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Contract

Defra Group - National Plant Hire Framework - 2025-2031

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

F03: Contract award notice

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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London

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Email

email@domain.co.uk

Country

United Kingdom

Region code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-environment-food-rural-affairs>

Buyer's address

<https://defra-family.force.com/s/Welcome>

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

National or federal Agency/Office

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Defra Group - National Plant Hire Framework - 2025-2031

Reference number

C23206

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 77111000 - Hire of agricultural machinery with operator

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

National Plant Hire Framework with 7 lots covering a managing agent with 6 of those covering specific assets for hire. £95m has been approved but this is not a guaranteed value of spend, it will depend on requirements across Defra Group for the hire of Plant.

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: £95,000,000

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Lot 1 - Managing Agent

Lot No

Lot 1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 72224000 - Project management consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Manage framework suppliers across lots 2 to 6. Single point of contact for DGFS and Defra Organisations

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical/ Sustainability / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 2 - Plant Equipment and Site Provision

Lot No

Lot 2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 43200000 - Earthmoving and excavating machinery, and associated parts

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Excavators up to 8t, Telehandlers, Rollers, Excavator Attachments, Dumpers, Tracked Dumpers up to 3t, Forklifts, MEWP.
Lighting, Bowsers, Generators, Traffic Management, Fencing, Temporary Access systems

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 3 - Accommodation

Lot No

Lot 3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 34114300 - Welfare vehicles

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Toilets, Welfare Units – towable, static and mobile, Storage Units

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 4a - Diesel Pumps

Lot No

Lot 4 (a)

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 43134100 - Submersible pumps

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Open tender to procure hire of diesel submersible pumps

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 4b - Electric Pumps

Lot No

Lot 4 (b)

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 43134100 - Submersible pumps

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

sub lot electric pumps

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 5 - Heavy and Operated Plant

Lot No

Lot 5

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 77111000 - Hire of agricultural machinery with operator

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Long Reach Excavators, Dumpers, Dump Trucks, Dozers Long Reach Excavators, Excavator Attachments, Excavators over 8t, Dump Trucks, Tracked Dumpers 3t and over, Dozers, Backhoe Loader 8t and over, Loading Shovels

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

Lot 6 - Agricultural Plant

Lot No

Lot 6

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 45520000 - Hire of earthmoving equipment with operator

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UK - United Kingdom

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Tractors, Bank Mowers, Remote Control Mowers, Agricultural Dump & Plant Trailers, Woodchippers

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Technical (including sustainability) / Weighting: 60

Price - Weighting: 40

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

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: [2024/S 000-025741](#)

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

1

Title

Lot 1 - Managing Agent

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

GAP Group Limited

Carrick House 40 Carrick Street Glasgow

Glasgow

G2 8DA

Telephone

+49 12345678

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

00198823

Internet address

<https://www.gap-group.co.uk/>

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £442,736

Total value of the contract/lot: £442,736

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

2

Title

Lot 2 - Plant Equipment and Site Provision

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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Internet address

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The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £7,902,448

Total value of the contract/lot: £7,902,448

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

3

Title

FTS/OJEU Lot Lot 3 - Accommodation

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 0

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Sunbelt Rentals Ltd

100 Cheapside London

London

EC2V 6DT

Telephone

+49 12345678

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

00444569

Internet address

www.sunbeltrentals.co.uk

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £14,811,144

Total value of the contract/lot: £14,811,144

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

4

Title

Lot 4a - Diesel Pumps

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

1 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 0

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

GAP Group Limited

Carrick House 40 Carrick Street Glasgow

Glasgow

G2 8DA

Telephone

+49 12345678

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

00198823

Internet address

<https://www.gap-group.co.uk/>

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £3,995,683

Total value of the contract/lot: £3,995,683

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

5

Title

Lot 5 - Heavy and Operated Plant

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

10 June 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 4

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 2

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 4

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

P. Flannery Plant Hire (Oval) Ltd

Flannery House, Third Way

Wembley

HA9 0RZ

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

01058421

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £19,830,157

Total value of the contract/lot: £19,830,157

Section V. Award of contract

Lot No

6

Title

Lot 6 - Agricultural Plant

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

28 April 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 2

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 2

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Ray Britland Contractors Ltd

Primrose Farm, Noahs Ark Lane

Mobberley

WA16 7AX

Telephone

+49 12345678

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

06517058

Internet address

www.raybritlandcontracting.co.uk

The contractor is an SME

Yes

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £20,496,659

Total value of the contract/lot: £20,496,659

Section V. Award of contract

Title

Lot 4b - Electric Pumps

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

7 May 2025

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 3

Number of tenders received from SMEs: 1

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

Number of tenders received from tenderers from non-EU Member States: 0

Number of tenders received by electronic means: 3

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

V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor

Selwood Limited

Bournemouth Road, Chandler's Ford, Eastleigh, Hampshire

Hampshire

SO53 3ZL

Telephone

+49 12345678

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

494547

Internet address

www.selwood.co.uk

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Initial estimated total value of the contract/lot: £4,486,226

Total value of the contract/lot: £4,486,226

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

ENVIRONMENT AGENCY

Seacole Building, 2 Marsham Street

London

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VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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