

London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham Record of Cabinet Member Decision

The call-in period has expired and the decision below can be implemented.

- ❖ Draft Decision List published on: 12 October 2022
- ❖ Confirmed Decision List published on: 17 October 2022

1. **TITLE: Early Intervention Procurement Strategy**

2. **DECISION MADE BY:** Cabinet Member for Children and Education

3. **DECISION:**

That the Cabinet Member for Children and Education:

1. In accordance with the Council's Contracts Standing Order (CSO) (18.1), approves the Procurement Strategy for the procurement of the following Lots:
 - Lot 1: Youth Provision
 - Lot 2: Volunteer Family Support
 - Lot 3: Virtual Reality Software
 - Lot 4: Child and Family Support

All lots will be for a contract period of 3 years, with the option to extend for 1 year with a further period of 1 year (3 +1+1 years), at an annual cost of £817,900, and a total combined cost of £4,089,500 across the contract period. All contracts will commence from 1st April 2023.

4. **REASON FOR DECISION:**

A new commissioning model is required which offers a more efficient and flexible approach to ensuring services can continue to meet the needs of children, young people and families.

5. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:**

A search on the Crown Commercial Services for the supply of existing providers within the identified contracts confirms there is no existing framework locally from which to call-off contracts for these types of work.

Each Lot is considered individually on the merits of the available procurement routes, as described on the report.

6. **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DECLARED AND DISPENSATIONS GRANTED:**

None.

Date of Decision

10 October 2022
