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Contract

## **Football Foundation Artificial Grass Pitch (AGP) Consultant Framework 2024-28**

The Football Foundation

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-040789

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

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

The Football Foundation

Wembley Stadium

London

HA9 0WS

#### **Email**

[info@orangepeel.uk](mailto:info@orangepeel.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

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

Main address

<https://footballfoundation.org.uk/>

Buyer's address

[https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA43198](https://www.mytenders.co.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA43198)

#### **I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Body governed by public law

#### **I.5) Main activity**

Recreation, culture and religion

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Football Foundation Artificial Grass Pitch (AGP) Consultant Framework 2024-28

Reference number

T10017/2

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

- 71530000 - Construction consultancy services

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

Services

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

The Contracting Authority is establishing a multiple provider "Manufacturer-led" framework to deliver artificial grass pitches (AGP). This procurement relates to Consultants who will be awarded a place on the framework and who will be required to work as part of an integrated team with the AGP Providers to deliver sports playing surfaces to meet the requirements of the National Governing Bodies of Sport including Football, Hockey, Rugby Union and Rugby League. The Contracting Authority will act as Funder for

Applicants who will come from primarily public sector. The framework is being procured in lots as set out in this notice.

#### **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: £20,000,000

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 2 - Design Consultant (DC)

Lot No

2

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

- 71200000 - Architectural and related services
- 71220000 - Architectural design services
- 71222000 - Architectural services for outdoor areas
- 71240000 - Architectural, engineering and planning services
- 71250000 - Architectural, engineering and surveying services
- 71251000 - Architectural and building-surveying services
- 71420000 - Landscape architectural services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Design Consultant (DC) to work as part of an integrated team delivering artificial grass pitches (AGP). The DC will act in the role of "Lead Designer" under JCT DB2016 contract,

up to RIBA Plan of Work Stage 4: Technical Design, in supporting project delivery. The services provided will be "called-off" in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Framework Agreement provided with the Procurement Documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 40%

### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The Authority will award up to two places on the Framework, on this lot to the highest scoring Tenderer(s) that meet the Authority's minimum requirements as set out in the Procurement Documents.

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 3 - Specialist Testing Consultant (STC)

Lot No

3

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

- 71600000 - Technical testing, analysis and consultancy services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Specialist Testing Consultant (STC) to work as part of an integrated team delivering artificial grass pitches (AGP). The appointed STC will undertake testing of the sub-structure at key stages throughout the project, in supporting project delivery. The services provided will be "called-off" in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Framework Agreement provided with the Procurement Documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 40%

#### **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

#### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The Authority will award up to two places on the framework on this lot, to the highest scoring Tenderer(s) that meet the Authority's minimum requirements as set out in the Procurement Documents.

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

#### **II.2.1) Title**

Lot 1 - Framework Managing Consultant (FMC)

Lot No

1

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

- 71324000 - Quantity surveying services
- 71322100 - Quantity surveying services for civil engineering works
- 71200000 - Architectural and related services

- 71317210 - Health and safety consultancy services
- 71541000 - Construction project management services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Framework Management Consultant (FMC) to work as part of an integrated team delivering artificial grass pitches (AGP). The sole appointed FMC will act in the role of "Employer's Agent" and "Cost Consultant" under JCT DB2016 contract, in supporting project delivery. The services provided will be "called-off" in accordance with the terms and conditions set out in the Framework Agreement provided with the Procurement Documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 60%

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 40%

### **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

### **II.2.14) Additional information**

The Authority will award one place on this lot to the highest scoring Tenderer that meets the Authority's minimum requirements as set out in the Procurement Documents.

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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: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-029138](#)

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

### **Lot No**

1

### **Title**

Lot 1 - Framework Managing Consultant (FMC)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

5 April 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 3

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: 3

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

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

MGAC LLP

26 FINSBURY SQUARE

London

EC2A 1DS

Telephone

+44 2075668400

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKH2 - Bedfordshire and Hertfordshire

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £25,000,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,371,920

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**Section V. Award of contract**



## **Lot No**

2

## **Title**

Lot 2 - Design Consultant (DC)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

5 April 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 5

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 5

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 5

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

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

Surfacing standards ltd

Office 2, Empingham House, Ayston Road,, Uppingham,

Rutland

LE15 9NY

Telephone

+44 7525126895

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Labosport Ltd

Unit 3, Aerial Way, Hucknall Business Park

Hucknall

NG15 6DW

Telephone

+44 1159681998

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: £12,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,200,000

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

### **Lot No**

3

### **Title**

Lot 3 - Specialist Testing Consultant (STC)

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

5 April 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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: No

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

Sports Labs Limited

1 Adam Square

Livingston

EH54 9DE

Telephone

+44 1506444755

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKM78 - West Lothian

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: £2,500,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £1,680,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

Applicants should note that the estimated value of the Framework as set out in this Notice is based on the Contracting Authority's current anticipated requirements. This value may increase if other entities decide to join and call off under the Framework Agreement. The Contracting Authority reserves the right to cancel the procurement at any time and not to proceed with all or part of the Framework Agreement. The Contracting Authority will not, under any circumstance, reimburse any expense incurred by Applicants in preparing their tender submissions. The Framework Agreement will be open to use by the following organisations:-

- Football Foundation
- The Football Association
- The Rugby Football Union
- The Rugby Football League
- England Hockey

- Applicants for Awards to Sport England
- English Sports Council
- Community Sports Clubs
- National Governing Bodies (of Sport) and their Applicants
- Central Government Bodies
- Sports Councils
- Local Authorities (England, Scotland, Wales & Northern Ireland)
- Education Bodies in the UK (Including Maintained Schools, Academies, Free Schools, University Technical Colleges, Further & Higher Education Establishments)
- Cymru Football Foundation
- The Scottish FA
- Irish Football Association

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

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

Public Procurement Review Service

Cabinet Office

London

Email

[publicprocurementreview@cabinetoffice.gov.uk](mailto:publicprocurementreview@cabinetoffice.gov.uk)

Telephone

+44 3450103503

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/public-procurement-review-service-scope-and-remit>

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Centre for Effective Dispute Resolution (CEDR)

70 Fleet Street

London

EC4Y 1EU

Email

[info@cedr.com](mailto:info@cedr.com)

Telephone

+44 2075366000

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.3) Review procedure**

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

In accordance with Regulations 92 to 104 of the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended), the Contracting Authority will incorporate a minimum 10 calendar day standstill period starting from the date when the contract award was notified to bidders.

Unsuccessful bidders will be provided with a information in the “Award Decision Notice” at the start of the standstill period including details of their bid in relation to the winning bid comprising the reasons for the decision, the characteristics and relative advantages of the successful tender, the score of the economic operators and the name of the economic operator to be awarded the contract. Tenderers have a right of appeal provided for within the Public Contracts Regulations 2015 (as amended). Any such proceedings must be brought in the High Court of England & Wales.

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

Cabinet Office

70 Whitehall

London

SW1A 2AS

Telephone

+44 2072761234

Country

United Kingdom

Internet address

[www.cabinetoffice.gov.uk](http://www.cabinetoffice.gov.uk)