

Report to:Education Resources CommitteeDate of Meeting:1 June 2021Report by:Executive Director (Education Resources)

Subject: Notification of Contracts Awarded: 1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1. The purpose of the report is to:-
 - provide notification, in line with Standing Orders on Contracts, to Committee of all contracts awarded by Education Resources during the period 1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021

2. Recommendation(s)

- 2.1. The Committee is asked to approve the following recommendation(s):-
 - (1) that details of the contracts awarded be noted.

3. Background

3.1. It is a requirement of Clauses 21.8 and 22.5 of the Standing Orders on Contracts that details of the acceptance of all tenders above £50,000 be reported retrospectively to the relevant Committee for noting, other than those under Clause 21.3 where the award is not the lowest in a price only tender, or costs exceed the approved financial provision. In these instances a report is submitted to the appropriate Committee and subsequent authority to award is granted by that Committee.

4. Contract Awards

4.1. A full list of contracts covering the period 1 October 2020 to 31 March 2021 on the basis of lowest offer and/or most economically advantageous offer submitted, is provided at Appendix 1.

5. Employee Implications

5.1. Contracts management, including performance appraisal, will be undertaken by both the main service user and the Procurement Team.

6. Financial Implications

6.1. Appropriate budgetary provision is available for each of the contracts awarded.

7. Climate Change, Sustainability and Environmental Implications

7.1. There are no Climate Change, Sustainability and Environmental Implications arising from the information presented in this report.

8. Other Implications

There are no direct risks or implications for sustainability in terms of the information contained in this report.

9. Equality Impact Assessment and Consultation Arrangements

- 9.1 This report does not introduce a new policy, function or strategy nor recommend a change to an existing policy, function or strategy and therefore, no impact assessment is required.
- 9.2. There is also no requirement to undertake any consultation in terms of the information contained in this report.

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27 April 2021

Link(s) to Council Values/Ambitions/Objectives

• Value: Accountable, effective, efficient and transparent

List of Background Papers

• Standing Orders on Contracts

Contact for Further Information

If you would like to inspect the background papers or want further information, please contact:-Emma Smith, Corporate Procurement and Transactions Manager Ext: 5329 (Tel: 01698 455329) E-mail: emma.smith@southlanarkshire.gov.uk

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Contracts Awarded by Education Resources over £50,000 in value

| Contractor | Value of Contract Awarded | Date of Award | CRN | Brief Description | Contract Period |
|---|---|------------------|----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|
| First Steps Rural Connection Ltd | £86,970 | 19/02/2021 | SLC/PS/EDUC/19/022/ MC9 | Foundation Apprenticeship in Construction Skills Level 5 - Summer 2021 | 01/03/2021 - 15/07/2021 |
| Your Potential Counselling | £1,638,000 Estimated value of Framework | 20/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/018 | Counselling Services in Schools - Addition to Flexible Negotiated Framework | 27/08/2020 - 30/06/2021 |
| Routes to Work South | £60,000 | 05/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/021 | ED Employability DPS Mini Comp - Aspire Groupwork In-school Clydesdale 2020 | 05/10/2020 - 31/12/2020 |
| Routes to Work South | £60,000 | 05/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/022 | ED Employability Training DPS - Aspire Groupwork In- school Hamilton - East Kilbride 2020 | 05/10/2020 - 31/12/2020 |
| First Steps Rural Connection Ltd | £75,000 | 05/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/025 | ED Employability Training M/C - Aspire Construction Tasters Clydesdale 2020 | 05/10/2020 - 31/12/2020 |
| First Steps Future Training Ltd | £75,000 | 05/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/026 | Ed Employability Training DPS Mini competition - Aspire Construction Tasters 2020 Hamilton - East Kilbride | 05/10/2020 - 31/12/2020 |
| First Steps Rural Connection Ltd | £70,000 | 05/10/2020 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/048 | ED Employability training DPS Mini competition - GradU8 Clydesdale Construction Winter Leavers | 06/10/2020 - 17/12/2020 |
| Action For Children Services Ltd | £243,704 | 25/01/2021 | SLC/PS/EDUC/20/055 | Action for Children Services Ltd - The Blues Programme | 19/10/2020 - 18/10/2022 |
| Various: 46 contractors | £24,000,000 | 02/11/2020 | SLC/PS/FINCOR/19/05 7 | Passenger Transport Services Framework | 02/11/2020 - 31/10/2023 |