

Nottinghamshire Police and Crime Commissioner – Notice of Decision

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DECISION OR INFORMATION:	Decision
DATE RECEIVED:*	12/10/2022
REF:* (to be inserted by the OPCC)	2022.094

TITLE:	Award of Contract – Detached Youth Work in Top Valley
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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In July 2022 the PCC secured funding from Safer Streets 4 for a Nottingham City project that covered the Top Valley area. Part of the Nottingham City SaferStreets programme included an element of youth work in a defined area of Top valley. The VRU agreed to lead on this element which included the commissioning of a voluntary sector detached youth work service.

A Request for Proposals was disseminated to 108 organisations. Three proposals were received and following an evaluation of these bids, Communities Unite is the preferred bidder. The Contract will run from 17th October 2022 to 30th September 2023.

The PCC is therefore requested to approve the award of the contract to Communities Unite at a total cost of up to £24,434 from the Nottingham City Safer Streets funding.

INFORMATION IN SUPPORT OF DECISION: (eg report or business case)

A Request for Proposals including a detailed specification for the Top Valley service was disseminated to 108 organisations. The requirement was for the implementation of a detached youth work model, engaging young people at risk. Three responses were submitted. This is in line with Standing Orders which state that for contract values between £10,000 and £25,000 a minimum of three quotes should be obtained.

Bids were scored independently by four individuals representing the VRU, Safer Streets/Nottinghamshire Police and Nottingham City Council. Bids had to meet quality and financial threshold scores. Communities Unite was the highest scoring bidder.

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FINANCIAL INFORMATION	
The funding is revenue and will come from the Nottingham City Safer Streets budget. The funding is split equally across two financial years meaning £12,144 will come from the 2022/23 budget and £12,144 will come from the 2023/24 budget.	
Signature: Chief Finance Officer	REDACTED
Date:	17/10/2022

Is any of the supporting information classified as non-public or confidential information?*	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
If yes, please state under which category from the guidance**				
DECISION:				
The PCC is requested to approve the award of the contract to detached youth work in Top Valley to Communities Unite at a total cost of up to £24,434 from 17 th October 2022 to 30 September 2023. The Funding will come from the Nottingham City Safer Streets budget.				

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	<i>S. M. Goodell</i>
Date:	20/10/2022

** See guidance on non-public information

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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
& Crime Commissioner



Date:

20/10/2022