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Tender

Provision of a Highways Verges, Amenity Land and Specialist Grass Cutting Service

Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04e6e0

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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Region code

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Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.blackburn.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.blackburn.gov.uk/>

I.3) Communication

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

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/register>

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

Provision of a Highways Verges, Amenity Land and Specialist Grass Cutting Service

Reference number

DN764813

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77314100 - Grassing services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Lot 1 - Volume grass cutting across Blackburn with Darwen (Highway verges, amenity land, community centres, children play centres, roundabouts and motorway junctions)

Lot 2- Cutting of rural verges and hedges across Blackburn with Darwen

Lot 3 - Cutting of highway verges on the A6119

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £450,000

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

Volume Grass Cutting on Highway Verges and Amenity Land

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77314100 - Grassing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD41 - Blackburn with Darwen

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Volume grass cutting across Blackburn with Darwen(Highway verges, amenity land, community centres, children play centres, roundabouts and motorway junctions)

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 50

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

Start date

1 June 2025

End date

30 November 2026

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Option to extend for up to 12 months.

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Cutting of Rural Verges and Hedges

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77314100 - Grassing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD41 - Blackburn with Darwen

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Cutting of Rural Verges and Hedges across Blackburn with Darwen.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 50

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

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End date

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Description of renewals

Option to extend for up to 12 months

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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Cutting of Verges on the A6119

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77314100 - Grassing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKD41 - Blackburn with Darwen

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Cutting of grass verges on the A6119.

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 35

Quality criterion - Name: Social Value / Weighting: 15

Price - Weighting: 50

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

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

Date

24 March 2025

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

24 March 2025

Local time

12:00pm

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Blackburn with Darwen Borough Council

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Blackburn

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United Kingdom