**BELLINGER LANDCARE INC**

**Contractor Expression of Interest Form 2018**

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Bellinger Landcare Inc. is seeking expressions of interest from qualified contractors competent to deliver in any one or more of these activities.

* on ground bush regeneration works, vegetation condition assessment and planning on ground work
* workshop delivery

Expressions of Interest must address all the following selection criteria by filling in the expression of interest form submitted

* by email to belland@westnet.com.au
* by mail to Bellinger Landcare Inc 1a Oak Street, Bellingen
* by **9:00am Monday 2 April 2018**

Contractors who have previously provided an expression of interest should resubmit their details with updated information and fee schedules.

Successful applicants will be placed on the Bellinger Landcare Inc preferred contractors list and work will be allocated to preferred contractors on a site by site and project by project basis depending upon their suitability for type of work required. Submitting this EOI does not guarantee contract work.

If you have any queries please contact Sandy Eager, Landcare Co-ordinator via
email belland@westnet.com.au (preferred due to part time work hours) or phone 6655 0588.

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**SELECTION CRITERIA**

**Bush regeneration, vegetation condition assessment and planning on ground work**

* Demonstrated experience in a range of best practice bush regeneration techniques applicable to a range of situations in vegetation types on the Mid North Coast and New England Tablelands in New South Wales. Accreditation with the Australian Association of Bush Regenerators is preferred but this is not essential.
* Demonstrated experience in vegetation condition assessment and planning on ground work.
* Good communication skills particularly when relating to private landholders and land managers who are to be engaged in planning on ground work and who are responsible for ongoing site maintenance.
* Current certificate of public liability insurance to the value of $20 million; current certificate of personal accident insurance; current Chemcert accreditation; and detailed evidence of compliance with WH&S requirements.
* Value for money as demonstrated by the fee schedule to be submitted with this application.
* Quality of professional references from two referees contactable by phone.

**Workshop delivery**

* Demonstrated experience in the planning, delivery and evaluation of workshops to build the capacity of private landholders and land managers engaged in natural resource management.
* Current certificate of public liability insurance to the value of $20 million; current certificate of personal accident insurance; current Chemcert accreditation; and detailed evidence of compliance with WH&S requirements.
* Value for money as demonstrated by the fee schedule to be submitted with this application.
* Quality of professional references from two referees contactable by phone.

**BELLINGER LANDCARE INC EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM March 2018**

**Name:**…………………………………………………………………………………………………………………….

**ABN:**………………………………………………………………………………………………………………………

**Address:**………………………………………………………………………………………………..………………..

**Phone:**…………………………………………………………………………………………………..………………..

**Email:**………………………………………………………………………………………………...…..………………

1. **Please tick the contractor work you are interested in.**
* Bush Regeneration
* Workshop Delivery
1. **List any relevant formal qualifications and accreditations you hold.**
2. **For Bush Regenerators, please detail your experience in the following activities within vegetation types on the Mid North Coast and New England Tablelands in New South Wales**
* **weed control**
* **revegetation**
* **vegetation condition assessment**
* **planning on ground work**
* **monitoring and mapping including mapping weed control areas and revegetation areas; setting up photo points and completing photo point monitoring of bush regeneration sites**
* **plant identification, including native and weed species and the identification of noxious and environmental weeds**
* **working in endangered ecological communities and threatened species habitats in accordance with relevant site management plans and regulatory requirements**
* **communicating with private landholders and land managers regarding best practice bush regeneration techniques, planning on ground works, and ongoing site maintenance requirements**

**4. For Workshop Providers, please describe your demonstrated experience in the planning, delivery and evaluation of workshops to build the capacity of private landholders and land managers engaged in natural resource management.**

1. **Please provide your ABN, rates and pricing breakdown exclusive of GST**
* Hourly rate (without GST):…………………………………………............................................................
* Itemise additional costs below (eg. chemicals, travel costs to site, use of particular equipment):

**6. Please attach your certificate of public liability insurance to the value of $20 million; certificate of personal accident insurance; current Chemcert accreditation; and detailed evidence of compliance with WH&S requirements as relevant**

**7. Please provide the contact details of two professional referees contactable by phone**

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