This is a published notice on the Find a Tender service: <a href="https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/019623-2024">https://www.find-tender.service.gov.uk/Notice/019623-2024</a>

#### Contract

# FLS-142-C SPHN and Invasive Vegetation Control – West Region

Forestry and Land Scotland

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-019623

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0472e7

Published 27 June 2024, 9:43am

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

# I.1) Name and addresses

Forestry and Land Scotland

Great Glen House, Leachkin Road

Inverness

IV38NW

#### **Email**

procurement@forestryandland.gov.scot

#### **Telephone**

+44 3000676000

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKM - Scotland

# Internet address(es)

Main address

https://forestryandland.gov.scot

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA30371

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Environment

# **Section II: Object**

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

#### II.1.1) Title

FLS-142-C SPHN and Invasive Vegetation Control - West Region

Reference number

FLS-142-C

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77000000 - Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

This contract is for the management of all types of vegetation (woody or herbaceous) that is deemed an invasive species on a designated or conservation site which are outside of the establishment operations. Woody species include all tree species and shrubs such as Hemlock, Rhoddendron and Gaultheria. Herbaceous species include all specified noxious weeds, Japanese knotweed and shall include other species such as; Gunnera, Balsam and Skunk Cabbage.

# 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: £228,810

# II.2) Description

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

• 77200000 - Forestry services

• 77300000 - Horticultural services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKM - Scotland

Main site or place of performance

**West Region** 

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

This contract is for the management of all types of vegetation (woody or herbaceous) that is deemed an invasive species on a designated or conservation site which are outside of the establishment operations. Woody species include all tree species and shrubs such as Hemlock, Rhoddendron and Gaultheria. Herbaceous species include all specified noxious weeds, Japanese knotweed and shall include other species such as; Gunnera, Balsam and Skunk Cabbage.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

# 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

# **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

• No tenders or no suitable tenders/requests to participate in response to open procedure

#### **Explanation:**

The recent regulated tender process (C0209) in the West region of Scotland's National Forests and Land did not receive any bids. This lack of interest is attributed to the limited number of local suppliers, the extensive geographic scope of the lot, and its high value. To address this urgent and critical shortfall in capacity for delivering environmental programs, the West Region necessitates a Non-Competitive Action.

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

# **Section V. Award of contract**

#### **Contract No**

FLS-142-C

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

# V.2) Award of contract

# V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

13 May 2024

# V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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: 1

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 1

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

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

im tree works

2 glenview

dalmally

pa331be

Telephone

+44 7788963772

Country

**United Kingdom** 

NUTS code

• UKM - Scotland

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £228,810

# Section VI. Complementary information

# VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:770221)

# VI.4) Procedures for review

#### VI.4.1) Review body

**Inverness Justice Centre** 

Longman Road

Inverness

IV11AH

**Email** 

inverness@scotcourts.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 1463230782

Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### VI.4.3) Review procedure

Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures

An economic operator that suffers, or is at risk of suffering, loss or damage attributable to a breach of duty under the Public Contracts (Scotland) Regulations 2015 or the Procurement Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, may bring proceedings in the Sheriff Court or the Court of Session

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

Court of Session

Parliament House, Parliament Square
Edinburgh
EH1 1RQ
Email
supreme.courts@scotcourts.gov.uk
Telephone
+44 312252595
Country

United Kingdom