

**Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner****Notice of Decision**

Nottinghamshire

**POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER**

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<b>For Decision or Information</b>	Decision
<b>Date received*:</b>	12.02.21
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\*to be inserted by Office of PCC

**TITLE: Award of contract to deliver the city domestic abuse professionals, prevention and communities service 2021-30**

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:**

As set out in Notice of Decision reference 2020.068, the PCC agreed to co-commission a new domestic abuse professionals, prevention and communities service for the period 2021-30, with Nottingham City Council acting as the lead commissioner.

An invitation to tender was published by the City Council in October 2020. One bid was received. The bid was evaluated by a panel of City Council and OPCC staff, which concluded that the bid met the required quality and financial thresholds.

The PCC is requested to approve:

1. the award of the contract to deliver the city domestic abuse professionals and prevention service to Equation for the period April 2021 to March 2024, with 3 possible contract extensions of 2 years each (2024-6, 2026-8, 2028-30), with Nottingham City Council acting as the lead commissioner. Contract extensions are subject to confirmation at a later date;
2. provide £107,500 funding per annum for the service for the period April 2021 to March 2024 (a total of £322,500), to be paid by for Community Safety Grant.

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

The service is an essential element of the domestic abuse landscape in Nottingham. Nottingham City Council will act as the lead commissioner to manage the service. This will be governed under the umbrella of the PCC and City Council's Partnership Agreement.

The procurement was OJEU compliant.

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**FINANCIAL INFORMATION** (please include if it is 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 funding is revenue and is in budget. As the contracts do not increase year on year there are efficiency savings built in. In addition, the specification stipulates that the provider develop income generation opportunities to help widen the range of work.

Signature:

Chief Finance Officer

Date: 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021.

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

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#### OFFICER APPROVAL

I have been consulted about the proposal 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:

Chief Executive

Date:

16/2/21

#### 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:

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner

Date:

17/2/21

\*\* See guidance on non public information