

Grontmij to design part of the new motorway bypass of Stockholm

Grontmij in cooperation with Golder Associates AB has been assigned to design one of the three phases of the new Stockholm bypass motorway project, the traffic junction in Kungens Kurva.

The Stockholm bypass is a new motorway linking southern and northern Stockholm resulting in a new route for the European highway (E4) that passes Stockholm. The 21 km motorway of which 17 km will be tunnels is important due to greater demands on the infrastructure of central Stockholm as the number of inhabitants is growing. The objective is to create a fast south – north connection avoiding Stockholms bottlenecks.

Grontmij's expertise and work

The expertises that Grontmij will use for this project amongst others will involve traffic planning, landscape architecture, electricity and lighting, project management, construction and design.

The whole Stockholm bypass project is worth over €31 million. The total fee for Grontmij will be €9.1 million. The work of Grontmij will start after the summer of 2010 and will mainly be carried out over the following two years.

Leif Bertilsson, Managing Director of Grontmij in Sweden: 'That Grontmij won the traffic junction Kungens Kurva is a clear indicator that we are a highly respected and competent actor in the largest road projects in Sweden. I am pleased that the Swedish Transport Administration (Trafikverket) selected us for our approach on project management. Our approach aims to increase efficiency through cooperation and by using advanced work procedures based on our experience in the Swedish industry.'



Source: the Swedish Transport Administration (Trafikverket)

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Note to the editors

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Our value chain of services stretches from major renewable water and energy infrastructure through designing efficient and environmentally-sensitive mobility and transportation networks to shaping our urban and green living spaces.

Whilst we are approaching our 100th anniversary, and benefit from the experience nearly a century provides, we prefer to look to the future to enhance the world we live in. By applying sustainability considerations to all our design, consultancy and management services right across the value chain, our highly-skilled, expert people are able to create lasting solutions that plan for, connect and respect the future.

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