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Planning

Welsh Farm Business Survey 2022 to 2026

Welsh Government

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Welsh Government

Corporate Procurement Services, Cathays Park

Cardiff

CF10 3NQ

Email

customerhelp@gov.wales

Telephone

+44 3000257095

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.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Welsh Farm Business Survey 2022 to 2026

Reference number

C304/2021/2022

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 79211000 - Accounting services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Annual implementation of Farm Business Survey in Wales. Collecting complete set of farm accounts from a sample of farms against sample quotas of farm types and size. Delivering the specified dataset to the required quality and timetable to Welsh Government. This survey contributes to UK farm income data.

Physical and financial data will need to be collected directly through on-site farm visits (remote methods may be considered in future) and compiled to produce fully reconciled farm accounts via detailed examination of each farm business's records. Welsh speaking ability required as some farmers will prefer to speak in Welsh. Establish and maintain suitable sample of at least 550 farm businesses in Wales.

Process and manage sensitive financial accounts data and adhere to GDPR requirements.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £2,810,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79211000 - Accounting services
- 79311200 - Survey conduction services
- 77100000 - Agricultural services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 June 2022

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

Briefing Session – Thursday 28 April 2022 (Time TBC).

The Welsh Government is hosting a virtual briefing session outlining the objectives/requirement and for potential bidders to ask questions in relation to the delivery of the contract.

If you wish to attend please email katherine.green001@gov.wales who will forward you an invitation. Participating is not a requirement for tendering a summary of the event will be included within the tender.

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