefield Area

Lot No

7

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 7 Sedgefield Area

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

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End date

9 May 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12, 1x12mths

### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions at the discretion of the Council

# II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Teesdale Area

Lot No

8

### II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

• 77340000 - Tree pruning and hedge trimming

### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKC - North East (England)

### II.2.4) Description of the procurement

This contract is for a Framework Agreement to carry out Highway Grass Verge and Hedge Cutting within the County of Durham.

Lot 8 Teesdale Area

### II.2.5) Award criteria

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### II.2.6) Estimated value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

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

Start date

8 May 2023

End date

9 May 2024

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

1x12, 1x12, 1x12mths

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

Extensions to be at the discretion of the Council

# 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 several operators

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 3

### 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.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date

6 April 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

# IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders

Date

6 April 2023

Local time

1:00pm

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: No

# VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court of England and Wales

London

Country

**United Kingdom**