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Contract

Hydrometry Framework

The Coal Authority

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Hydrometry Framework

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Hydrometry Framework

The Coal Authority (TCA) was established by Parliament to undertake specific statutory duties, set out in the Coal Industry Act 1994, associated with licensing coal mining operations; managing property and the historic legacy arising from the ownership of the coal reserves and underground workings; settling subsidence damage claims and providing access to coal mining information.

The Authority is funded by Grant-in-Aid from the Department for Energy Security and Net Zero (DESNZ). The Authority takes pride in its achievements, quality and motivation of staff, and is focused on delivering its high level objectives sustainably.

Requirement Overview

As part of our work, we require the provision of Hydrometric monitoring services, and are thus seeking to appoint suppliers to a framework which will run for 4 years from August 2024.

Deliverables from this Framework are to provide a service(s) to undertake Hydrometric Monitoring for the Coal Authority, at coal and metal mine sites across the UK.

The Framework will be divided into 6 lots.

1 Options Assessment, design and build

2 Weirs and Flumes

3 Loggers, Water Level Sensors, Rain Gauges, velocity sensors and Water Quality Sensors

4 Spot Flow Gauging and Water Quality Sampling

5 Flow meter verification

6 Hydrometric Monitoring (General Lot)

Framework Users

The primary users will be the Authority's Operations directive. However, other departments, may use the Framework.

This Framework will also be available for use by National Resource Wales (NRW) for similar types of services in relation to current and historic coal and non-coal mining operations.

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: £9,500,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Options Assessment, design and build

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Options Assessment, design and build

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Weirs and Flumes

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Weirs and Flumes

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Loggers, Water Level Sensors, Rain Gauges, velocity sensors and Water Quality Sensors

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Loggers, Water Level Sensors, Rain Gauges, velocity sensors and Water Quality Sensors

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Spot Flow Gauging and Water Quality Sampling

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
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- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Spot Flow Gauging and Water Quality Sampling

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Flow meter verification

Lot No

5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Flow meter verification

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Hydrometric Monitoring (General Lot)

Lot No

6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 71351612 - Hydrometeorology services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
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- UKK - South West (England)
- UKL - Wales
- UKM - Scotland

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Hydrometric Monitoring (General Lot)

II.2.5) Award criteria

Price

II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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

IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction

An electronic auction will be used

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 000-037812](#)

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

5 March 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 15

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Hydro International Data, Insight and Analysis Ltd

Clevedon

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK - South West (England)

Companies House

3036787

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

OTT Hydrometry Ltd

Sheffield

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Companies House

3778121

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Environmontel Ltd

Worcester

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKG - West Midlands (England)

Companies House

4788896

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Environmental Monitoring Solution Ltd

Rotherham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Companies House

4569474

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Adler & Allan Ltd

Harrogate

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber

Companies House

318460

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Thomson Environmental Consultants Ltd

Guildford

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKK - South West (England)

Companies House

4477751

The contractor is an SME

Yes

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

WSP (UK) Ltd

London

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKI - London

Companies House

1383511

The contractor is an SME

No

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Z-Tech Control Systems Ltd

Stevenage

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ - South East (England)

Companies House

3353499

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Lowest offer: £500,000 / Highest offer: £9,500,000 taken into consideration

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Arbitration

Nottingham

Country

United Kingdom