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Contract

## **Learning Partners-Youth Trailblazer-EMCCA**

East Midlands Combined County Authority

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## **Scope**

## **Reference**

DN782740

## **Description**

The East Midlands Combined County Authority (EMCCA) required

Learning Partner/s to support delivery of the Youth Guarantee Trailblazer project

The requirement was split into 2 Lots, one for each workstream required:

- Lot 1 - Learning & Evaluation
- Lot 2 - Data Usage and Collaboration Insights

## **Lot 1. Learning & Evaluation**

### **Description**

Responsible for mapping the existing system, conducting in-depth research into barriers faced by young people (such as transport accessibility, health conditions, access to employment), and acting as a learning partner for the programme. This role will also support local evaluation requirements and provide evidence-based recommendations for continuous improvement.

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## **Lot 2. Data Usage and Collaboration Insights**

### **Description**

Tasked with mapping existing data flows, identifying opportunities to enhance the use of data for strategic and operational decision-making, and supporting the establishment of data-sharing agreements and digital tools to enable more effective data use.

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## **Contract 1. Learning Partners-Youth Trailblazer - Lot 1: Learning & Evaluation**

### **Lots**

## Lot 1. Learning & Evaluation

### **Supplier**

- SOCIAL FINANCE LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £205,042.50 excluding VAT
- £246,051 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Date signed**

3 November 2025

### **Contract dates**

- 3 November 2025 to 30 April 2026
- 5 months, 28 days

### **Main procurement category**

Services

### **CPV classifications**

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

## **Contract locations**

- UKF1 - Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire

## **Key performance indicators**

### **Name**

Delivery based on agreed schedule

Attendance at Project Meetings

## **Contract 2. Learning Partners-Youth Trailblazer - Lot 2: Data Usage and Collaboration Insights**

### **Lots**

Lot 2. Data Usage and Collaboration Insights

### **Supplier**

- SOCIAL FINANCE LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £213,225 excluding VAT
- £255,870 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Date signed**

3 November 2025

## Contract dates

- 3 November 2025 to 30 April 2026
- 5 months, 28 days

## Main procurement category

Services

## CPV classifications

- 73000000 - Research and development services and related consultancy services

## Contract locations

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## Other information

### Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Open procedure

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## Supplier

### **SOCIAL FINANCE LIMITED**

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Region: UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1. Learning Partners-Youth Trailblazer - Lot 1: Learning & Evaluation

Contract 2. Learning Partners-Youth Trailblazer - Lot 2: Data Usage and Collaboration Insights

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## **Contracting authority**

### **East Midlands Combined County Authority**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZXR-6887-DRNP

Northern Gateway Enterprise Centre

Chesterfield

S40 1UT

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@eastmidlands-cca.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@eastmidlands-cca.gov.uk)

Region: UKF12 - East Derbyshire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

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## Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

### Nottinghamshire County Council

Summary of their role in this procurement: Procurement undertaken by NCC on behalf of EMCCA

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBCV-5152-BXBP

County Hall, Loughborough Road

Nottingham

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## Contact organisation

Contact Nottinghamshire County Council for any enquiries.