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Planning

Welsh Government Knowledge Transfer Programme

Welsh Government

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0351ea

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Welsh Government

Corporate Procurement Services, Cathays Park

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Email

CPSProcurementAdvice@gov.wales

Telephone

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKL - Wales

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://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

Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

<https://etenderwales.bravosolution.co.uk/>

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 Government Knowledge Transfer Programme

Reference number

C443/2021/2022

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Welsh Government require an innovative Programme to support the farming industry in delivering greater sustainability,

Improved competitiveness, and improved environmental performance in line with Sustainable Farming Scheme (SFS) and Programme for Government objectives.

The Welsh Government Knowledge Transfer Programme 2 year contract (with possible 12months extension) will commence in April 2023.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £34,350,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Knowledge Transfer

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Knowledge Transfer - To deliver an innovative knowledge transfer programme to support the farming industry in delivering greater sustainability, improved competitiveness, and improved environmental performance for farming businesses in line with SFS objectives.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Lifelong Learning and Development

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Lifelong Learning and Development - To deliver a more professional industry through its support for continuous professional development, action learning, mentoring, accredited training, e-learning and clear focus on personal development.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Management and Co-ordination of the Advisory Service

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Management and Co-ordination of the Advisory Service - To set up and deliver a framework Advisory Service to provide integrated advice across a broad range of specialist technical and business management areas tailored to meet individual business needs.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Service Centre

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Service Centre - To establish and manage a Service Centre which will act as the main point of contact for all customers to register and promote all activities and services across the Farming Connect programme.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Knowledge Transfer Dissemination and Events

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
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- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Knowledge Transfer Dissemination and Events - To deliver an innovative programme of activity and events for the benefit of the farming sector in Wales to support farming businesses to transition to the Sustainable Farming Scheme.

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

Farming Connect Welsh Sheep Genetics

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
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- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Welsh Sheep Genetics – To develop an innovative programme of activity suitable to support the needs of the Welsh sheep sector. Working with businesses in identifying their current baseline performance, identify the KPI's for the businesses, and create an action plan with clear recommendations to improve Welsh Sheep Genetics.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Farming Connect Horticulture Support

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79341100 - Advertising consultancy services
- 71241000 - Feasibility study, advisory service, analysis
- 79512000 - Call centre
- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services
- 48931000 - Training software package
- 80420000 - E-learning services
- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 79340000 - Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 - Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Farming Connect Horticulture Support - To develop and deliver a support service for commercial horticulturalists in Wales whilst facilitating collaboration between producers and processors to improve the viability of supply chains.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

9 August 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

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https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=121973.

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