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Pipeline

Independent Alternative Provision (IAP)

West Sussex County Council

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Scope

Description

This is a PIPELINE NOTICE for Independent Alternative Provision (IAP) This IS NOT the commencement of a procurement procedure, neither it is a call for expressions of interest. Market engagement will take place in due course and service providers will be invited to participate via a separate Notice.

Commercial tool

Establishes a framework

Total value (estimated)

- £224,595,000 excluding VAT
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Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 March 2026 to 28 February 2030
- Possible extension to 28 February 2034
- 8 years

Main category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80000000 - Education and training services

Contract locations

- UKJ2 - Surrey, East and West Sussex

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

1 October 2025

Procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Above or below total value threshold

Above or equal to threshold

Contracting authority

West Sussex County Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXJW-5627-QRQR

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Chichester

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Region: UKJ27 - West Sussex (South West)

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government