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Planning

Procurement of Project Portfolio Management (PPM) System

Buckinghamshire Council

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Changes to notice

This notice has been edited. The [previous version](#) is still available.

Amendment to engagement process description

Scope

Description

Buckinghamshire Council is looking to procure and implement a Project Portfolio Management (PPM) software system for managing the Corporate Project Management Office (PMO), the Capital PMO, and Service Improvement-led projects. The overarching aim of the project is to:

- Further improve the capabilities and capacity to deliver a streamlined and professional service with consistency in reporting and readily accessible, high-quality records.
- To create efficiencies in processes within Service Improvement, Corporate PMO and Capital PMO, and other areas if required.
- To improve project management related reporting capabilities across these teams.
- To improve corporate visibility across all current Income and Expenditure / PMO (and other areas if required) projects.
- To enable automated resource management capabilities and better-inform decision-making on resource allocations.

Contract dates (estimated)

- 1 June 2026 to 31 May 2030
- 4 years

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 48000000 - Software package and information systems
- 48331000 - Project management software package

Engagement

Engagement deadline

22 December 2025

Engagement process description

Buckinghamshire Council is inviting suppliers to participate in this market engagement exercise by reviewing the scope outlined and submitting responses to the accompanying questionnaire. The purpose of this engagement is to gather market insight that will inform the design of the future Project Portfolio Management (PPM) System procurement.

To participate in this exercise, please complete the preliminary market engagement questionnaire via the Council's In-tend Portal here: <https://in-tendhost.co.uk/buckinghamshire-council>

1. This Request for Information and any related documents referred to have been prepared by the Council for the purpose of market engagement to gather information.
2. The Request for Information documents are intended only as a preliminary background explanation and are not intended to form the basis of any decision on whether to enter into any contractual relationship with the Council.

Participation

Particular suitability

Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)

Submission

Publication date of tender notice (estimated)

29 January 2026

Contracting authority

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