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Planning

Angus Young Person's Employability Funding Grant – Supporting 16- to 24-year-olds in Angus

Angus Council

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Section I: Contracting authority

I.1) Name and addresses

Angus Council

Angus House, Orchardbank Business Park

Forfar

DD8 1AN

Email

procurement@angus.gov.uk

Telephone

+44 3452777778

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

Internet address(es)

Main address

<http://www.angus.gov.uk/>

Buyer's address

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/search/Search_AuthProfile.aspx?ID=AA00236

I.2) Information about joint procurement

The contract is awarded by a central purchasing body

I.3) Communication

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

Section II: Object

II.1) Scope of the procurement

II.1.1) Title

Angus Young Person's Employability Funding Grant – Supporting 16- to 24-year-olds in Angus

Reference number

21112801

II.1.2) Main CPV code

- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.1.3) Type of contract

Services

II.1.4) Short description

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II.1.5) Estimated total value

Value excluding VAT: £700,000

II.1.6) Information about lots

This contract is divided into lots: Yes

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Angus Young Person's Employability Funding Grant – Supporting 16- to 24-year-olds in Angus

Lot No

1

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services
- 85000000 - Health and social work services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

Main site or place of performance

Angus

II.2.4) Description of the procurement

Angus Young Person's Employability Funding Grant –

Supporting 16- to 24-year-olds in Angus Fund Value 700,000 GBP

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Please note the eligibility reflects the guidance from Scottish Government and is unique to this funding stream. In addition, applications should be for 5,000GBP and above, deliverable from December 2021 to March 2022. Community groups or charities must be constituted and have a bank account, alternative governance documentation will be accepted for public or private sector. You must have prior experience of providing employability support to this age group.

All applications should demonstrate how they meet the priorities of the Youth Guarantee as set out by Scottish Government. The main objectives of the fund are to:

Utilise the resource flexibly to deliver employability support in Angus for eligible young people aged 16 to 24 years who need additional support to move towards achieving sustainable outcomes.

Utilise available data to identify most in need and to prevent and reduce the number of young people becoming or remaining unemployed or inactive.

Support young people to participate in good quality external formal volunteering opportunities.

Increase the number of young people engaged in learning and skills development.

Reduce levels of in-work poverty and support the career progression of young people.

Provide targeted support to young disabled people, helping to reduce the Disability Employment Gap.

Support inclusive sustainable outcomes by helping to tackle inequalities within the labour market.

Engagement with and support provided to young people from protected characteristic groups and care experienced young people.

Applicants must be able to provide information on how they will track and provide the information as detailed above. You will be expected to provide update reports quarterly for submission to Scottish Government. Funding can be requested for the following aspects:

Providing appropriate opportunities, provision and support to eligible young people.

Participant expenses, including travelling expenses for attending external training sessions.

Travelling expenses for Key Workers in connection with providing support to participants.

Specialist support required for participants in the programme.

An allowance for participants whilst undertaking employability training.

The following areas cannot be funded: Any Value Added Tax (VAT) reclaimable by the Grantee. Employability support for those out with the eligible age range of 16-24 years. Costs covered by core employability investment within local authorities. Costs for key worker hours utilised for work on other employability programmes. Council or other organisation/agency general overhead charges - capital, management, administration, accommodation, travel and subsistence costs. Any programmes or activities which do not have the aim of assisting participants to access or progress into or towards employment or further education. Any goods or services not received by the Grantee by the end of the final financial year.

Use local data and young people's views to inform your application - Applications should demonstrate and utilise available local data to identify areas of need and must provide evidence of this. Useful sources of local data are available from the Angus Council Plan, Skills Development Scotland Regional Skills Assessment Data Matrix, NOMIS and from local consultations.

The grant will cover the period of 4 months from December 2021 to March 22. Therefore, projects need to be able to be implemented quickly and how you will achieve this needs to be detailed in your funding application.

II.2) Description

II.2.1) Title

Angus Young Person's Employability Funding Grant – Supporting 16- to 24-year-olds in Angus

Lot No

2

II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)

- 80000000 - Education and training services

II.2.3) Place of performance

NUTS codes

- UKM71 - Angus and Dundee City

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II.3) Estimated date of publication of contract notice

8 December 2021

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: Yes

Section VI. Complementary information

VI.3) Additional information

Please register your interest asap, anyone with interest registered shall be invited to submit responses to the questions in our "additional documents section. Interest should be noted prior to 17/12/21 to guarantee consideration

NOTE: To register your interest in this notice and obtain any additional information please visit the Public Contracts Scotland Web Site at

https://www.publiccontractsscotland.gov.uk/Search/Search_Switch.aspx?ID=676127.

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