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Contract

Provision of Feasibility Report investigating potential reinforcement of the Chough population on Islay and Colonsay.

Argyll and the Isles Coast and Countryside Trust (ACT)

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-04a445

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Main address

www.act-now.org.uk

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA28363

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Other type

Charity

I.5) Main activity

Environment

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Provision of Feasibility Report investigating potential reinforcement of the Chough population on Islay and Colonsay.

Reference number

ACT 021

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 90700000 - Environmental services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Argyll & The Isles Coast & Countryside Trust (ACT), in conjunction with the Scottish Chough Forum (SCF), seeks a suitably qualified and experienced contractor to undertake a study which will investigate the feasibility of reinforcing the existing chough population on Islay and Colonsay. We expect the study to be predominately desk based and to be completed by the end of August 2025.

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)

Value excluding VAT: £40,000

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 90713000 - Environmental issues consultancy services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM63 - Lochaber, Skye & Lochalsh, Arran & Cumbrae and Argyll & Bute

Main site or place of performance

Isles of Islay & Colonsay, Argyll

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

We are seeking an experienced contractor to produce a detailed feasibility study, including delivery cost estimates, which will contain sufficient information to fully evaluate the need for and inform a translocation application under the Scottish Code for Conservation Translocations

II.2.5) Award criteria

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 85

Cost criterion - Name: Cost / Weighting: 15

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

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Section V. Award of contract

Contract No

ACT Eco 021

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

V.2) Award of contract

V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract

9 December 2024

V.2.2) Information about tenders

Number of tenders received: 1

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: 1

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

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- UKI31 - Camden and City of London

The contractor is an SME

No

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

Total value of the contract/lot: £36,845

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

(SC Ref:785423)

VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

Dunoon Sheriffs Court

Dunoon

Country

United Kingdom

VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained

Argyll & The Isles Coast & Countryside Trust

Lochgilphead

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United Kingdom