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## Laboratory Tender - Analytical Services

SEVERN TRENT WATER LIMITED

Severn Trent Water Limited - Hafren Dyfrdwy

F05: Contract notice – utilities

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### Section I: Contracting entity

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

The contract involves joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/20364009>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://discovery.ariba.com/rfx/20364009>

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Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at

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**I.6) Main activity**

Water

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Laboratory Tender - Analytical Services

Reference number

WS2060884215

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

- 65130000 - Operation of water supplies

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

Services

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

The Labs Analytical Services cover all regulatory requirements for water sampling, testing and analysis for Severn Trent and Hafren Dyfrdwy. The contract is for wastewater testing, monitoring and retrieving data on our Wastewater & Soils samples.

Our sourcing proposal is to have 4 Lots which would each have one to two main supplier(s) to provide either all/or majority of the Regulatory & non-Regulatory requirements.

Lot 1 - Analytical Services (Soils)

Lot 2 - Analytical Services (Waste (Non-Regulated))

Lot 3 - Analytical Services (Wastewater & Sludge (Regulated))

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

Value excluding VAT: £55,000,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: 3

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

For all Lots in the tender, The Utilities reserve the right to nominate standby supplier status to the 2nd highest ranking supplier in each Lot The contracting entity reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Analytical Services (Soils)

Lot No

1

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

- 38900000 - Miscellaneous evaluation or testing instruments
  - KA09 - For the treatment of water
  - KA10 - For use in the water industry
  - KA11 - For water utilities
- 65100000 - Water distribution and related services

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Agricultural land must be sampled to assess the suitability of the land for the application of Biosolids (treated sewage sludge) or clarification sludge (from water treatment). Sampling for Biosolids applications is required before the initial application and then at intervals of 5, 10 & 20 years. The soil sampling depth and the analysis required will differ between these timeframes.

Sampling for clarification is before individual applications.

We currently take and analyse in the region of 7,000 soil samples per annum with each sample comprising 25 sub-samples taken from an area of up to 5 hectares. Sampling and Analysis needs to comply with the Code of Practice for Agricultural use of Sewage Sludge & Biosolids Assurance Scheme (BAS).

BAS requires soil samples to be collected by competent personnel, recording of the location of each soil sample (including the location of the sub samples), chain of custody, suitable transport and storage and for the analysis to be undertaken by a BAS approved laboratory.

Suppliers will provide an end-to-end service from sample request to supply of analysis results both electronically uploaded to Severn Trent's system (currently QUIS) plus supplier headed reports where required for submission to the Environment Agency

The service comprises:

Soil sampling

Analysis using BAS approved laboratory services

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £2,500,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Additional 3 years available in 12 month increments

### **II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 1

Maximum number: 2

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Analytical Services Waste (Regulated & Non - Regulated)

Lot No

2

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

- 38000000 - Laboratory, optical and precision equipments (excl. glasses)
- 65100000 - Water distribution and related services
  - KA09 - For the treatment of water
  - KA10 - For use in the water industry

- KA11 - For water utilities

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

The Labs Analytical Services cover all regulatory requirements for water sampling, testing and analysis for ST and HD. The contract is fundamental to ST/HD as a business to enable wastewater testing, monitoring and retrieving data on our Wastewater & Soils samples. Lot 2 consists of water testing, sampling and analysis within the following: OSM & UWW, Landfill Monitoring, Trade Effluent & Formal Sampling, Tankered Waste, Investigatory Sample Analysis WWR & Bioresource, Pipeline Assessments, Settled Sewage & Sludge, Capital Schemes.

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

### **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £3,900,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Additional 3 years extension in 12 month increments

### **II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**



Envisaged minimum number: 1

Maximum number: 2

### **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

Analytical Services Waste Water (Regulated)

Lot No

3

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

- 38970000 - Research, testing and scientific technical simulator
- 65110000 - Water distribution
  - KA09 - For the treatment of water
  - KA10 - For use in the water industry
  - KA11 - For water utilities
- 65120000 - Operation of a water-purification plant
- 65130000 - Operation of water supplies

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

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

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

Severn Trent requires the provision of a planned sampling service, provision and maintenance of the auto samplers and full analysis to fully comply with the Environment Agency's requirements for Operator Self-Monitoring (OSM) and Urban Waste Treatment (UWW) Regulations., along with HACCP & BAS on Sludge.

The Supplier will be responsible for ensuring that all necessary sampling activities are performed to an agreed programme, samples are submitted to the laboratory for analysis and results are communicated in full compliance with stipulated timescales. The Supplier will be responsible to Severn Trent for meeting the requirements and technical specification in respect of the Goods, Services and Works being provided.

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

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

## **II.2.6) Estimated value**

Value excluding VAT: £4,000,000

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

Additional 3 years in 12 month increments

## **II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 1

Maximum number: 2

## **II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

## **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.1) Title**

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Lot No

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

- 65100000 - Water distribution and related services

### **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 is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

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

Duration in months

60

This contract is subject to renewal

No

**II.2.9) Information about the limits on the number of candidates to be invited**

Envisaged minimum number: 1

Maximum number: 2

**II.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

**II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

**II.2.14) Additional information**

no lot 4 available

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Negotiated procedure with prior call for competition

#### **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

Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: 3

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

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

Date

26 September 2024

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

English

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.1) Information about recurrence**

This is a recurrent procurement: No

### **VI.2) Information about electronic workflows**

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

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

Suppliers to send detailed invoices to STW via SAP Ariba for e-invoicing etc

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

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

Severn Trent Water

Coventry

Country

United Kingdom