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## Transformation Partner Consultancy

Somerset Council

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### Scope

### Reference

ERFX1002157

### Description

Somerset Council is seeking to acquiring the services of a Transformation Partner Consultancy to assist the Council to provide

- 1) Assurance and Review of our existing transformation initiatives
- 2) Identification of further Opportunities to streamline processes, systems, reduce costs, increase revenue, reduce demand, identify alternative efficient ways of working etc. and potentially implement such changes on approval of a individual business cases
- 3) the development of a Cultural Development Programme and implementation of such a programme across the Council

## **Contract 1**

### **Supplier**

- NEWTON CONSULTING LIMITED

### **Contract value**

- £20,000,000 excluding VAT
- £24,000,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

### **Award decision date**

8 September 2025

### **Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers**

8 September 2025

### **Standstill period**

- End: 17 September 2025
- 8 working days

## **Earliest date the contract will be signed**

30 September 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 1 October 2025 to 30 September 2030
- Possible extension to 30 September 2032
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

extension to term at the authority's discretion of up to 24 months

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 79400000 - Business and management consultancy and related services

## **Contract locations**

- UKK2 - Dorset and Somerset

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## **Information about tenders**

- 11 tenders received

- 9 tenders assessed in the final stage:
    - 6 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
    - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
  - 1 supplier awarded contracts
  - 8 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)
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### **Unsuccessful suppliers**

- [ADAPTOVATE LTD](#)
  - [THE BERKELEY PARTNERSHIP LLP](#)
  - [ERNST & YOUNG LLP](#)
  - [LINEA PARTNERS LIMITED](#)
  - [RAINMAKER SOLUTIONS LIMITED](#)
  - [VE3 GLOBAL LTD](#)
  - [TENEO FINANCIAL ADVISORY LIMITED](#)
  - [MMCG CONSULTANCY SERVICES LIMITED](#)
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### **Procedure**

#### **Procedure type**

Open procedure

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## Suppliers

### **ADAPTOVATE LTD**

- Companies House: 13162848
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCYZ-1293-VLLN

167-169 Great Portland Street

London

W1W 5PF

United Kingdom

Website: <https://www.adaptovate.com/>

Region: UKI32 - Westminster

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

### **ERNST & YOUNG LLP**

- Companies House: OC300001
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PMLW-7292-ZXTL

1 More London Place

London

SE1 2AF

United Kingdom

Website: [https://www.ey.com/en\\_uk](https://www.ey.com/en_uk)

Region: UKI44 - Lewisham and Southwark

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **LINEA PARTNERS LIMITED**

- Companies House: 07134895
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PZQH-9146-TXLM

Capability Green The Old Baths

Parkgate

CH64 6RL

United Kingdom

Website: <https://linea.net>

Region: UKD63 - Cheshire West and Chester

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **MMCG CONSULTANCY SERVICES LIMITED**

- Companies House: 08743924
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PHQL-9625-YVQR

18 Lytles Close

Liverpool

L37 4BT

United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.mmcgconsulting.co.uk>

Region: UKD73 - Sefton

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **NEWTON CONSULTING LIMITED**

- Companies House: 04279175
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PQLG-2999-MLXM

2 Kingston Business Park, Kingston Bagpuize

Abingdon

OX13 5FE

United Kingdom

Email: [tenders@newtonimpact.com](mailto:tenders@newtonimpact.com)

Website: <http://www.newtonimpact.com>

Region: UKJ14 - Oxfordshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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## **RAINMAKER SOLUTIONS LIMITED**

- Companies House: 07408622
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PBRP-5354-XZXH

Oak House, Tanshire Park, Shackleford Road

Elstead

GU8 6LB

United Kingdom

Website: <https://rainmaker.solutions>

Region: UKJ25 - West Surrey

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **TENEO FINANCIAL ADVISORY LIMITED**

- Companies House: 13192958
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXTB-1478-QNBY

11 Pilgrim Street

London

EC4V 6RN

United Kingdom

Website: <http://www.teneo.com>

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **THE BERKELEY PARTNERSHIP LLP**

- Companies House: OC346597
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVBY-2176-QYGG

20 Farringdon Street

London

EC4A 4AB

United Kingdom

Website: <https://www.berkeleypartnership.com/>

Region: UKI31 - Camden and City of London

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

## **VE3 GLOBAL LTD**

- Companies House: 07343436
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PXDH-7267-YHNX

86-90 Paul Street

London

EC2A 4NE

United Kingdom

Website: <https://www.ve3.global>

Region: UKI41 - Hackney and Newham

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Somerset Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPGC-1434-MQPJ

County Hall, The Crescent

Taunton

TA1 4DY

United Kingdom

Email: [commercialandprocurement@somerset.gov.uk](mailto:commercialandprocurement@somerset.gov.uk)

Region: UKK23 - Somerset

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government