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Planning

Trydan Engagement and Communication Tender

Trydan Gwyrdd Cymru

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

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NUTS code

UK - United Kingdom

Internet address(es)

Main address

http://www.trydangwyrddcymru.wales

Buyer's address

https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA86013

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

Trydan Engagement and Communication Tender

II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79416000 - Public relations services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

The scope for this procurement will cover planning and project related engagement and communication.

This will include communications to raise awareness of Trydan Gwyrdd Cymru at the very early stages of Project development, followed by opportunities to shape the projects through non-statutory and statutory consultation events. Engagement will help to optimise the value of these projects for the local area and for Wales, up to submission of the planning application.

II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £990,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:

Lot 1 - South West Wales

Lot 2 - North East Wales

Lot 3 - Cardiff Capital Region

Lot 4 - Swansea Bay City Region

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Engagement & Communication for South West Wales Project

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79416000 Public relations services
- 79340000 Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

South West Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope for this procurement will cover project and all pre-application planning related community and stakeholder engagement, and communication.

This will include reviewing existing preliminary stakeholder analyses, and maintaining a current and relevant stakeholder list.

It will require the drafting and maintenance (evolution) of an engagement strategy and plan.

It will include communications and outreach to ensure Trydan gets the best possible introduction to the local area, at the very early stages of project development. Working with a multidisciplinary project team, including EIA consultants, you will be required to design and manage opportunities for local communities and stakeholders to help shape the project through non-statutory and statutory consultation events. You will navigate the project through pre-application consultation requirements and be part of delivering the Consultation Report.

As a major infrastructure projects, the project will follow the new process defined in The Infrastructure (Wales) Act 2024.

You will also facilitate local engagement to help the projects prepare to deliver relevant and optimal embedded and added social value.

Some broader, Wales-wide communication and engagement may also be required within the remit, where there is an interface between local and national interests.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Engagement & Communication for North East Wales Project

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79416000 Public relations services
- 79340000 Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

North East Wales

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope for this procurement will cover project and all pre-application planning related community and stakeholder engagement, and communication.

This will include reviewing existing preliminary stakeholder analyses, and maintaining a current and relevant stakeholder list.

It will require the drafting and maintenance (evolution) of an engagement strategy and

plan.

It will include communications and outreach to ensure Trydan gets the best possible introduction to the local area, at the very early stages of project development. Working with a multidisciplinary project team, including EIA consultants, you will be required to design and manage opportunities for local communities and stakeholders to help shape the project through non-statutory and statutory consultation events. You will navigate the project through pre-application consultation requirements and be part of delivering the Consultation Report.

As a major infrastructure projects, the project will follow the new process defined in The Infrastructure (Wales) Act 2024.

You will also facilitate local engagement to help the projects prepare to deliver relevant and optimal embedded and added social value.

Some broader, Wales-wide communication and engagement may also be required within the remit, where there is an interface between local and national interests.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Engagement & Communication for Cardiff Capital Region Project

Lot No

3

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79416000 Public relations services
- 79340000 Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Cardiff Capital Region

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope for this procurement will cover project and all pre-application planning related community and stakeholder engagement, and communication.

This will include preliminary stakeholder analyses and compiling an initial stakeholder list. The list will be reviewed and maintained throughout the duration of the contract.

It will require the drafting and maintenance (evolution) of an engagement strategy and plan.

It will include communications and outreach to ensure Trydan gets the best possible introduction to the local area, at the very early stages of project development. Working with a multidisciplinary project team, including EIA consultants, you will be required to design and manage opportunities for local communities and stakeholders to help shape the project through non-statutory and statutory consultation events. You will navigate the project through pre-application consultation requirements and be part of delivering the Consultation Report.

As a major infrastructure project, the project will follow the new process defined in The Infrastructure (Wales) Act 2024.

You will also facilitate local engagement to help the projects prepare to deliver relevant and optimal embedded and added social value.

Some broader, Wales-wide communication and engagement may also be required within the remit, where there is an interface between local and national interests.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Engagement & Communication for Swansea Bay City Regions Projects x2

Lot No

4

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 79416000 Public relations services
- 79340000 Advertising and marketing services
- 79342000 Marketing services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

• UKL - Wales

Main site or place of performance

Swansea Bay City Region

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

The scope for this procurement will cover both projects, including all pre-application planning related community and stakeholder engagement, and communication.

We expect to see some synergies in your approach, where it is possible to undertake activities covering and relevant to both projects. However you will also take care to avoid any confusion caused by overlapping timeframes and geographic proximity.

This will include preliminary stakeholder analyses and compiling an initial stakeholder lists (one for each project and another denoting any overlap). The lists will be reviewed and maintained throughout the duration of the contract.

It will require the drafting and maintenance (evolution) of engagement strategies and plans. Working with a multidisciplinary project team, including EIA consultants, you will be required to design and manage opportunities for local communities and stakeholders to help shape the projects through non-statutory and statutory consultation events. You will navigate the projects through pre-application consultation requirements and be part of delivering the Consultation Report.

As major infrastructure projects, the projects will follow the new process defined in The Infrastructure (Wales) Act 2024.

You will also facilitate local engagement to help the projects prepare to deliver relevant and optimal embedded and added social value.

Some broader, Wales-wide communication and engagement may also be required within the remit, where there is an interface between local and national interests.

II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

1 April 2025

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

We are holding premarket engagement webinar session on Monday 16th December at 11am - 12pm. Please follow the link to register.

https://wales.business-events.org.uk/en/events/engagement-communication-procurement-meet-the-buyer-event/

https://wales.business-events.org.uk/cy/digwyddiadau/ymgysylltu-a-chyfathrebu-caffael-digwyddiad-cwrdd-ar-prynwyr/

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https://www.sell2wales.gov.wales/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=146451.

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