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External Consultancy Support in relation to Adult Social Care

North East Lincolnshire Borough Council

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Scope

Description

North East Lincolnshire Council (the Authority) intend to award a contract for external consultant support, supporting Focus Independent Adult Social Work in relation to the statutory adult social care function delivered on behalf of North East Lincolnshire Council. Using strength based practice the contract aims to deliver a whole-system shift in the way people drawing on support experience adult social care in North East Lincolnshire.

Contract 1. External Consultancy Support in relation to Adult Social Care

Supplier

- Outcomes Matter Consulting Limited

Contract value

- £230,000 excluding VAT
- £276,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

23 February 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 23 February 2026 to 23 August 2026
- 6 months, 1 day

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79411100 - Business development consultancy services
- 80511000 - Staff training services

Contract locations

- UKE13 - North and North East Lincolnshire

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Other information

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Direct award

Direct award justification

Extreme and unavoidable urgency

There is an urgent need for one off, targeted training and development of staff within the

Adult Social Service, and the implementation pressures mean that there isn't time to comply with the timescales required for conducting a competitive tendering procedure. This requirement is not attributable to any act or omission by the Authority and was unforeseen by the Authority.

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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Contracting authority

North East Lincolnshire Borough Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXNN-3676-XCQV

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government