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Tender

## **Vegetation Management - Central Forest District**

Forestry Commission, acting through Forestry England (hereinafter referred to as Forestry England)

F02: Contract notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-040c0a

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

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

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**Region code**

UK - United Kingdom

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Main address

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**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-UK-Bristol:-Forestry-management-services./SCR254XAGZ>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

<https://www.delta-esourcing.com/tenders/UK-title/SCR254XAGZ>

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted to the above-mentioned address

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

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

**I.5) Main activity**

Other activity

Forestry

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## **Section II: Object**

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

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

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District

Reference number

FCCN90

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

- 77231000 - Forestry management services

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

Services

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

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

Value excluding VAT: £765,000

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

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

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

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

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Dams

Lot No

1

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Main site or place of performance

WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND),EAST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

### **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: £100,000

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

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Delamere

Lot No

2

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKD6 - Cheshire

Main site or place of performance

Cheshire

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

### **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: £135,000

**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.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

**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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Cannock Visitor Centre

Lot No

3

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire CC

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

#### **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: £75,000

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

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Cannock (open and multi)

Lot No

4

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Main site or place of performance

WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND),EAST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

**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: £75,000

**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.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No



### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Cannock Cycle Trails

Lot No

5

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG24 - Staffordshire CC

Main site or place of performance

Staffordshire CC

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

### **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: £75,000

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

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - National Forest

Lot No

6

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Main site or place of performance

WEST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND),EAST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

#### **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: £90,000

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

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Fineshade

Lot No

7

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

**II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKF - East Midlands (England)

Main site or place of performance

EAST MIDLANDS (ENGLAND)

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

**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: £40,000

**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.2.10) Information about variants**

Variants will be accepted: No

### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Salcey Forest \*\* Please note start date for this Lot is 01/04/2025

Lot No

8

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire
- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

Main site or place of performance

West Northamptonshire, North Northamptonshire, Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

### **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: £60,000

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

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

No

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

Variants will be accepted: No

#### **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**

Vegetation Management - Central Forest District - Sherwood Pines

Lot No

9

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

- 77314100 - Grassing services

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

NUTS codes

- UKF14 - Nottingham

Main site or place of performance

Nottingham

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

Vegetation management across a number of our sites including surfaced and unsurfaced trails, dams, open areas, forest rides and wildflower meadows.

#### **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: £100,000

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

Variants will be accepted: No

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

Date

30 November 2023

Local time

12:00pm

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

English

#### **IV.2.7) Conditions for opening of tenders**

Date

30 November 2023

Local time

12:30pm

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

This is a recurrent procurement: No



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

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**

The High Court

London

WC2A 2LL

Country

United Kingdom

#### **VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures**

Forestry Commission

Bristol

Country

United Kingdom