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Planning

Empowering Families Family Mentor Service

Southend-on-Sea City Council

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Scope

Description

Southend-on-Sea City Council are gauging market interest in the Empowering Family Mentor service which would commence on 1st April 2026 for 2 years with the possible option to extend for one further year. The estimated maximum contract value is £83,983 per annum.

It is expected the provider will deliver Empowering Families Mentor Service.

Please provide your expressions of interest to strategiccommissioning@southend.gov.uk by 5pm on Monday 2nd of February 2026. It is SCC's intention to publish this tender at the earliest opportunity.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 April 2026 to 31 March 2028
- Possible extension to 31 March 2029

- 3 years

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

Contract locations

- UKH31 - Southend-on-Sea

Engagement

Engagement deadline

2 February 2026

Engagement process description

Please contact strategiccommissioning@southend.gov.uk should you wish to express an interest in this tender opportunity.

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

4 February 2026

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Contracting authority

Southend-on-Sea City Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PJDT-6566-GZNX

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government