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North Northamptonshire Council and West Northamptonshire Council - Expression of Interest (EOI) Innovation in Alternative Provision Services

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

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Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.northnorthants.gov.uk

I.1) Name and addresses

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Northampton

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procurement@northnorthants.gov.uk

Country

United Kingdom

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Internet address(es)

Main address

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I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract involves joint procurement

I.3) Communication

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

I.5) Main activity

General public services

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

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Reference number

NNCWNC - AP

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: No

II.2) Description

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKF24 - West Northamptonshire
- UKF25 - North Northamptonshire

Main site or place of performance

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II.2.4) Description of the procurement

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If you feel that your organisation is able to contribute to this exercise please read and complete the Expression of Interest of document that is available on this Contracts Finder Link

<https://www.contractsfinder.service.gov.uk/Notice/9bf5f47e-02c9-456e-9969-8d20d1c6115b>.

Please prepare an expression of interest (EOI) and return, via email to North Northamptonshire Council procurement@northnorthants.gov.uk by 17.00pm Tuesday 22nd February 2022.

II.2.14) Additional information

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

31 August 2022

Section IV. Procedure

IV.1) Description

IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Please note: this PIN is a request for formal Expression of Interest. This document does not form any part of an invitation to tender but may lead to a procurement process. Any supplier responding to this PIN is doing so to help develop a procurement process that is accessible to the market.