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Contract

Tree Surgery and Tree Safety Works Framework – South District

Forestry England

F03: Contract award notice

Notice identifier: 2023/S 000-023862

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-0333b4

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Forestry

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Tree Surgery and Tree Safety Works Framework – South District

Reference number

FEE/0875

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

FRAMEWORK AWARDED.

We intend to award a framework agreement for dangerous tree maintenance and survey work for South England Forest District this includes Programmed Work and Emergency work, Tree Health Management Works and Tree Safety Inspection Work.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £2,100,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

The New Forest, Ringwood, Wareham Beats

Lot No

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The New Forest, Ringwood, Wareham Beats A maximum of four contractors will be awarded a place under this Lot. The Programmed and Emergency Tree Work will comprise of, but not limited to, tree surgery, including deadwooding, crown lift, crown reduction, pollarding and sectional felling of identified trees. There may also be a requirement for the felling and dismantling of individual or small groups of windblown trees. In addition, the provision of a tree inspection report may also be required in certain instances. There may also be occasions for the need to operate Mobile Elevating Works Platforms (MEWP's), tractors for winch assisted felling, chippers and mobile traffic management with suitably qualified operators. Please see the specification document for full description.

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Micheldever, Chiddingfold, South Downs and Solent (mainland) Beats

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Isle of Wight

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

District Tree Health Management

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

District Tree Health Management A maximum of eight contractors will be awarded within this Lot. The Tree Health Management work will comprise of but not limited to the felling and extraction of diseased trees that are considered a risk to the public or infrastructure. It would consider sites that need to be maintained on a larger scale than individual trees. The majority of work will be completed using a mechanised method such as a grapple saw or harvester and forwarder/tractor and timber trailer for extraction. On some occasions the assistance of motor manual chainsaws maybe required to process the trees. Additionally, the use of a tractor and winch maybe required for operational

purposes. The District has a tree inspection programme from which trees requiring attention are identified and the contractor will be advised by the appropriate Beat Forester of the order of work – we would normally expect the contractor to be on site within four weeks of being notified. Please see the specification document for full description.

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

District Tree Safety Inspection

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77200000 - Forestry services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

Main site or place of performance

UNITED KINGDOM

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

District Tree Safety Inspection. A maximum of eight contractors will be awarded within this Lot. The contractor will be required to visit individual or groups of trees on site, assess their condition, age and complete a written report which will list species, current condition and recommendations to maintain and prolong the life of the tree if possible. Please see specification document for full description.

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

II.2.14) Additional information

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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: [2022/S 000-011543](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

The New Forest, Ringwood, Wareham Beats

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Christopher Hoare Tree Services Ltd

The Estate Office, Summer Lane, Exbury, Southampton

Hampshire

SO45 1AZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

04766544

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Upton Specialised Tree Services Limited

Pilmore Growers, Whitesheet, Holt, Wimborne

Dorset

BH21 7DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

07425707

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Hardy Tree Surgeons Limited

24 Cornwall Road, Dorchester

Dorset

DT1 1RX

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

04440869

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Benton arboriculture

22 Orchard Hill, Rudgwick, Horsham

West Sussex

RH12 3EQ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

N/A

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

2

Title

Micheldever, Chiddingfold, South Downs and Solent (mainland) Beats

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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National registration number

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

N/A

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Groundlord Ltd

Suite 2, Healey House, Dene Road, Andover

Hampshire

SP10 2AA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

09394007

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

3

Title

Isle of Wight

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Christopher Hoare Tree Services Ltd

The Estate Office, Summer Lane, Exbury, Southampton

Hampshire

SO45 1AZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

04766544

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Upton Specialised Tree Services Limited

Pilmore Growers, Whitesheet, Holt, Wimborne

Dorset

BH21 7DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

07425707

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Benton arboriculture

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West Sussex

RH12 3EQ

Country

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Total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

4

Title

District Tree Health Management

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

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Country

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The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Environmental Forestry UK Ltd

26 High Street, Gosport Road, Privett, Alton

Hampshire

GU27 2HW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

07327117

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

EUROFOREST LTD

Karlstad House, 3 Merchants Drive, Parkhouse, CARLISLE

Cumbria

CA3 0JW

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01153003

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

HRG Tree Surgeons Limited

Unit 30, 151 High Street, Southampton

Hampshire

SO14 2BT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

08294093

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

5

Title

District Tree Safety Inspection

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

3 August 2022

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 16

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Christopher Hoare Tree Services Ltd

The Estate Office, Summer Lane, Exbury, Southampton

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The contractor is an SME

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Dorset

BH21 7DA

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

07425707

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V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

WRC Ltd

8a Hollybush, Horningsham, Warminster

Wiltshire

BA12 7LE

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

N/A

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Total value of the contract/lot: £2,100,000

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

FRAMEWORK AWARDED. The contracting authority considers that this contract may be suitable for economic operators that are small or medium enterprises (SMEs). However, any selection of tenderers will be based solely on the criteria set out for the procurement.

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VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

High Court

The Strand

London

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Country

United Kingdom