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Contract

## **Severe Weather Emergency Protocol (SWEP) provision for rough sleepers**

Bedford Borough Council

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### **Scope**

### **Reference**

C BBC EN 07146

### **Description**

Waiver - Sole Trader Reasons - Severe Weather Emergency Protocol (SWEP) provision

for rough sleepers, to reduce associated risks of increased harm during winter months due to weather. Provision of 20 bed spaces 7 days per week, during the active months to provide emergency shelter, support and assistance to individuals rough sleeping.

Provision includes essential items to preserve life (food, clothing etc), trained support staff on site and concierge presence to maintain safety.

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## **Contract 1**

### **Supplier**

- Kings Arms Project (Bedford)

### **Contract value**

- £77,000 excluding VAT
- £92,400 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

### **Date signed**

20 October 2025

### **Contract dates**

- 1 December 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 4 months

### **Main procurement category**

Services

## CPV classifications

- 70333000 - Housing services

## Contract locations

- UKH24 - Bedford

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## Procedure

### Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

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## Supplier

### Kings Arms Project (Bedford)

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Email: [info@kingsarmsproject.org](mailto:info@kingsarmsproject.org)

Region: UKH24 - Bedford

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## **Contracting authority**

### **Bedford Borough Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PLCV-4616-VTHL

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government