

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner

Notice of Decision



Nottinghamshire
POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER

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For Decision or Information	Decision
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TITLE: AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR SIGNALS FROM NOISE EXTENSION (TRI FORCE)

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

To recommend approval for the award of a contract for 'Signals from Noise' Extension on behalf of the Tri-Force management for the period up to 31 March 2018 to Lightfoot for the contract value of £78,660.

2. SUPPORTING INFORMATION

This is a provision for a trial instance of Signals for Noise for Leicestershire (and Nottinghamshire). The Tri-Force Agile Working strategy seeks to have a fully joined up Tri-force approach with common standards, application and devices. Both Nottinghamshire and Leicestershire Forces have already identified a need for Predictive and Analytical capabilities and because Northamptonshire Police use the 'Signals from Noise' successfully, it is considered appropriate to test it in Leicestershire and Nottinghamshire.

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (e.g. report or business case)

The East Midlands Strategic Commercial Unit (EMSCU) is procuring this resource on behalf of Leicestershire and Nottinghamshire Police through the issue of a single tender approved by Tri-Force Assistant Chief Officer – IT, Phil Eaton. The intention is to acquire temporary licenses; support from Lightfoot to overcome potential issues regarding the data re-aggregation, reporting matrix and reporting measures and the best practise for the use additional predictive capabilities and training to provide a Test Instance of 'Signals from Noise' on a temporary basis in 2017, prior to the determination of a permanent solution. In response to the invitation, Lightfoot submitted a priced solution totalling £113,160 but following discussions the scope of the provision was scaled back reducing the number of licenses required.

Further information on the procurement process and its outcomes can be made available from EMSCU if required.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION (please include if is it capital or revenue or both. What the split is and the totals being requested. Is this a virement/something already budgeted for or something that requires additional funding. Are there any savings that can be offered up/or achieved)

The total cost identified above £78,660, will be met from the Tri-Force Transformation Funded Project. Within that budget there is a budget for 2017/18 for this workstream of £630,000. Commitments to date including this contract now total £531,657.

Signature:

Date:

13th September 2017

Chief Finance Officer

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Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information**?	Yes	X	No	
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If yes, please state under which category number from the guidance**

3 - Information relating to the financial or business affairs of individuals or organisations (including the Police Force and the Police and Crime Commissioner). This could include contemplated as well as past or current activities.

DECISION:

Approval for the award of a contract for 'Signals from Noise' Extension to Lightfoot for the contract value of £78,660.

OFFICER APPROVAL

I have been consulted about the proposals above and confirm that the appropriate advice has been taken into account in the preparation of this report. I am satisfied that this is an appropriate request to be submitted to the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Signature:



Date:

18th September 2017

Chief Executive

DECLARATION:

I confirm that I do not have any disclosable pecuniary interests in this decision and I take the decision in compliance with the Code of Conduct for the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner. Any interests are indicated below:

The above request has my approval.

Signature:



Date:

17/9/17

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