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**Planning** 

# **Consultancy Support for Investment Platform Implementation**

Border to Coast Pensions Partnership Limited

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#### Scope

#### Reference

DN792383

## **Description**

Border to Coast has propositions within Public Listed, Private Markets, and Real Estate asset classes that deliver investment opportunities and management to our Partner Funds, with specific systems in place for each asset class.

As part of our strategy to offer more capabilities to our Partner Funds and a unified approach to investments data within the organisation, we need to implement a platform that enables management of, and insight into, Partner Fund cross-asset investments.

We engaged in a public procurement for the platform and are well progressed through that process. We require consultancy support to assist us with the implementation of the selected system, as set out below. The platform needs to be integrated with our administrator and other third parties to enable us to gain efficiency benefits, manage from the perspective of the whole customer fund, and strategically implement the provision of new capabilities.

The successful bidder must be able to demonstrate a strong background implementing enterprise investment and data platforms in Managers and Owners, and have a firm understanding how these organisations operate with third party administrators/asset servicers.

The support Border to Coast requires is as follows:

In partnership with Border to Coast, our Asset Servicer, and our selected platform provider, set-up and deliver the implementation programme to time, scope, and budget. Roles and responsibilities include but not limited to:

- Programme/project management: Governance set-up and on-going management, ensuring strong delivery mindset and partnership approach instilled throughout the programme across all parties involved.
- Workstream leadership: Drive the successful delivery of workstreams as defined by the programme.
- Communications and Test planning: Oversee defining the communications and testing strategy to ensure successful delivery and embedding of this change.
- Business Analysis: Facilitate effective and efficient delivery such that Border to Coast's outcomes are delivered, able to engage with SMEs and own the business analysis load to deliver the programme.

The proposed team will need to have proven experience successfully implementing the platform.

## **Total value (estimated)**

- £2,000,000 excluding VAT
- £2,400,000 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

#### **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 9 December 2025 to 31 December 2026
- Possible extension to 30 June 2027
- 1 year, 6 months, 23 days

Description of possible extension:

There will be the option for an additional 6 month extension after the initial 1 year term

#### Main procurement category

Services

#### **CPV** classifications

72263000 - Software implementation services

#### **Submission**

## Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

10 November 2025

# **Enquiry deadline**

14 November 2025, 12:00am

Submission type
Tenders
Deadline for requests to participate
20 November 2025, 12:00pm
Tenders may be submitted electronically
Yes
Languages that may be used for submission
English
Award decision date (estimated)
28 November 2025
Other information
Applicable trade agreements
Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)

**Procedure** 

#### **Procedure type**

Competitive flexible procedure

#### Reduced tendering period

Yes

Qualifying planned procurement notice - minimum 10 days

# **Contracting authority**

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