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Contract

## **WGCD Adverse Weather Forecasting Service Framework**

Welsh Government - Commercial Delivery

F03: Contract award notice

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

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

Welsh Government - Commercial Delivery

T'yr Afon, Bedwas Road

Caerphilly

CF83 8WT

#### **Email**

[commercialprocurement.buildings@gov.wales](mailto:commercialprocurement.buildings@gov.wales)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UKL - Wales

#### **Internet address(es)**

Main address

<https://gov.wales/public-sector-procurement>

Buyer's address

[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA27760](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA27760)

## **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

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## **Section II: Object**

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

#### **II.1.1) Title**

WGCD Adverse Weather Forecasting Service Framework

Reference number

WGCD-BU-114-22

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 71351600 - Weather-forecasting services

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

1.1 This contract notice is for the award of a new Framework “Agreement” for the supply of adverse weather forecasting services and related services in order to manage and operate the road network in Wales during adverse weather conditions.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Value excluding VAT: £1,100,000

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

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

- 71351600 - Weather-forecasting services

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

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

This contract opportunity is for the supply of Weather Forecasting Services and related services required to manage and operate the road network in Wales during adverse weather conditions.

This procurement exercise is being conducted by the Welsh Government's Commercial Delivery Division (WGCD). The WGCD is acting on behalf of the Welsh public sector who wish to establish a collaborative framework agreement for Adverse Weather Forecasting Services.

This framework will be replacing the current NPS All Wales Adverse Weather Forecasting Framework— NPS-CFM-0086-18 when it expires in September 2022.

It is anticipated that the key customers for this agreement will be the Welsh Government and its trunk road agencies; and the majority of Welsh local authorities but the agreement could be used by any eligible Welsh public sector or third-party organisations.

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Technical / Weighting: 50%

Price - Weighting: 50%

#### **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

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## **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

#### **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: [2022/S 022-120643](#)

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

### **Contract No**

WGCD-BU-114-22

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

11 July 2022

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 2

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

DTN LLC

11400 Rupp Dr, New Street

Burnsville

55337

Telephone

+44 8004754755

Country

United States

NUTS code

- US - United States

The contractor is an SME

No

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

MetDesk

Hale Court, Hale Road, Wendover

Aylesbury

HP226NJ

Telephone

+44 7903005034

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £1,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,100,000

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**Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

(WA Ref:122557)

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

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

High Court

Royal Courts of Justice, The Strand

London

WC2A 2LL

Telephone

+44 2079477501

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained**

Welsh Government Commercial Delivery Division

T'yr Afon, Bedwas Road

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