

## London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham Record of Officer Decision

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

- ❖ Draft Decision List published on: 9 June 2023
- ❖ Confirmed Decision List published on: 14 June 2023

1. **TITLE: Adult Learning and Skills Service (ALSS) Procurement Strategy 2023**

2. **DECISION MADE BY:** Strategic Director of the Economy Department

3. **DECISION:**

To agree the procurement strategy for forming effective collaborative working arrangements with up to 10 providers locally, including Third Sector organisations, with contracted provision commencing September 2023 at a total cost over the two year running period of £400,000.

4. **REASON FOR DECISION:**

To agree the procurement strategy for subcontracted provision to deliver adult learning and skills provision as part of the wider focus by ALSS on different business models to support residents in the quest for employment outcomes and Covid 19 recovery.

5. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:**

- **Option 1** - do nothing, but not an option due to lack of an internal skill set to provide.
- **Option 2** – Call off from a framework. This has been explored and no suitable framework is available.
- **Option 3** – Going to market in an open tender. To get best value and most appropriate suppliers meeting the specification. (Preferred option).

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

None

<b>Date of Decision</b>
07 June 2023