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Planning

## **Pin: All Age Advocacy Service**

Bracknell Forest Borough Council

F01: Prior information notice

Prior information only

Notice identifier: 2021/S 000-029463

Procurement identifier (OCID): ocids-h6vhtk-02fa86

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKJ11 - Berkshire

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk>

**I.3) Communication**

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

<https://sebp.due-north.com>

Additional information can be obtained from the above-mentioned address

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Pin: All Age Advocacy Service

Reference number

DN584284

### **II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79110000 - Legal advisory and representation services

### **II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

### **II.1.4) Short description**

Bracknell Forest Council is looking to commission a contract to deliver statutory and non-statutory advocacy for adults, and children and young people of Bracknell Forest. The Council is looking to commission the full range of advocacy support services from one provider, or through a sub-contracting / consortium-type arrangement.

The tender is likely to be advertised early in January 2022, with a contract start date of October 1st, 2022.

We would like to invite suitably qualified and experienced providers of all age advocacy services to a market engagement event to discuss our vision for this new service, hear your views on our proposed model, and outline the likely tender process and timelines.

The event will be held via Teams on Monday, December 13th, 2021, at 11.00 am, ending at 1.00 pm. Organisations interested in attending the event should register their interest on the South East Business Portal to confirm their attendance, or by email to [penny.crane@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:penny.crane@bracknell-forest.gov.uk) by 12.00 noon on Friday, December 10th, 2021. Please ensure all attendee email addresses are included in the email.

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This notice is not a call for competition. The Council and/or any of its advisers reserve the right to contact any interested parties who notify the Council of its interest.

### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

## **II.2) Description**

### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKJ11 - Berkshire

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### **II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice**

14 January 2022

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

