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Market Engagement for Healthwatch Suffolk

Suffolk County Council

F14: Notice for changes or additional information

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Section I: Contracting authority/entity

I.1) Name and addresses

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Justification for not providing organisation identifier

Not on any register

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Main address

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Buyer's address

www.suffolksourcing.uk

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Market Engagement for Healthwatch Suffolk

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

Suffolk County Council (SCC) is seeking to procure a provider for the statutory provision of Healthwatch Suffolk services, in accordance with the Health and Social Care Act 2012, as amended in June 2022.

The Act mandates the establishment of Local Healthwatch to empower citizens and communities in influencing and challenging the provision of health and social care services.

SCC is obligated under the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007 to ensure effective operation of Local Healthwatch within its jurisdiction.

Local Healthwatch plays a crucial role in improving health and social care outcomes by engaging with the community to influence and monitor services. It helps people maintain employment, stability in their homes, social activity and education, while also reducing pressure on carers.

By addressing health inequalities, Local Healthwatch contributes to reducing demand on healthcare services.

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.6) Original notice reference

Notice number: [2024/S 000-027366](#)

Section VII. Changes

VII.1) Information to be changed or added

VII.2) Other additional information

For the avoidance of doubt, the estimated total value shown covers an initial 3 year term as well as an optional 2 year extension.