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Award

## **PSC Cost & Project Management**

Cambridge City Council

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### **Scope**

### **Description**

Cambridge City Council is seeking to appoint a RICS-regulated consultancy partner to provide integrated cost management and project management services under the NEC4 PSC Option E form of contract. The consultancy will act as a flexible partner, with all work instructed via Task Orders over the duration of the contract. This arrangement will allow the Council to draw down services as required, ranging from early feasibility advice and cost planning through to contract administration, project delivery, and final account. The partner will be expected to bring technical excellence, commercial rigour, and proactive management to ensure outcomes are delivered effectively and efficiently.

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## **Contract 1. Cambridge City Council - PSC Cost & Project Management**

## **Supplier**

- VARSITY CONSULTING LTD

## **Contract value**

- £90,000 excluding VAT
- £108,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

## **Award decision date**

10 November 2025

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

1 December 2025

## **Contract dates (estimated)**

- 2 December 2025 to 1 December 2027
- Possible extension to 30 November 2028
- 2 years, 11 months, 30 days

Description of possible extension:

continuation if services

## **Main procurement category**

Services

## **CPV classifications**

- 71000000 - Architectural, construction, engineering and inspection services

## **Contract locations**

- UKH1 - East Anglia

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## **Information about tenders**

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

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## **Procedure**

### **Procedure type**

Below threshold - open competition

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## Supplier

### **VARSITY CONSULTING LTD**

- Companies House: 10813170
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCDX-8161-PPXL

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Royston

SG8 9JN

United Kingdom

Email: [office@varsityconsult.com](mailto:office@varsityconsult.com)

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

Region: UKH23 - Hertfordshire

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

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## Contracting authority

## **Cambridge City Council**

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PCBT-6819-NDPJ

The Guildhall

Cambridge

CB2 1BY

United Kingdom

Email: [procurement@cambridge.gov.uk](mailto:procurement@cambridge.gov.uk)

Region: UKH12 - Cambridgeshire CC

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government