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Tender

Vegetation Management - East England Forest District -DPS

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

F02: Contract notice Notice identifier: 2024/S 000-033680 Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-04ad85 Published 18 October 2024, 10:05am

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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

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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-managementservices./8874PUAZ59

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-UK-Bristol:-Forestry-managementservices./8874PUAZ59

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I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Ministry or any other national or federal authority

I.5) Main activity

Other activity

Forestry

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Vegetation Management - East England Forest District - DPS

Reference number

FCCN1763

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77231000 - Forestry management services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Vegetation management in East England Forest District, types of work may include weeding and/or respacing young trees with sickle, brushcutter or chemical ,

trimming shrubby and tree vegetation encroaching on rides, paths and fencelines, hedge cutting, swiping rides, verges and open areas, forage harvesting conservation rides, verges and open areas, cutting and removing vegetation from heritage sites, mowing recreation trails, strimming round marker posts, signs, gateway, benches and bins, maintaining visibility splays at access points, cutting and removing.vegetation from firebreaks

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £400,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKH1 - East Anglia

Main site or place of performance

East Anglia

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Vegetation management across East England Forest District

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

50

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

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

Framework agreement with several operators

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

18 November 2024

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

18 November 2024

Local time

12:30pm

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

The Strand

London

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United Kingdom

VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures

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