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Communities and Nature (CAN) - Connections and Paths

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Full Details

Value of tender: £Undisclosed

CONTRACT NOTICE - NON OJEU

Is this notice funded by the Welsh European Funding Office (WEFO)?
Yes

Contract Type
Works

SECTION I: CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

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Countryside Council for Wales

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SECTION II: DETAILS OF THE CONTRACT

Type of works contract
Execution, by whatever means of a work

Is it a framework agreement?

No

Title of the contract

Communities and Nature (CAN) - Connections and Paths

Description of the contract

CAN is a strategic project covering the whole of the Convergence Area, with the exception of the Valleys Regional Park (see map). Its underlying ambition is to increase sustainable economic benefits and create jobs by utilising Wales' natural heritage assets. CAN will ensure all projects adhere to environmental sustainability and bring benefits to visitors and disadvantaged communities.

The CAN Connections and Paths will follow a competitive dialogue process (See Annex 5 of Specification). This pre-qualification questionnaire (PQQ) is the method whereby potential delivery agents will be identified. Only organisations that successfully pass through this stage will be invited to develop their project ideas to the stage where a tender bid can be made.

The project idea must meet the following conditions: -

1. The project idea's activities must take place within the convergence area (see map)
2. Projects must provide new infrastructure or renovation of existing infrastructure, or involve the creation or improvement of footpaths, bridleways or cycle ways for enjoyment of nature
3. Projects which involve only promotion or marketing activities are not eligible
4. Project end date must be before 30 September 2013
5. The project idea must encompass, at least in part, both of the following 2 aims:
 - a) To maximise the economic benefits of natural heritage assets through increasing the volume, length and value of visits to the countryside.
 - b) To ensure that the benefits of project activities are shared with disadvantaged groups through employment, training and volunteering opportunities.

Copies of the PQQ and related documents are available in Welsh. Please contact the CCW Procurement Department for further information.

Place / site of work / delivery

Convergence Area in Wales, excluding the Valleys Regional Park

Classification of contract (CPV codes)

92530000 - Botanical and zoological garden services and nature reserve services.

92520000 - Museum services and preservation services of historical sites and buildings.

92600000 - Sporting services.

92330000 - Recreational-area services.

85300000 - Social work and related services.

85323000 - Community health services.

Contract Length

Starting date:

01.10.2010

and/or Ending date

30.09.2013

SECTION III: AWARD CRITERIA

SECTION IV: Administrative Information

Instructions to suppliers

One copy of the completed pre qualification questionnaire and supporting documentation should be emailed no later than the advised date and time :-

Can.Finance@ccw.gov.uk

Any PQQ response that is not received in accordance with the above will not be considered in this round.

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Deadline Date

26.04.2010

Deadline date refers to

Submission of Pre-qualification questionnaire

Notice Resources

[CAN Aims & Objectives](#) (24 Kb)

[Convergence Map](#) (78 Kb)

[Specification](#) (3127 Kb)

[Pre Qualification Questionnaire](#) (690 Kb)

[Pre Qualification Questionnaire Guidelines](#) (1211 Kb)

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