

United Kingdom-Belfast: Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

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Contract notice

Services

Legal Basis:

Directive 2014/24/EU

Section I: Contracting authority

I.1. Name and addresses

Official name: RSPB Northern Ireland

Town: Belfast

NUTS code: UKN Northern Ireland

Country: United Kingdom

E-mail: central.procurement@rspb.org.uk

Internet address(es):

Main address: www.rspb.org.uk

Address of the buyer profile: https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA16345

I.2. Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3. Communication

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: <https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

Additional information can be obtained from the abovementioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via: <https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk>

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

Scrub and tree management, Upper Lough Erne, N. Ireland

Reference number: RSPB/ULE/2023/01

II.1.2. Main CPV code

77000000 Agricultural, forestry, horticultural, aquacultural and apicultural services

II.1.3. Type of contract

Services

II.1.4. Short description

Tender For: Management Of Scrub, Mature Scrub, Trees and Tall Hedgerow Lowering at Upper Lough Erne

II.1.5. Estimated total value

II.1.6. Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: no

II.2. Description

II.2.3. Place of performance

NUTS code: UKN Northern Ireland

II.2.4. Description of the procurement

The work will be carried out across several key sites on Upper Lough Erne.

It is anticipated that works will commence in January 2023. Timing will be dependent on local ground conditions and weather during that period. If all work is not completed by 28th February 2023, operations must then be paused until 1st September 2023.

The work will entail:

- 1) Tree removal = 0.36ha
- 2) Scrub removal = 1.6ha
- 3) Mature scrub removal = 2.46ha
- 4) Tree lowering to 2m height = 0.08ha
- 5) Hedgerow lowering (to 1.5m or less) = 2002 metres

Follow up herbicide application to removed scrub/trees the following growing season to restrict any regrowth

See Invitation to Tender for more details

II.2.5. Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

II.2.6. Estimated value

II.2.7. Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Start: 09/01/2023 End: 30/09/2024

This contract is subject to renewal: no

II.2.10. Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: no

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: yes

Identification of the project: EUROPEAN COMMISSION LIFE 2019 PROJECT (LIFE19 NAT /UK/000844) – Curlews in crisis: Emergency action to halt the decline of curlew Numenius arquata in priority landscapes across the UK

II.2.14. Additional information

Section IV: Procedure

IV.1. Description

IV.1.1. Type of procedure

Open procedure

IV.1.3. Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

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.2.2. Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

Date: 03/01/2023 Local time: 17:00

IV.2.3. Estimated date of dispatch of invitations to tender or to participate to selected candidates

IV.2.4. Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted

English

IV.2.7. Conditions for opening of tenders

Date: 03/01/2023 Local time: 17:00

Section VI: Complementary information

VI.1. Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: no

VI.3. Additional information

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VI.4. Procedures for review

VI.4.1. Review body

Official name: Edinburgh Sheriff Court

Town: Edinburgh

Country: United Kingdom

VI.5. Date of dispatch of this notice

05/12/2022