

# Request for Contract Services

Date: 28<sup>th</sup> May 2020

Re: Sowing Contract Services

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Daybreak Cropping is seeking expressions of interest for contractors to provide the following services at its dryland cropping aggregation near Weethalle, NSW.

<b>Contract</b>	Winter crop sowing
<b>Location</b>	Orana Farms, near Weethalle & Tullibigeal NSW
<b>Area/Production</b>	Approximately 12,000 hectares (arable). Typical rotation includes 60% cereals (wheat / barley), 20% pulses, 10-20% cover crop and up to 10% Canola
<b>Term</b>	3-year service agreement + 2-year option.
<b>Start Date</b>	Late March 2021
<b>Equipment Specifications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- 2 x 18m Disc Seeders on narrow row (190mm) spacings with blockage monitors.</li><li>- Triple bin air carts with variable rate and section control capacity</li><li>- Tractors 3m centres with enough horsepower to pull planter combinations on a CTF system</li><li>- Tractors to be equipped with John Deere RTK GPS auto steer to 2cm accuracy with machine sync &amp; full electronic record keeping and section/rate control.</li><li>- Contractor to provide support and auxiliary equipment to ensure efficient and timely filling and operation of seeding equipment (grouper etc)</li></ul>
<b>Service Requirements</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Machines to arrive full of fuel</li><li>- Required to complete the job in 50 days</li><li>- Staff to be qualified and experienced with harvest operations</li><li>- Contractors and their staff to be inducted before commencement and must comply with Daybreak Cropping's Health, Safety and Environment Policy</li><li>- Safe Work Procedures for all equipment</li><li>- Contractors and their staff to comply with Daybreak Cropping's fatigue management policy, including providing example compliant rosters as part of tender application</li><li>- Public Liability and Workcover Insurance</li></ul>
<b>Daybreak Cropping to Provide</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Diesel for operation of sowing equipment only</li><li>- Seed &amp; fertiliser</li><li>- Very limited accommodation, prefer contractor supplied</li></ul>

Completed expressions of interest to be submitted by 30<sup>th</sup> June 2020 via email to [belinda.turner@daybreakcropping.com.au](mailto:belinda.turner@daybreakcropping.com.au), demonstrating ability to meet the service requirements.