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Award

Infrastructure Maintenance for Country Parks

Leicestershire County Council

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Scope

Reference

DN784924

Description

Lot 1: Site Maintenance, specialising in working in wetland environments

Lot 2: Site Maintenance, specialising in heathland restoration and dry stonewalling

Lot 1. Lot 1: Site Maintenance, specialising in working in wetland

environments (Bosworth Battlefield, Market Bosworth and Watermead North Country Parks):

Description

- Stoned path works including new paths, repairs, top dressing
- Fencing, including stock fencing, post and rail and knee rails
- Creation and maintenance of Waterbodies such as lakes, ponds & 'ditching'
- Reedbed creation and maintenance
- Basic woodland management
- Wildflower meadow works - seeding, scarifying, rotavating
- Small pond creation and restoration
- Resurfacing of play areas
- Installation of seating benches
- Respond to emergency works as and when required

Lot 2. Lot 2: Site Maintenance, specialising in heathland restoration and dry stonewalling (Beacon Hill, Jubilee Wood, Broombriggs Farm Country Park & Sheet Hedges Wood)

Description

- New path installations ranging from stoned and dressed paths to tarmac paths
- Water management works, including grips, bunds, French drains and Aco drains
- Path resurfacing works, including top dressing and rolling
- Experience of working on paths within a country park setting
- Construction and repairs to drystone walls
- Construction and repairs to fencing, wooden and metal gates
- Installation and repair of livestock welfare and handling infrastructure
- Undertake basic reactive woodland Health & Safety maintenance
- Heathland management works, such as weed wiping, boom sprayings, rolling and mowing with appropriate plant and equipment
- Respond to emergency works as required

Contract 1. Lot 1: Site Maintenance, specialising in working in wetland environments (Bosworth Battlefield, Market Bosworth

and Watermead North Country Parks)

Lots

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Supplier

- T A Houghton Ltd

Contract value

- £50,000 excluding VAT
- £52,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

24 December 2025

Earliest date the contract will be signed

14 January 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 15 January 2026 to 14 January 2029

- Possible extension to 14 January 2031
- 5 years

Description of possible extension:

2 extensions will be available after the initial period of the contract in 12 month increments:

Extension 1 - 12 months - approximately dated from 19/09/2028-18/09/2029

Extension 2 - 12 months - approximately dated from 19/09/2029-18/09/2030

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 77313000 - Parks maintenance services

Contract locations

- UKF2 - Leicestershire, Rutland and Northamptonshire
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Contract 2. Lot 2: Site Maintenance, specialising in heathland restoration and dry stonewalling

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- RL, KA & KW Wainwright

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Information about tenders

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- 6 tenders received
- 6 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 6 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

- 2 suppliers awarded contracts
 - 4 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Lot 2. Lot 2: Site Maintenance, specialising in heathland restoration and dry stonewalling (Beacon Hill, Jubilee Wood, Broombriggs Farm Country Park & Sheet Hedges Wood)

- 4 tenders received
 - 4 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 4 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
 - 2 suppliers awarded contracts
 - 2 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Suppliers

RL, KA & KW Wainwright

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Leicestershire

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Region: UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 2. Lot 2: Site Maintenance, specialising in heathland restoration and dry stonewalling

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Region: UKF22 - Leicestershire CC and Rutland

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1. Lot 1: Site Maintenance, specialising in working in wetland environments (Bosworth Battlefield, Market Bosworth and Watermead North Country Parks)

Contracting authority

Leicestershire County Council

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government