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Tender

Youth Service Provision

Taunton Town Council

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Scope

Description

Taunton Town Council is committed to ensuring that all young people in the town have access to high-quality, inclusive, and responsive youth services. This specification outlines the commissioning of an independent review to assess the current landscape of youth provision in Taunton. The review will inform strategic planning, funding decisions, and service development to ensure young people are supported, engaged, and empowered.

This review seeks to provide a comprehensive understanding of youth services in Taunton. It will identify strengths, weaknesses, and opportunities for improvement, with a focus on inclusivity, sustainability, and impact. The work undertaken should look to understand the existing barriers to participation for young people and providers. The findings will guide future investment and policy decisions, ensuring services are responsive to the needs of all young people, particularly those who are vulnerable or marginalised.

Total value (estimated)

- £40,000 excluding VAT
- £48,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 January 2026 to 31 December 2026
- 1 year

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 80310000 - Youth education services

Contract locations

- UKK23 - Somerset

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

21 November 2025, 11:59pm

Tender submission deadline

26 November 2025, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

Please see ITT for submission details

Please note that the email address for returns is not monitored for clarifications, all clarifications and queries please to procurement@taunton-tc.gov.uk

<https://www.taunton-tc.gov.uk/>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

30% Price and 70% Quality,

Criteria Weight (%)

1. Understanding of Brief & Methodology 25

- 2. Relevant Experience & Track Record 20
- 3. Youth Engagement Approach 15
- 4. Value for Money & Cost 15
- 5. Project Management & Delivery Plan 10
- 6. Inclusion & Safeguarding 10
- 7. Social Value 5
- Total 100

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Documents

Associated tender documents

[ITT Youth Services.doc](#)

[Youth Service Provision Consultant Specification.docx](#)

Contracting authority

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