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Tender

Grounds Maintenance

Met Office

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Scope

Reference

DN776875

Description

The Met Office have a number of 'Frontline Sites' across and throughout the United Kingdom, housing an Automated Weather Station (AWS) or Radar Station.

Accordingly, the Met Office are looking to appoint supplier(s) who can undertake and deliver a grounds maintenance service across and throughout our portfolio of Frontline Sites. The Met Office would be keen to see what market solutions are available for optimum service delivery in this respect.

These grounds maintenance services are not required for aesthetic and or appearances; they are essential as the non-maintained grass and associated vegetation can have a significant and detrimental effect on the equipment and the resultant data.

This tender is split into 4 Lots:

Lot 1 - England

Lot 2 - Scotland

Lot 3 - Wales

Lot 4 - Northern Ireland

The Met Office reserves the right to award anywhere from 1 contract up to 4.

To gain access to Appendix 7_Bidders Commercial Response Form an NDA which can be found as an appendix, (Appendix 9_Non-Disclosure Agreement) must be completed, signed and sent to the Met Office via the Proactis Portal. Once this has been received the requested Appendix 7 document will be sent to you within 1 working day.

Tender documents can be found via the proactis portal <https://procontract.due-north.com/ProjectManagement/ProjectDashboard?projectId=0194c79d-c43f-f011-8136-005056b64545>

Total value (estimated)

- £1,530,000 excluding VAT
- £1,836,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 5 December 2025 to 4 December 2028
- Possible extension to 4 December 2030
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

Met Office reserves the right to extend this contract.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 77314000 - Grounds maintenance services

Lot constraints

Description of how multiple lots may be awarded:

Please see tender documents.

Not the same for all lots

Contract locations are shown in Lot sections, because they are not the same for all lots.

Lot 1. England

Description

Grounds Maintenance services for the England Region.

Lot value (estimated)

- £735,952 excluding VAT
- £883,143 including VAT

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
- UKD - North West (England)
- UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
- UKF - East Midlands (England)
- UKG - West Midlands (England)
- UKH - East of England
- UKI - London
- UKJ - South East (England)
- UKK - South West (England)

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 2. Scotland

Description

Grounds Maintenance Services for the Scotland Region

Lot value (estimated)

- £408,877 excluding VAT
- £490,652 including VAT

Contract locations

- UKM - Scotland

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 3. Wales**Description**

Grounds Maintenance Services for the Wales Region.

Lot value (estimated)

- £187,310 excluding VAT
- £224,772 including VAT

Contract locations

- UKL - Wales

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Lot 4. Ireland

Description

Grounds Maintenance Services for the Northern Ireland Region.

Lot value (estimated)

- £197,861 excluding VAT
- £237,433 including VAT

Contract locations

- UKN - Northern Ireland

Same for all lots

CPV classifications and contract dates are shown in the Scope section, because they are the same for all lots.

Participation

Legal and financial capacity conditions of participation

Lot 1. England

Lot 2. Scotland

Lot 3. Wales

Lot 4. Ireland

Please see the tender documentation.

Technical ability conditions of participation

Lot 1. England

Lot 2. Scotland

Lot 3. Wales

Lot 4. Ireland

Please see the tender documentation.

Particular suitability

Lot 1. England

Lot 2. Scotland

Lot 3. Wales

Lot 4. Ireland

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Tender submission deadline

31 October 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://procontract.due-north.com/ProjectManagement/ProjectDashboard?projectId=0194c79d-c43f-f011-8136-005056b64545>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

24 November 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality (Including Social Value)	Quality	70%
Price	Price	30%

Other information

Payment terms

Please see tender documents.

Description of risks to contract performance

Please see tender documents.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

Met Office

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVZW-3234-DTLY

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Organisation type: Public authority - central government