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Tender

Arboricultural Services for Centurion Way: Single Supplier Framework 2025

South Downs National Park Authority

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Scope

Description

South Downs National Park Authority (SDNPA) invites tenders for the provision of Arboricultural Services to support the ongoing construction of an extension to the Centurion Way. The Project Team are seeking to appoint a contractor to a single supplier framework, working to support the arboricultural requirement of the project.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £165,000 excluding VAT
- £198,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 September 2025 to 1 April 2027
- Possible extension to 1 April 2028
- 2 years, 7 months, 1 day

Description of possible extension:

Up to one further year.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 77211300 - Tree-clearing services

Contract locations

- UKJ - South East (England)

Framework

Maximum number of suppliers

1

Maximum percentage fee charged to suppliers

0%

Further information about fees

N/A

Framework operation description

Quotes for call-offs will be obtained from the single supplier, based on the table of rates they have provided in their tender. As this is a single supplier framework, awards will be made without further competition. For full details of the call-off procedure please refer to Section 4 of the Draft Framework Agreement uploaded in the tender pack.

Award method when using the framework

Without competition

Contracting authorities that may use the framework

Establishing party only

Submission

Enquiry deadline

25 July 2025, 12:59am

Tender submission deadline

12 August 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Submissions should be returned through our electronic tendering portal, In-tend: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/southdowns>.

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Price 40%

Quality 60% (see below)

Quality criteria is split into

- A) approach to the framework (planning 10%, working practices 10%, process 10%) and
 - B) Resourcing (staffing 10%, equipment and plant 10%, compliance and accreditations 10%)
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Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Documents

Associated tender documents

<https://in-tendhost.co.uk/southdowns.aspx/Tenders/Current>

SDNPA use an electronic sourcing portal to manage all tendering and quotation exercises and current and future contract opportunities can be viewed at <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/southdowns>. In order to view the full documents available it is necessary to register with the portal. Registration is free and only has to be done once.

Contracting authority

South Downs National Park Authority

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Region: UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government