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# Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) Employability and Skills

Warwickshire County Council

F02: Contract notice

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23 February 2029, 12:00pm

See the change notice.

# **Section I: Contracting authority**

## I.1) Name and addresses

Warwickshire County Council

Shire Hall, Market Square

**WARWICK** 

CV344RL

#### **Email**

procurement@warwickshire.gov.uk

#### Country

**United Kingdom** 

## Region code

UKG13 - Warwickshire

Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

Internet address(es)

Main address

www.warwickshire.gov.uk

## I.3) Communication

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

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/csw-jets/aspx/Home

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

Tenders or requests to participate must be submitted electronically via

https://in-tendhost.co.uk/csw-jets/aspx/Home

## I.4) Type of the contracting authority

Regional or local authority

## I.5) Main activity

General public services

# **Section II: Object**

# II.1) Scope of the procurement

#### II.1.1) Title

Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) Employability and Skills

Reference number

WCC - 18894

#### II.1.2) Main CPV code

• 79630000 - Personnel services except placement and supply services

#### II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

#### II.1.4) Short description

This notice involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system.

Warwickshire County Council invites applications from suitably experienced operators for admission to their Dynamic Purchasing System (DPS) for the provision of Employability and Skills services.

The period of validity of the DPS will be 4 years from commencement.

#### II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £60,000,000

#### II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

Tenders may be submitted for all lots

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Careers

Lot No

1

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

• 79634000 - Career guidance services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

## II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Advice and guidance for individuals at the critical stage of selecting their next occupation, learning opportunity or future role. Delivery to be targeted at various age ranges with a one to many, 1-2-1 basis or event based engagement.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely the Council will still require the provision of Employability and Skills services.

## II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

## II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

Warwickshire County Council will be using its e-tendering system (In-Tend) for the administration of this procurement process and providers must register with the system to be able to express an interest.

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Once a Supplier has successfully completed their application to the DPS and the initial 30 day period is complete, operators will be advised of the opportunities available as and when they arise. Operators can then choose whether they want to bid for the requirement or not (it is not compulsory to bid for every opportunity offered, and all operators within the DPS approved Supplier list will be informed of the opportunity, but can choose whether or not to bid on an individual basis).

## II.2) Description

## II.2.1) Title

**Employment** 

Lot No

2

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

• 79630000 - Personnel services except placement and supply services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Support for individuals to increase participation in employment via training, work experience, volunteering and additional employability activities. The support will be delivered to working age individuals.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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informed of the opportunity, but can choose whether or not to bid on an individual basis).

## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Supported Employment

Lot No

3

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

79630000 - Personnel services except placement and supply services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

To provide employability support to individuals with a disability, learning difficulty, and/or autism. Guidance to be delivered at various levels of intensity.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

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#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

**Apprenticeships** 

Lot No

4

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

- 79634000 Career guidance services
- 80000000 Education and training services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Wraparound, pre-apprenticeship, apprenticeships and post apprenticeship support to individuals. Including inclusive apprenticeships and adapting current apprenticeship delivery models.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Young People

Lot No

5

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

• 79634000 - Career guidance services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

To support young people who are transitioning to the world of work, education, or training. Addressing and reducing barriers to participation in the learning or working environment.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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# II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

**Adult Education** 

Lot No

6

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

80400000 - Adult and other education services

#### II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Adult education provides all persons with the opportunity to acquire, actualise, complete or extend their knowledge and skills for personal and professional development. Reinforcing the potential of lifelong learning.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

Duration in months

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Future Skills

Lot No

7

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

80000000 - Education and training services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Provision of support towards future skills, green skills, sustainability, roles relating to Net Zero, automation and adaptations to current working practices

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

#### II.2.14) Additional information

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## II.2) Description

#### II.2.1) Title

Other

Lot No

8

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

• 80000000 - Education and training services

## II.2.3) Place of performance

**NUTS** codes

• UKG - West Midlands (England)

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

Bespoke employability and skills requirements containing themes impacting the employment & skills environment.

#### II.2.5) Award criteria

Price is not the only award criterion and all criteria are stated only in the procurement documents

#### II.2.7) Duration of the contract, framework agreement or dynamic purchasing system

**Duration in months** 

48

This contract is subject to renewal

Yes

Description of renewals

It is likely that the Council will still require the provision of employability and skills Services beyond the DPS.

#### II.2.10) Information about variants

Variants will be accepted: No

#### II.2.11) Information about options

Options: No

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## Section IV. Procedure

## IV.1) Description

#### IV.1.1) Type of procedure

Restricted procedure

#### IV.1.3) Information about a framework agreement or a dynamic purchasing system

The procurement involves the setting up of a dynamic purchasing system

#### IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

## IV.2) Administrative information

# IV.2.2) Time limit for receipt of tenders or requests to participate

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25 June 2028
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23 February 2029
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12:00pm
See the change notice.
IV.2.4) Languages in which tenders or requests to participate may be submitted
English

# **Section VI. Complementary information**

# VI.1) Information about recurrence

This is a recurrent procurement: Yes

# VI.2) Information about electronic workflows

Electronic ordering will be used

Electronic invoicing will be accepted

Electronic payment will be used

## VI.4) Procedures for review

VI.4.1) Review body

The Royal Court of Justice

The Strand

London

Country

**United Kingdom**