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Contract

# Appointment of a Creative Team for Blyth Celebrates Festival of Energy

Northumberland County Council

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### Scope

#### Reference

NCC1583

## **Description**

Northumberland County Council has appointed a Creative Team that will design, create, produce and deliver a high profile and impactful inaugural Festival of Energy that will attract interest from a wide-ranging audience including local people of all ages, key partners in Blyth and the national / international arts and renewables / energy sectors.

Northumberland County Council (NCC) were successful in attracting £355,384 from North East Combined Authority (NECA) for a Festival of ENERGY in Blyth, taking place in February 2026 in partnership with ORE Catapult, Port of Blyth and Newcastle University.

# Contract 1. Appointment of a Creative Team for Blyth Celebrates Festival of Energy NCC1583

### **Supplier**

• WALK THE PLANK

#### **Contract value**

- £355,384 excluding VAT
- £426,460 including VAT

Above the relevant threshold

## **Date signed**

27 October 2025

#### **Contract dates**

- 27 October 2025 to 31 March 2026
- 5 months, 5 days

# **Main procurement category**

Services

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#### **Contract locations**

• UKC2 - Northumberland and Tyne and Wear

# Justification for not setting key performance indicators

None required

# Other information

# Conflicts assessment prepared/revised

Yes

# **Procedure**

# **Procedure type**

Open procedure

# **Supplier**

#### WALK THE PLANK

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Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Supported employment provider: No

Public service mutual: No

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# **Contracting authority**

# **Northumberland County Council**

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government