Clarifications to Bidder’s Questions:

Moss Side Farm Peatland Restoration Works Foresters Cadishead Island

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| 1 | A 500mm pipe is specified for the mammal pass. This is not a very commonly available size with suppliers, generally 450mm and 600mm are available. Would 450mm internal diameter be acceptable? The external diameter would be 512mm | 600mm would be our preferred option. |
| 2 | I just wanted to double check with you about the peat inversion. The area of 1.7ha at a depth of 1.5m to invert is 25,500m3 of material to dig and replace which seemed a heck of a lot? Also, you want to create pools within the new surface peat of about 25x25m by using the rear of the bucket is this correct? | Yes 1.7 ha is the total but not all in one area. Depending on prices we may reduce the area to fit budgets. In this case we would need to ask for price per m squared and come back out to companies that tender.  25x25m is just the size of the original plots we tested it on, we do not what 25x25 sized pools on the inversion area, just some hollows in the surface so water can pool in small areas. |
| 3 | I have been looking at the Moss side farm peatland restoration opportunities and had a question about the Mammal pass at Cadishead island.  We generally use Twinwall pipe for mammal passes and artificial badger setts etc,  The specification specifies a 30m long pipe at 500mm diameter, Twinwall pipe comes in 450mm or 600mm, would either of these be acceptable?  Other types of 500mm can be procured, such as 500mm sewer drainage pipe, but unlike the twinwall are smooth inside and significantly more expensive, cold you let us know what your preference would be? | We would be happy with 600mm pipe. |