London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham
Record of Cabinet Member Decision

The call-in has expired and this decision can be implemented.

❖ Draft Decision List published on: 17 April 2023
❖ Confirmed Decision List published on: 20 April 2023

1. **TITLE: Direct Award for Day Opportunities to Nubian Life and the Alzheimer's Society**

2. **DECISION MADE BY:**   Deputy Leader

3. **DECISION:**

    1. To approve a Direct Award to both Nubian Life to the total value of £229,442.50 and the Alzheimer's Society to the total value of £335,444.20. This award starts on the 1 April 2023 and will end on the 31 May 2024.

    2. To approve the development of a co-produced strategy leading to a procurement within the timeframe of 14 months.

4. **REASON FOR DECISION:**

    Nubian Life and the Alzheimer's Society Day services were key stakeholders in co-producing the Hammersmith and Fulham Dementia Strategy 2021-2024 and are actively engaged in implementation of the Strategy, specifically to address:
    - availability and choice of day services, short breaks and overnight respite to support people with dementia, their families and carers
    - A range of dementia-specific and dementia-inclusive activities that give choice and control, reduce social isolation, and promote equality

    Day opportunities help the council fulfil their statutory requirements under the Care Act 2014 by:
    - Promoting individual wellbeing e.g. their physical and mental health and emotional wellbeing
    - Preventing needs for care and support e.g. by reducing isolation which can lead to deterioration in physical and mental health, such as dementia
    - Providing care and support in the community

5. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:**

    Option 1 – Directly Award the contracts for two years. (Recommended)
    Option 2 – Extend contracts for one year.

Option 3 – Do not extend contracts, provision ends 31 March 2023.
Option 4 – Competition for day service.

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

None

Date of Decision
14 April 2023