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Contract

## **Reinstatement Material & Spoils Tipping Facilities**

Wales & West Utilities Ltd

F06: Contract award notice – utilities

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### **Section I: Contracting entity**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKL21 - Monmouthshire and Newport

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://www.wwutilities.co.uk>

**I.6) Main activity**

Production, transport and distribution of gas and heat

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Reinstatement Material & Spoils Tipping Facilities

Reference number

WWU1196

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 14210000 - Gravel, sand, crushed stone and aggregates

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

1. The supply of Reinstatement Products:

- stone (type 1 virgin and recycled)
- dust

- sand
- concrete (foam and readymix)
- asphalt
- top soil

## 2. Removal & disposal of excavated spoil materials

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

Wales and the South West of England

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

The contracted appointment of a diverse network of providers, based on their provision and geographical location, to supply aggregates and remove materials from the various sites that have been subject to pipe-laying activities by the commissioner, and which need to be returned to their previous condition.

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## Section IV. Procedure

### IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

Wales and West Utilities (WWU) transports natural gas to the homes and businesses of almost 2.5 million consumers across an extensive geography covering 1/6th of the UK and serves a population of over 7 million people. The laying and replacing of both primary and secondary gas pipes is an integral part of company's operation; likewise, the reinstatement of land to as close to its original state as possible once the required gas pipe-laying works have been completed is an important part of any gas pipe-laying project undertaken by the company.

Protecting the environment is a key focus, and by introducing and developing industry-wide best practices WWU has reduced its environmental impact significantly year on year, with particular focus on emissions and climate change, the disposal of waste to landfill and the use of quarried stone.

WWU's extensive and particular geographical coverage (all of Wales and South-West England to the tip of Cornwall) means that it requires a wide network of providers to supply aggregates and dispose of excavation materials that facilitates the drive towards reducing environmental impact whilst maintaining operational functionality; e.g., a remote site in Cornwall would be poorly-served by providers based in Somerset or South Wales, as the distance to be travelled by heavily-laden vehicles delivering aggregates or removing material would be both economically & environmentally unsustainable.

Previous tender activities were unable to establish a suitably comprehensive network of providers across WWU's geographical area, despite significant repeated provider engagements across all of Wales and the South-West of England, Therefore, following a review of the requirement and the availability of providers across the geographical area, WWU intends to award contracts to a network of providers, based on their provision and geographical location. This will offer the service coverage that WWU requires whilst allowing for changes in the status and operation of the providers themselves to be

accounted for.

WWU intends to award this contract for a period of 4 years, at which point the requirement will be revisited.

WWU will utilise its standard Terms & Conditions (<https://www.wwutilities.co.uk/media/3646/standard-terms-and-conditions-for-purchase-january-2020.pdf>) which all suppliers have access to.

#### **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.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2022/S 000-004541](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

WWU1196

### **Title**

Reinstatement of Materials & Spoils Tipping

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

11 February 2022

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Wales & West Utilities

Newport

Country

United Kingdom