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# NRW Forest Survey Services (Production, Thinning, Tree Planting Density and Attribute Surveys)

Natural Resources Wales

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Prior information only

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# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

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## Country

**United Kingdom** 

#### **NUTS** code

UKL - Wales

## Internet address(es)

Main address

http://naturalresourceswales.gov.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search\_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA0110

## I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

## I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

# I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Body governed by public law

# I.5) Main activity

Environment

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

NRW Forest Survey Services (Production, Thinning, Tree Planting Density and Attribute Surveys)

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 77300000 - Horticultural services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

Natural Resources Wales (NRW) is looking to conduct pre-tender market engagement with contractors interested in providing Forest Survey Services (Production, Thinning, Tree Planting Density and Attribute Surveys)

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £500,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

## II.2) Description

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

- 77231400 Forest inventory services
- 77231000 Forestry management services
- 77231500 Forest monitoring or evaluation services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

**Throughout Wales** 

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

Natural Resources Wales (NRW) is looking to conduct pre-tender market engagement with contractors interested in providing Forest Survey Services. The type of surveys required are broadly categorised as:

- 1. Forest Surveys Mensuration for 4 different survey types across the Welsh Government Woodland Estate.
- 2. Production and Thinning Surveys valuation of clearfell crops for timber sales, including boundary marking.
- 3. Tree Planting density survey monitoring of restocking at year 1 and 5.
- 4. Attribute Survey rolling survey of year 20 crops across the WGWE

As the provision of the contract will be throughout Wales, contractors operating across Wales are encouraged to get in touch to discuss the framework. Contractor input is important to NRW, so that we can look to put in place efficient procurement opportunities that works well for everyone.

To register your initial interest in this opportunity please email <a href="mailto:emma.studley@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk">emma.studley@cyfoethnaturiolcymru.gov.uk</a>

Please note this PIN is not a call for competition.

# II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

3 June 2024

## Section IV. Procedure

## IV.1) Description

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.3) Additional information

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Sell2Wales Web Site at

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/Search/Search\_Switch.aspx?ID=137471.

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