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Tender

## **Grounds Maintenance Services (East & South)**

Orbit Group Limited

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-03dca7

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

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

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**Region code**

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**I.2) Information about joint procurement**

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=fe7cec9d-2914-ee11-8123-005056b64545>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://procontract.due-north.com/Advert/Index?advertId=fe7cec9d-2914-ee11-8123-005056b64545>

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

Body governed by public law

**I.5) Main activity**

Housing and community amenities

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Grounds Maintenance Services (East & South)

Reference number

DN675976

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

Services

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the East and South region. The core output requirements include (but not limited to):-

- Litter Picking/Needles/Excrement;
- Litter and Dog Bins;
- Weed Control;
- Hedge Maintenance;
- Shrub/Plant Pruning;
- Hard Surface Areas;
- Japanese Knotweed/and other invasive/ pernicious/injurious plants/injurious insects;
- Woodland Areas;
- Grass Crete;
- Play Areas (where applicable);

- Swales and Water Course Management;
- Steep Banks;
- Grass Cutting;
- Spring and Summer Flowering Meadow Land;
- Meadow Grass Pathways and Desire Lines;
- Rewilding of Grassland Area;
- Ivy Control;
- Trees – Removal of Epicormic and Basal Growth;
- Leaf Clearance;
- Moss & Algae Control;
- Severe Weather Conditions;
- Grass Edge Trimming and Defining of Edges;
- Graffiti Removal; and
- Miscellaneous other duties as required.

The above services are required across a range of different stock and tenure's including communal grounds, offices, sheltered and supported accommodation as detailed within the tender documents.

The tender is split into seven (7) Lots as follows:-

1. East (North)
2. East (South)
3. Kent (North)
4. Kent (South)
5. East Sussex

6. West Sussex, Surrey & Brighton

7. Bexley

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

## **II.2) Description**

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

Lot 1 - East (North)

Lot No

1

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKH - East of England

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the East (North) area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 2 - East (South)

Lot No

2

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKH - East of England

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the East (South) area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

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3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 3 - Kent (North)

Lot No

3

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the Kent (North) area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 4 - Kent (South)

Lot No

4

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the Kent (South) area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

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This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 5 - East Sussex

Lot No

5

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the East Sussex area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 6 - West Sussex, Surrey & Brighton

Lot No

6

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the

West Sussex, Surrey & Brighton area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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) Description**

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

Lot 7 - Bexley

Lot No

7

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

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

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

NUTS codes

- UKI51 - Bexley and Greenwich

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

Orbit Group is seeking to appoint contractor(s) to deliver grounds maintenance in the Bexley area as detailed in the tender documents.

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 50

Price - Weighting: 50

### **II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system**

Duration in months

36

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

3 Year initial contract term with the option to extend for up to 4 years (in increments)

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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: Yes

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

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

Notice number: [2023/S 000-018164](#)

#### **IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate**

Date

11 September 2023

Local time

12:00pm

#### **IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted**

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

11 September 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

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

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

The Royal Courts of Justice

London

Country

United Kingdom