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Contract

DAERA - Forest Service - Tree Planting Service

Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, Environment and Rural Affairs

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2022/S 000-017714

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-02bfe4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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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

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

DAERA - Forest Service - Tree Planting Service

Reference number

3511337

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The Forest Service wishes to appoint a list of Contractors to carry out re-planting of forests across its estate as well as the replacement of failed trees on previously planted sites, which is termed Beating-up, as well as In-filling of trees on naturally regenerated sites. The Contract will be subdivided into 3 Lots. The Forest Service aims to appoint a maximum of 8 Contractors per Lot.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £1,554,700

II.2) Description**II.2.1) Title**

Tree Planting: Antrim / Londonderry

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77100000 - Agricultural services
- 77231000 - Forestry management services
- 77211500 - Tree-maintenance services
- 77211300 - Tree-clearing services
- 77211600 - Tree seeding

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKN - Northern Ireland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: Yes

Description of options

One option to extend for any period up to and including two years.

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

Tree Planting: Down / Armagh

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Tree Planting: Fermanagh / Tyrone

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77100000 - Agricultural services
- 77231000 - Forestry management services
- 77211500 - Tree-maintenance services
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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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure

Notice number: [2021/S 000-014449](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

1

Lot No

1

Title

Tree Planting: Antrim / Londonderry

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 June 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 7

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 7

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 11

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £200,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

2

Lot No

2

Title

Tree Planting: Down / Armagh

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 June 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 6

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 11

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

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V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £96,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £96,000

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

3

Lot No

3

Title

Tree Planting: Fermanagh / Tyrone

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

29 June 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 11

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V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £201,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £201,000

Section VI. Complementary information
VI.3) Additional information

Contract Monitoring. The successful contractor's performance on the contract will be regularly monitored in line with PGN 01/12... Contractors not delivering on contract requirements is a serious matter. It means the public purse is not getting what it is paying for. If.. a contractor fails to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance they will be given a specified time to improve. If, after the specified.. time, they still fail to reach satisfactory levels of contract performance, the matter will be escalated to senior management in CPD for.. further action. If this occurs and their performance still does not improve to satisfactory levels within the specified period, it may be.. regarded as an act of grave professional misconduct and they may be issued with a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance and the.. contract may be terminated. The issue of a Certificate of Unsatisfactory Performance will result in the contractor being excluded from all.. procurement competitions being undertaken by Centres of Procurement Expertise on behalf of bodies covered by the Northern Ireland.. Procurement Policy for a period of twelve months from the date of issue of the certificate.

VI.4) Procedures for review**VI.4.1) Review body**

The UK does not have any such bodies with responsibility for appeal/mediation procedures. Instead; any challenges are dealt with by the High Court, Commercial Division, to which proceedings may be issued regarding alleged breaches of the PCR 2015 as amended.

Belfast

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