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Contract

## **Working Gateshead Together**

Gateshead Borough Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-05eef3

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Gateshead Borough Council

Civic Centre, Regent Terrace

Gateshead

NE81HH

#### **Contact**

Jason Bell

#### **Email**

[JasonBell@gateshead.gov.uk](mailto:JasonBell@gateshead.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKC22 - Tyneside

**Justification for not providing organisation identifier**

Not on any register

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.gateshead.gov.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

Working Gateshead Together

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 79311400 - Economic research services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Gateshead Council wishes to appoint a suitably qualified and knowledgeable economic development consultant, experienced in 'systems thinking', that has undertaken one or more similar reviews in the last four years, to:

- Map existing employment support provision in Gateshead to provide a comprehensive understanding of the current eco-system that helps residents achieve their employment

goals

- Draft a proposal to establish a Gateshead employment partnership that will bring key stakeholders together to support ongoing collaboration, knowledge sharing and system alignment.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £52,191

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKC22 - Tyneside

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

Direct Award via NEPRO3

#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Quality / Weighting: 90

Price - Weighting: 10

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Award of a contract without prior publication of a call for competition in the cases listed below

- The procurement falls outside the scope of application of the regulations

Explanation:

Contract awarded via further competition through a pre-established framework.

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Title**

Working Gateshead Together

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

26 November 2025

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 1

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Bloom Procurement Services Ltd

3rd Floor 1 Ashley Road, Altrincham

Cheshire

WA14 2DT

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKD - North West (England)

Companies House

08045123

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £52,191

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Gateshead Council

Gateshead

Country

United Kingdom