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Future opportunity

## **Kirklees Council Future Food Procurements - Preliminary Market Consultation**

The Council of the Borough of Kirklees

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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**NUTS code**

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**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.kirklees.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.yortender.co.uk>

**I.3) Communication**

The procurement documents are available for unrestricted and full direct access, free of charge, at

<http://www.yortender.co.uk>

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

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## **Section II: Object**

### **II.1) Scope of the procurement**

#### **II.1.1) Title**

Kirklees Council Future Food Procurements - Preliminary Market Consultation

Reference number

DN536144

#### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products

#### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

#### **II.1.4) Short description**

Kirklees Council is preparing to go out to market for a number of procurement processes for the supply of food (Bread, Fruit & Vegetables, Grocery and Sandwiches) which are due to be issued during the coming months.

The Council will be including Social Value as Award Criteria along with Quality and Price, this will be undertaken via the Social Value Portal.

We are holding a market engagement session via Microsoft Teams to give Suppliers an overview of the up and coming procurements. There will also be an opportunity to view a presentation by the Social Value Portal on how to access the portal.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 03000000 - Agricultural, farming, fishing, forestry and related products
- 15000000 - Food, beverages, tobacco and related products

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKE44 - Calderdale and Kirklees

### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Kirklees Council is carrying out preliminary market consultation. This is not an invitation to tender or a request for formal expressions of interest. The Council, as Contracting Authority is holding a market engagement event to inform economic operators of the procurement plan and requirements around Social Value.

The Council intends to issue the following procurements for the supply of food in 2021;

The Supply of Bread and Other Allied Products estimated contract value - £352,000 – contract start date 25 October 2021

Supply and Delivery of Prepared and Unprepared Fresh Fruit, Vegetables, Potato and Dairy Products - estimated contract value - £3,100,000 – contract start date 1 April 2022

Supply and Delivery of Ready Made Sandwiches, Wraps and Panini's estimated contract value - £748,000 – contract start date 1 April 2022

Supply and Delivery of Grocery Supplies - estimated contract value £632,000 – contract start date 1 April 2022

The Council will be using Social Value as Award Criteria along with Quality and Price, this will be undertaken via the Social Value Portal.

The Council is committed to a performance and evidence based approach to Social Value, based on the National TOMs (Themes, Outcomes and Measures) developed by the Social Value Portal. As part of the procurement process, economic operators will be required to propose credible targets against which performance for the delivery of Social Value will be monitored.

In order to ensure that the market is fully prepared to respond to the Social Value element of the Award Criteria, a market engagement event will be held at 09:00 - 09:50 am on 4 May 2021 via Microsoft Teams where an overview of the up and coming procurements will be provided and a representative from the Social Value Portal will provide an overview on how to access the portal.

Access to the teams meeting is available via a link which can be found at [www.yortender.co.uk](http://www.yortender.co.uk)

Attendance at the market engagement event is optional and does not provide economic operators with an advantage in any future procurement. Attendance also does not constitute an intention to tender for any future procurements.

## **II.2.14) Additional information**

This Prior Information Notice is to inform the market of the forthcoming procurement opportunities and economic operators do not need to express an interest at this time. Further Contract Notices will be issued as a call for competition for each procurement in due course.

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## **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

7 May 2021

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## **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