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Planning

Youth Support Services

Woodley Town Council

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Scope

Description

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The Council is flexible and open to suggestions with regards to the type of services / activities provided, but is primarily seeking provision delivered via either:

- Regular activity led sessions; for example, sports, music, arts or other appropriate workshops, training and courses; and / or,
- Irregular activity led sessions; for example, competitions, one off workshops / activity sessions, structured trips.

To meet the Council's strategic aims, the service / activity proposals should:

- Target participation from children and young people from within the 9 to 21 age range
- Seek to engage those who are deemed to be, or preventing those who may become vulnerable, especially those currently not engaging with an existing youth provision
- Take place during school holidays / on Friday evenings from 3pm to late - although the Council is open to proposals for provision taking place during other weekday evenings, or national holidays / events; i.e. Halloween

Proposals may seek to cover all of the aims above but more likely will target specific elements within these; for example, a proposal may be made which targets a specific demographic within the targeted age range, or is for the running of very specific sessions. The Council is open to appointing a single provider or multiple external agencies who, in combination, will work towards achieve the Council's Youth Strategy aims.

The Council wishes for provision to commence from Autumn 2025. £15k funding is available for the 2025/26 financial year, based on 6-month provision, with the Council aiming to provide a full 12-month service in 2026/27.

Separately, the Council is also seeking to support on-going provision by providing a setting from which future services / activities might be provided. This may be, as an example, a mobile venue, such as a converted van or bus, or one of the Council's existing facilities, or an alternative venue.

If this is something you believe you would be interested in discussing further, or wish to put forward a proposal, then please contact us at your earliest convenience.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 September 2025 to 1 September 2026
- 1 year, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 98133110 - Services provided by youth associations

Contract locations

- UKC - North East (England)
 - UKD - North West (England)
 - UKE - Yorkshire and the Humber
 - UKF - East Midlands (England)
 - UKG - West Midlands (England)
 - UKH - East of England
 - UKI - London
 - UKJ - South East (England)
 - UKK - South West (England)
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Engagement

Engagement deadline

1 September 2025

Engagement process description

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Contracting authority

Woodley Town Council

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