October 4th 2023

**Invitation to tender for shorebird habitat creation on Long Island, Langstone Harbour.**

The RSPB is now seeking tenders for the delivery of shingle habitat creation works on Long Island within our Langstone Harbour reserve. The works consist of two lots:

1) Shingle transport (via vessel) and placement.

2) The installation of brushwood fencing.

Your businesses is invited to tender for all or part of these services. Full details of the tender and work specifications are in the attached documents.

Please do feel free to get in touch with regards to any questions. These can be sent to me at Wez.Smith@RSPB.org.uk. I can also be contacted on the following telephone numbers: Office No: 02392474440 | Mobile: 07725574970.

Questions specifically regarding the onboarding of shingle at Kendall’s Wharf can be answered by our contact there, Keith Lipscombe (Commercial Manager – Aggregates): keith.lipscombe@kendalls.co.uk

Site visits are possible but need to be arranged via our warden or myself (the Senior Project Manager). We can be contacted via email on David.Whelan@RSPB.org.uk or Wez.Smith@RSPB.org.uk respectively.

Completed tenders should be emailed to Wez.Smith@RSPB.org.uk no later than 09:00 on November 1st 2023.

These works represent one of the earliest of multiple similar projects we’re aiming to deliver across the wider Solent area within the next half decade.

Sincerely,

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