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Contract

## **12132 Highway Weed Spraying Service (2024 – 2027)**

Rochdale Metropolitan Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-043bd9

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**Region code**

UKD3 - Greater Manchester

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.rochdale.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

<http://www.rochdale.gov.uk/>

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

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

**II.1.1) Title**

12132 Highway Weed Spraying Service (2024 – 2027)

Reference number

DN711884

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 77312000 - Weed-clearance services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

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

The works consists of up to 3 applications (per annum) of approved herbicide to all of the adopted highway footpaths (circa 1280km consisting of tarmac, slabs, block paving, etc.), back of path edges, walkways, splitter islands, channels, ginnels, edges of all metalled roads

and all cobbled areas throughout the borough of Rochdale to provide as near to as possible

total weed control.

The overall aim is to achieve as close as possible 100% total weed control.

#### **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: £409,630.50

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKD3 - Greater Manchester

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

To achieve a cleaner more attractive borough, the council is tendering for a weed spraying

service to treat specific areas of adopted highway across the borough to prevent the growth

of weeds likely to interfere with the highway e.g. create a hazard, cause structural damage,

affect drainage, cause a trip hazard or become unsightly.

It is proposed that the contractor will deliver three applications of MAFF registered herbicide

or other approved chemical as appropriate to Rochdale's adopted highways as specified above.

Application should take place as directed by Rochdale Borough Council's Authorised Officer

but typically during spring, summer and autumn, at timings which coincide with optimum weed growth.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality Questions as detailed within the tender pack / Weighting: 60

Price - 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

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## **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: [2024/S 000-005682](#)

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

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

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

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

24 June 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 3

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

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**

Dobson UK Ltd

Old Hagg Farm, Doddington, Lincoln

Lincolnshire

LN6 4RY

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKF3 - Lincolnshire

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £409,630.50

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

The High Court

London

Country

United Kingdom