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Contract

## **UXO Surveying and Risk Mitigation Services**

Natural Resources Wales

Snowdonia National Park Authority/Awdurdod Parc Cenedlaethol Eryri

Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Authority

Brecon Beacons National Park Authority

F03: Contract award notice

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

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[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA22451](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA22451)

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

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[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA22450](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA22450)

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

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[https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0501](https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0501)

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

The contract involves joint procurement

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

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Environment

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

UXO Surveying and Risk Mitigation Services

Reference number

106132

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

- 71510000 - Site-investigation services

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

Services

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

Establishment of a framework for UXO surveying and risk mitigation services for NRW and its named partners.

#### **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: £500,000

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

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

- 71313410 - Risk or hazard assessment for construction
- 71351500 - Ground investigation services
- 71351720 - Geophysical surveys of archaeological sites

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

NUTS codes

- UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

All of Wales

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

The purpose of the requirement is to establish an efficient procurement route for all of NRW business as usual (BAU) work, strategic projects and NRW's partners named within this notice for UXO surveying and risk mitigation services. NRW is lead beneficiary or project partner in multiple habitat conservation and restoration projects several of which contain areas of UXO risk.

Services may be required on multiple large scale conservation projects across Wales. Sites could be a range of terrains including but not limited to bogs, sand dunes, marshland and will typically be sensitive sites including National Nature reserves, (NNRs), Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSIs) or Special Areas of Conservation (SACs).

Typically conservation work will include ground penetration work including erecting fence lines for managed grazing, installation of dip wells and groundworks.

Many sites will be on 3rd party owned land and may have challenging access and other site constraints.

A range of techniques will have to be employed in surveying including but not limited to drones, hand held magnetometers, peat probes.

Due to the nature of UXO surveying it is difficult for NRW to estimate the value of this framework. For the purposes of establishing this framework we estimate spend in a range of 100,000GBP and 500,000GBP. NRW does not guarantee any level of expenditure under this framework.

Participating Organisations are:

Natural Resources Wales

Brecon Beacons National Park Authority

Snowdonia National Park Authority

Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Authority

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

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 40

Price - Weighting: 60

### **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.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system**

The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement

#### **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: [2024/S 000-012940](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

106132

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

22 July 2024

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

Number of tenders received: 6

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 5

Number of tenders received from tenderers from other EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 6

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 6

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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The contractor is an SME

No

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

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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: £500,000

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.3) Additional information**

(WA Ref:144123)

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

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

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