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## Prior information notice

This notice is related to following:

- Directive 2014/24/EU  
 Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046

This notice is for prior information only

This notice aims at reducing time limits for receipt of tenders

This notice is a call for competition

*Interested operators must inform the contracting authority of their interest in the contract(s). The contract(s) will be awarded without publication of a further call for competition.*

### Section I: Contracting authority

#### I.1) Name and addresses <sup>1</sup> (please identify all contracting authorities responsible for the procedure)

Official name: <a href="#">Transport Infrastructure Ireland TII</a>		National registration number: <sup>2</sup>	
Postal address: <a href="#">Parkgate Business Centre, Parkgate Street</a>			
Town: <a href="#">Dublin</a>	NUTS code: <a href="#">IE</a>	Postal code: <a href="#">D08 DK10</a>	Country: <a href="#">Ireland</a>
Contact person:		Telephone:	
E-mail: <a href="mailto:micheal.oconnor@tii.ie">micheal.oconnor@tii.ie</a>		Fax:	
<b>Internet address(es)</b>			
Main address: (URL) <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.ie">https://www.etenders.gov.ie</a>			
Address of the buyer profile: (URL) <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.ie">https://www.etenders.gov.ie</a>			

#### I.2) Joint procurement

<input type="checkbox"/> The contract involves joint procurement, In the case of joint procurement involving different countries, state applicable national procurement law: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body.
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#### I.3) Communication

<input type="radio"/> The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at: (URL) <input type="radio"/> Access to the procurement documents is restricted. Further information can be obtained at: (URL)
Additional information can be obtained from <input checked="" type="radio"/> the abovementioned address <input type="radio"/> another address: (please provide another address)
Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted <input type="checkbox"/> electronically via: (URL) <input type="radio"/> to the abovementioned address <input type="radio"/> to the following address: (please provide another address)
<input type="checkbox"/> Electronic communication requires the use of tools and devices that are not generally available. Unrestricted and full direct access to these tools and devices is possible, free of charge, at: (URL)

#### I.4) Type of the contracting authority

<input type="radio"/> Ministry or any other national or federal authority, including their regional or local subdivisions <input type="radio"/> National or federal agency/office <input type="radio"/> Regional or local authority	<input type="radio"/> Regional or local agency/office <input checked="" type="radio"/> Body governed by public law <input type="radio"/> European institution/agency or international organisation <input type="radio"/> Other type:
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**I.5) Main activity**

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| <input type="radio"/> General public services        | <input type="radio"/> Housing and community amenities  |
| <input type="radio"/> Defence                        | <input type="radio"/> Social protection  |
| <input type="radio"/> Public order and safety        | <input type="radio"/> Recreation, culture and religion                                       |
| <input type="radio"/> Environment                    | <input type="radio"/> Education  |
| <input type="radio"/> Economic and financial affairs | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Other activity: <a href="#">Roads, Light Rail and Metro</a> |
| <input type="radio"/> Health                         |  |

## Section II: Object<sup>3</sup>

### II.1) Scope of the procurement

<b>II.1.1) Title:</b> <a href="#">Technical Consultancy Framework for Greenways and Active Travel</a>	Reference number: <sup>2</sup> <a href="#">TII349</a>
<b>II.1.2) Main CPV code:</b> <a href="#">79415200</a> Supplementary VOC code: <sup>1,2</sup> <a href="#">FG14</a>	
<b>II.1.3) Type of contract</b> <input type="radio"/> Works <input type="radio"/> Supplies <input checked="" type="radio"/> Services	
<b>II.1.4) Short description:</b> <a href="#">Background</a> In 2021 TII was delegated additional functions in relation to Active Travel and Greenways. TII is the Approving Authority under the Public Spending Code for Greenways and is actively engaged in the planning and design of other active travel facilities, including progression of a National Cycling Strategy. Back in September 2022 a Prior Information Notice (PIN) was issued to the market, back then TII were anticipating that the tender docs would be issued for this competition in earlier 2023, however due to issues outside of TII's control there has been a delay, as a result TII anticipate publishing the tender docs in early November 2023, this is the main purpose of this PIN. The Proposed Services A portfolio of over 75 potential projects has been collated at this point and TII have identified the need for significant Technical Advisor Resources to take these projects through the various Phases of the TII Project Management Guidelines (PMGs) and Project Appraisal Guidelines (PAGs). It is anticipated that this list of projects may grow over the next 12 months. There is considerable variance in the scale, nature, and complexity of these projects, with some envisaged as greenfield schemes, while others are likely to take advantage of existing road, canal, and rail corridors. In more urban areas the projects tend to be Active Travel projects rather than Greenways, that is the delivery of specific purpose walking/cycling routes, as opposed to recreational greenways. TII plan to establish frameworks for use by both TII and partner local authorities to advance the development of national and regional greenway infrastructure. There are two lots; Lot 1 for projects with construction value great than €10M, Lot 2 for projects with construction value less than €10M The deadline for response to this PIN via the e-tender website is Wednesday 1st of November by 12 noon. Please note the time limit for the receipt of proposals is set on at 22nd of December 12noon but this is only done to keep the portal open for post proposal communication. Note, submissions are to be uploaded with attachments via the messaging services. If you require any further information in the preparation of your response, please issue clarifications via the etenders messaging service. The Link to the portal for access to the system is here: <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/pmc/viewPmc.do?resourceId=2590127">https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/pmc/viewPmc.do?resourceId=2590127</a>	
<b>II.1.5) Estimated total value</b> Value excluding VAT: [ <a href="#">78800000</a> ]      Currency: <a href="#">EUR</a> <i>(for framework agreements or dynamic purchasing systems – estimated total maximum value for the entire duration of the framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system)</i>	
<b>II.1.6) Information about lots</b> This contract is divided into lots <input checked="" type="radio"/> yes <input type="radio"/> no Tenders may be submitted for <sup>12</sup> <input type="radio"/> all lots <input type="radio"/> maximum number of lots: <input type="radio"/> one lot only <input type="checkbox"/> Maximum number of lots that may be awarded to one tenderer: <input type="checkbox"/> The contracting authority reserves the right to award contracts combining the following lots or groups of lots:	



**II.2) Description <sup>1</sup> (2)**

<b>II.2.1) Title:</b> <sup>2</sup> <a href="#">Technical Consultancy Framework for Greenways and Active Travel</a>	Lot No: <sup>2</sup> Lot 2 - Estimated Construction Value of Projects less than 10million euro
<b>II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s):</b> <sup>2</sup> Main CPV code: <sup>1</sup> <a href="#">79415200</a> Supplementary VOC code: <sup>1,2</sup> <a href="#">IA01</a>	
<b>II.2.3) Place of performance</b> NUTS code: <sup>1</sup> <a href="#">[IE]</a> <a href="#">[IE0]</a> Main site or place of performance: <a href="#">TII Head Office, Parkgate Business Centre, Parkgate Street, Dublin 8, D08 DK10, Ireland.. Local Authorities across Republic of Ireland</a>	
<b>II.2.4) Description of the procurement:</b> <a href="#">TII have identified the need for significant Technical Advisor Resources to take Greenways and Active Travel projects through the various Phases of the TII Project Management Guidelines (PMGs) and Project Appraisal Guidelines (PAGs). It is anticipated that this list of projects may grow over the next 12 months. There is considerable variance in the scale, nature, and complexity of these projects, with some envisaged as greenfield schemes, while others are likely to take advantage of existing road, canal, and rail corridors. In more urban areas the projects tend to be Active Travel projects rather than Greenways, which is the delivery of specific purpose walking/cycling routes, as opposed to recreational greenways. (nature and quantity of works, supplies or services or indication of needs and requirements)</a>	
<b>II.2.5) Award criteria:</b> <sup>12</sup> <input type="radio"/> Criteria below <input type="checkbox"/> Quality criterion <sup>1,2,20</sup> <input type="radio"/> Cost criterion <sup>1,20</sup> <input type="radio"/> Price <sup>21</sup> - Weighting: <input type="radio"/> Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents	
<b>II.2.6) Estimated value</b> <sup>2,5,6,19</sup> Value excluding VAT: <input type="checkbox"/> Currency: <i>(for framework agreements or dynamic purchasing systems – estimated total maximum value for the entire duration of this lot)</i>	
<b>II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system</b> <sup>5,6,19</sup> Duration in months: or Duration in days: or Start: <i>(dd/mm/yyyy)</i> / End: <i>(dd/mm/yyyy)</i> <input type="checkbox"/> This contract is subject to renewal Description of renewals:	
<b>II.2.10) Information about variants</b> <sup>12</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Variants will be accepted	
<b>II.2.11) Information about options</b> <sup>5,6,19</sup> <input type="checkbox"/> Options Description of options:	
<b>II.2.13) Information about European Union funds</b> <sup>5,19</sup> The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds <input type="radio"/> yes <input type="radio"/> no Identification of the project:	
<b>II.2.14) Additional information:</b> <a href="#">The Link to the PMC area which contains the questionnaire document is here: https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/pmc/viewPmc.do?resourceId=2590127</a>	

**II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice:** <sup>9,19</sup> *(dd/mm/yyyy)* [08/11/2023](#)

## Section III: Legal, economic, financial and technical information

### III.1) Conditions for participation

<p><b>III.1.1) Suitability to pursue the professional activity, including requirements relating to enrolment on professional or trade registers</b> <sup>12</sup></p> <p>List and brief description of conditions:</p>
<p><b>III.1.2) Economic and financial standing</b> <sup>12</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents</p> <p>List and brief description of selection criteria:</p> <p>Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: <sup>2</sup></p>
<p><b>III.1.3) Technical and professional ability</b> <sup>12</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Selection criteria as stated in the procurement documents</p> <p>List and brief description of selection criteria:</p> <p>Minimum level(s) of standards possibly required: <sup>2</sup></p>
<p><b>III.1.5) Information about reserved contracts</b> <sup>2</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The contract is reserved to sheltered workshops and economic operators aiming at the social and professional integration of disabled or disadvantaged persons</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The execution of the contract is restricted to the framework of sheltered employment programmes</p>

### III.2) Conditions related to the contract <sup>2</sup>

<p><b>III.2.1) Information about a particular profession</b> (<i>only for service contracts</i>)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Execution of the service is reserved to a particular profession</p> <p>Reference to the relevant law, regulation or administrative provision:</p>
<p><b>III.2.2) Contract performance conditions:</b></p>
<p><b>III.2.3) Information about staff responsible for the performance of the contract</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Obligation to indicate the names and professional qualifications of the staff assigned to performing the contract</p>

## Section IV: Procedure

### IV.1) Description

<p><b>IV.1.1) Type of procedure</b> <sup>5</sup></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Restricted procedure</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Competitive procedure with negotiation</p>
<p><b>IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system</b> <sup>5, 19</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The procurement involves the establishment of a framework agreement</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><input type="radio"/> Framework agreement with a single operator</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><input type="radio"/> Framework agreement with several operators</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Envisaged maximum number of participants to the framework agreement: <sup>2</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><input type="checkbox"/> The dynamic purchasing system might be used by additional purchasers</p> <p>In the case of framework agreements, provide justification for any duration exceeding 4 years:</p>
<p><b>IV.1.6) Information about electronic auction</b> <sup>12</sup></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> An electronic auction will be used</p> <p>Additional information about electronic auction:</p>
<p><b>IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)</b></p> <p>The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement <input checked="" type="radio"/> yes <input type="radio"/> no</p>

### IV.2) Administrative information

<p><b>IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of expressions of interest</b> <sup>5</sup></p> <p>Date: (dd/mm/yyyy)      Local time: (hh:mm)</p>
<p><b>IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted:</b> <sup>1, 5</sup></p>
<p><b>IV.2.5) Scheduled date for start of award procedures:</b>(dd/mm/yyyy) <sup>4, 5, 19</sup></p>

## Section VI: Complementary information

### VI.2) Information about electronic workflows <sup>5,19</sup>

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Electronic ordering will be used<br><input type="checkbox"/> Electronic invoicing will be accepted<br><input type="checkbox"/> Electronic payment will be used |
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### VI.3) Additional information <sup>2</sup>

The Link to the PMC area which contains the questionnaire document is here: <a href="https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/pmc/viewPmc.do?resourceId=2590127">https://www.etenders.gov.ie/epps/pmc/viewPmc.do?resourceId=2590127</a>
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### VI.4) Procedures for review <sup>5,19</sup>

<b>VI.4.1) Review body</b>		
Official name:		
Postal address:		
Town:	Postal code:	Country:
E-mail:		Telephone:
Internet address: (URL)		Fax:
<b>VI.4.2) Body responsible for mediation procedures <sup>2</sup></b>		
Official name:		
Postal address:		
Town:	Postal code:	Country:
E-mail:		Telephone:
Internet address: (URL)		Fax:
<b>VI.4.3) Review procedure</b>		
Precise information on deadline(s) for review procedures:		
<b>VI.4.4) Service from which information about the review procedure may be obtained <sup>2</sup></b>		
Official name:		
Postal address:		
Town:	Postal code:	Country:
E-mail:		Telephone:
Internet address: (URL)		Fax:

**VI.5) Date of dispatch of this notice:** (dd/mm/yyyy) [23/10/2023](#)

*It is the contracting authority's/contracting entity's responsibility to ensure compliance with European Union law and any applicable laws.*

<sup>1</sup> please repeat as many times as needed

<sup>2</sup> if applicable

<sup>3</sup> please repeat as many times as needed if this notice is for prior information only

<sup>4</sup> if this information is known

<sup>5</sup> please provide this information if the notice is a call for competition

<sup>6</sup> as far as information is already known

<sup>9</sup> please provide this information only if this notice is a prior information notice

<sup>12</sup> please provide this information here or in the invitation to confirm interest, if the notice is a call for competition or aims at reducing time limits for receipt of tenders

<sup>19</sup> if the notice aims at reducing time limits for receipt of tenders

<sup>20</sup> importance may be given instead of weighting

<sup>21</sup> importance may be given instead of weighting; if price is the only award criterion, weighting is not used