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Contract

Integrated_Geospatial_Services

Defra Network eTendering Portal

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Integrated_Geospatial_Services

Reference number

ecm 61928

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 71354100 - Digital mapping services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The contract is for the provision integrated geospatial digital mapping services and

associated remote sensing techniques for:

controls, compliance and monitoring; enforcing statutory environmental conditions and verifying subsidy scheme claims by remotely inspecting land through the use of computer aided photo interpretation (CAPI) and/ or machine learning techniques.

Land registration and digitising entails the creation and maintenance of geospatial data products that are used as key controls or reference data against which subsidy scheme claims are cross-checked.

Land registration service is administered by the RPA and the data is used extensively by DEFRA and outside the subsidy arena.

The business activities can be associated with the contract services include but are not limited to:

- Imagery product creation including orthorectification and pre-processing
- Ground truthing, collecting in situ data and rapid field visits
- Crop and vegetation classification
- Remote sensing inspection and controls computer aided photo interpretation (CAPI)
- Digitising Rural land registration data maintenance (land parcel data layer, land cover data layer, hedge control data layer),
- Quality Control
- To provide quality trained resources that can be flexed up or down
- Reporting of performance and quality using Management Information (MI)
- Supplementary Business Analysis and IT support (Testing, Requirements input, Operational support, MI and performance monitoring)
- Geospatial consultancy to deliver proof of concepts and pilot studies to exploit advancements in technology and evolve the operation

The Rural Payments Agency (RPA) is an executive agency of Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (Defra) that is responsible for annual payments of over £2 billion in direct aid and rural development to farmers, land managers and food producers in England.

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: £3,701,669

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

England

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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

Open procedure

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: <u>2021/S 000-008677</u>

Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

ecm 61928

Title

Integrated_Geospatial_Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

12 August 2021

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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Reading
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Country
United Kingdom
NUTS code
UK - United Kingdom
National registration number
2743776
The contractor is an SME
No
V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)
Total value of the contract/lot: £3,701,669
Section VI. Complementary information
VI.4) Procedures for review
VI.4.1) Review body

Department for Environment, Food & Rural Affairs Future Farming and Countryside Programme Regulation & Enforcement sub-programme

London

Country

United Kingdom