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# Development of a network of hydrological monitoring across the Long Term Monitoring Network: North Walney

Natural England

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## Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The <u>previous version</u> is still available.

Clarification to bidders questions added 20/11/25.

## Scope

#### Reference

**NE301025HMNW** 

#### **Description**

Natural England's Long Term Monitoring Network (LTMN) started collecting data in 2010, aiming to identify if and how ecosystems are changing and, where relevant, to attribute that change to large-scale ecosystem pressures. Data is collected across 37 sites, most of which are National Nature Reserves. Alongside other data collection, there are approximately 50 permanent vegetation plots and 5 permanent soil plots at each site. Hydrological change is considered to be a potentially significant driver of ecosystem change on all LTMN water -dependent sites, but it is currently poorly understood. This contact requires a conceptual hydrological model to be produced for North Walney NNR. This may be done as a desk based exercise using existing information, or through a site visit if appropriate. From this we require advice on suitable locations for a network of dipwells in relation to the permanent vegetation plots are likely to be impacted by hydrological change,

#### **Total value (estimated)**

- £12,500 excluding VAT
- £15,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

#### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 27 November 2025 to 16 March 2026
- 3 months, 20 days

### Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

- 71351920 Oceanography and hydrology services
- 90711500 Environmental monitoring other than for construction

#### **Contract locations**

• UK - United Kingdom

## **Participation**

## This procurement is reserved for

**UK** suppliers

## Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

#### **Submission**

#### **Tender submission deadline**

24 November 2025, 9:00am

### Submission address and any special instructions

To apply for this opportunity you must submit your quotation meeting the requirements detailed in the Request for Quotation (RFQ) attached.

Your response must be sent to kate.fagan@naturalengland.org.uk by 9am on 24/11/2025.

If you have any clarification questions linked to this opportunity or the procurement process please submit these via email to <a href="mailto-kate.fagan@naturalengland.org.uk">kate.fagan@naturalengland.org.uk</a> and <a href="mailto-keeley.spate@naturalengland.org.uk">keeley.spate@naturalengland.org.uk</a>. Please note that, unless commercially sensitive both the question and the response will be circulated to all tenderers.

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Tenders may be submitted electronically
No
Award criteria
Full details are available in the RFQ.
Procedure
Procedure type

# Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

## **Documents**

#### **Associated tender documents**

Request for Quotation Hydrology North Walney.docx

**RFQ** 

Order Form NE Standard Goods Services Terms and Conditions North Walney.docx

Order form

NE\_Commercial Response basic 2.pdf

Commercial response form

Clarification to bidders questions.docx

Clarification to bidders questions,

# **Contracting authority**

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