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Award

Bath and North East Somerset ASC Carers and Family Support Services

Bath & North East Somerset Council

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Scope

Reference

DN780121

Description

Bath & North East Somerset intends to award the contract to establish a single provider Contract for the provision of ASC Carers and Family Support Services. The procurement is run in accordance with the Procurement Act 2023, Light Touch Regime (LTR) above-threshold, one stage tender.

The Carer and Family Support Service will deliver holistic and individualised support to adult carers in B&NES. Provision will be expected to include information and advice on a wide variety of carer related needs, peer support groups and respite activity. Early intervention and prevention are key requirements for the carers support service.

Contract 1

Supplier

- BATH & NORTH EAST SOMERSET CARERS CENTRE

Contract value

- £3,331,482 excluding VAT
- £3,997,779 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

Award decision date

22 September 2025

Date assessment summaries were sent to tenderers

26 September 2025

Standstill period

- End: 7 October 2025
- 8 working days

Earliest date the contract will be signed

15 October 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2030
- Possible extension to 31 December 2032
- 7 years

Description of possible extension:

The contract is for an initial 5-year term, with an optional 2-year extension, subject to performance review and budget approval.

Please note that the Contract Value published in the Tender Notice (UK4) differs from the figures shown above because it included some headroom, to allow for any possible uplift that might be agreed throughout the contract. This uplift is not guaranteed.

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 85310000 - Social work services
- 85322000 - Community action programme

Contract locations

- UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Information about tenders

- 7 tenders received
- 3 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 2 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 1 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 2 suppliers unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Open procedure

Special regime

Light touch

Supplier

BATH & NORTH EAST SOMERSET CARERS CENTRE

- Companies House: 03289938

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PVWD-6543-WJHL

The Woodlands

Bath

BA2 9ES

United Kingdom

Email: support@banescarerscentre.org.uk

Website: <https://banescarerscentre.org.uk/>

Region: UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

Contract 1

Contracting authority

Bath & North East Somerset Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLVH-3287-JWJV

The Guildhall

Bath

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Email: procurement@bathnes.gov.uk

Region: UKK12 - Bath and North East Somerset, North Somerset and South Gloucestershire

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government