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Tender

25_26 Shared Prosperity Funding - Specialised Business Support

East Sussex County Council

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Scope

Reference

13669

Description

This procurement aims to appoint a single supplier to deliver high quality, impactful business support to ambitious SMEs in East Sussex. The contract will run for 8 months from August 2025 to March 2026 with a possible extension of a further 12 months (subject to funding).

Total value (estimated)

- £355,000 excluding VAT
- £426,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 22 July 2025 to 21 March 2026
- 8 months

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79410000 - Business and management consultancy services
- 79000000 - Business services: law, marketing, consulting, recruitment, printing and security

Submission

Enquiry deadline

29 May 2025, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

9 June 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://supplierlive.proactisp2p.com/Account/Login>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Languages that may be used for submission

English

Award decision date (estimated)

22 July 2025

Award criteria

Name	Type
Quality	Quality

Weighting description

100% Quality

Other information

Description of risks to contract performance

For the purposes of this tender, the Council has indicated the funding for the potential second year will be the same as the first, but this may increase or decrease subject to funding. Bidders should also be aware there is no guarantee the second year of this contract will be used.

Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Contracting authority

East Sussex County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXGX-2145-PRQJ

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government