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Contract

## **Evaluation of Fisheries and Seafood Scheme (FaSS)**

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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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **NUTS code**

UK - United Kingdom

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Evaluation of Fisheries and Seafood Scheme (FaSS)

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

- 90700000 - Environmental services

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

Services

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

An evaluation of the FaSS is required as part of the development and planning of an intervention in line with HM Treasury guidance. This invitation to tender is for a comprehensive evaluation of the scheme over its duration, with the overarching aims of:

1. Identification and measurement of the impact of the FaSS: capturing delivery against scheme objectives, the impact to direct recipients and wider benefits.
2. Identification of positive outcomes of FaSS delivery as the programme proceeds to inform recommendations on how these could be magnified.
3. Identification of negative outcomes of FaSS delivery as the programme proceeds to inform recommendations on how these could be minimised.
4. Collection of process learning on how the FaSS is implemented and generation of recommendations on how to:
  - a. improve processes for managing the FaSS as the programme proceeds, and
  - b. increase the efficiency and effectiveness of the delivery of future applications to the FaSS.
  - c. Continue to improve outcome and impact delivery through the FaSS.
5. Transparency and accessibility of the FaSS with Defra's partners, stakeholders and delivery bodies through ensuring reporting on delivery and sharing of programme learning with partners.

6. Provision of recommendations on intervention reform to steer the schemes alignment towards longer term sectoral ambitions.

The evaluation will enable the FaSS to demonstrate value for money and transparent use of public resources, provide robust evidence to support future fisheries funding interventions, identify best practice in areas such as customer engagement and addressing sustainability issues through sectoral funding.

#### **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: £260,365

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

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

NUTS codes

- UK - 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

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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: [2021/S 000-005126](#)

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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**

12 May 2021

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

Number of tenders received: 1

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

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Risk and Policy Analysts

Norfolk

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £260,365

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

High Court

London

Country

United Kingdom