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Water Benefits Update – Phase 3.1: Shared and Contested Values Research - STA

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Scope

Reference

C29860

Description

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Services:

The objective of this contract is to explore how deliberative processes can shape shared and contested values for the freshwater environment, and how these values differ from the individual willingness-to-pay (WTP) estimates.

This research will inform the broader valuation framework under Phase 3 (Water Benefit Update) and support more inclusive, equitable, and context-sensitive decision-making at the catchment scale.

Contract 1. Water Benefits Update – Phase 3.1: Shared and Contested Values Research - STA

Supplier

- [Economics For the Environment Consultancy Ltd](#)

Contract value

- £99,815 excluding VAT
- £119,778 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

4 September 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

4 September 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 5 September 2025 to 28 February 2027
- 1 year, 5 months, 26 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 73110000 - Research services

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

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- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PNWW-1475-NYLN

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FOOD AND RURAL AFFAIRS

Summary of their role in this procurement: Defra procured the services on behalf of the Environment Agency.

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