

DECISION NOTICE (GMP)

Decision author and proposer: Alison Harper / Colin Ramwell

Subject:
A0871 Interim Contract - Agency Resources (Police Specialist Roles)

Type of decision:			
Deputy decision	Mayor's	X	Chief Officer's decision

<p>The decision is that:</p> <p>The Deputy Mayor approves the direct award of a 6 month contract for the provision of Agency Resources (Police Specialist Roles), to Reed Talent Solutions, using the Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation Framework - Managing Temporary and Permanent Recruitment – 942 framework, with the option to extend for a further 6 months. The likely value of 1 year spend would be circa £5.5m.</p>
<p>The reasons for the decision are:</p> <p>GMP needs an interim arrangement to maintain its current provision for police specialist roles (currently 189 contractors) and have an immediate ability to recruit additional contractors if required until the proposed contract using the Bluelight Commercial Organisation Framework can be implemented.</p>
<p>Alternative options considered and rejected:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do nothing – rejected as non-compliant with Procurement Legislation and Chief Constable’s Financial Instructions. • Undertake a bespoke procurement exercise (OJEU) –rejected as there is a suitable framework available. • Extend current arrangements – rejected as non-compliant with Procurement Legislation and Chief Constable’s Financial Instructions.
<p>Financial comments:</p> <p>The cost of this contract requirement will be circa £5.5m* per annum and there is appropriate provision for this in the current budget.</p> <p>The contract requirement value is based on the Police Specialist roles in place June 2021 – November 2021. It is not anticipated for this to be the</p>

actual value of the contract with Reed as it is expected that the contract using the Bluelight Commercial Organisation Framework will take on these roles in time.

Legal comments:

The contract will be awarded using the Yorkshire Purchasing Organisation Framework - Managing Temporary and Permanent Recruitment - 942.

These have been reviewed by the Force Contracts Solicitor and no issues have been identified.

Risk Assessment:

There are no risks as this is a compliant process.

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Signed on behalf of GMP



Signed:

Name:...CHRISTOPHER KINSELLA

Date:...25 MAY 2022

Signed on behalf of GMCA Treasurer



Signed

Name: Steve Wilson

Date 30/05/2022

Agreed by Deputy Mayor

Signed: 

Name: Baroness Beverley Hughes

Date: 30th May 2022