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## **2024 Mapping and Modelling Framework**

ENVIRONMENT AGENCY (Defra Network eTendering Portal)

F02: Contract notice

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

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Buyer's address

<https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

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

National or federal Agency/Office

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## Section II: Object

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

2024 Mapping and Modelling Framework

Reference number

C16552

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71356000 - Technical services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

The Environment Agency (EA) are seeking to procure a Framework Agreement that will be utilised for the following requirements: -

- National Modelling.
- Fluvial, Open Coast, Coastal Erosion and Tidal Modelling.
- Survey and Mapping.
- Surface Water Modelling (Direct Rainfall).
- Ground Water Modelling.
- Sewer Modelling.
- Hydrology derivation, application & review (FEH & Small catchment techniques).
- Incident Management & Emergency Planning.
- Data Entry and Information Management support (Systems).
- Other - Project Management Support, Emerging Technologies, Development & Incorporation (e.g., weather modelling) etc.

The Framework will operate on a single National Lot with a maximum of six Delivery Partners being appointed to deliver MMF services.

The total estimated value of the Framework based a four year (48 month) duration is between £24,487,000 - £45,000,000.

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#### **II.1.5) Estimated total value**

Value excluding VAT: £45,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

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

- 71300000 - Engineering services
- 72242000 - Design-modelling services
- 71320000 - Engineering design services
- 71354100 - Digital mapping services
- 71318000 - Advisory and consultative engineering services
- 72322000 - Data management services
- 71313000 - Environmental engineering consultancy services
- 71335000 - Engineering studies
- 71300000 - Engineering services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UK

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

Procurement Plan and Timetable:

Deadline for Responses - 02/10/23 @ 10:00am

Evaluation of Responses - 03/10/23 - 23/11/2023

Issue award notification - 15/01/2023

Award - 30/01/2024

Mobilisation - 31/01/2023

Go Live - 12/02/2024

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 40

Quality criterion - Name: Sustainability (Inclusive of Social Value) / Weighting: 10

Cost criterion - Name: Price (commercial) / Weighting: 50

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

#### **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 III. Legal, economic, financial and technical information**

### **III.1) Conditions for participation**

#### **III.1.2) Economic and financial standing**

List and brief description of selection criteria

Can be found in the procurement documents

#### **III.1.3) Technical and professional ability**

List and brief description of selection criteria

Can be found in the procurement documents

### **III.2) Conditions related to the contract**

#### **III.2.2) Contract performance conditions**

Key Performance Indicators and Framework Assurance Indicators are detailed 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

Framework agreement with several operators

In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:

Not applicable. The duration of the Framework will be three years (36 months) with one optional one-year (12 month) extension (totalling four years or 48 months).

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

Date

2 October 2023

Local time

10:00am

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

English

### **IV.2.6) Minimum time frame during which the tenderer must maintain the tender**

Tender must be valid until: 29 May 2024

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

Date

10 August 2023

Local time

6:00pm

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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**

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