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### Updates from London Construction Programme (LCP)

#### London signs up to LCP Frameworks

LCP's construction category services bring efficiencies through greater cost control, quality of outcomes, process standardisation and class-leading performance management. We're pleased to say that the **London Boroughs of Camden, Bexley, Lambeth Living, Harrow, Royal Borough of Greenwich, Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea** are the first to sign-off their **LCP Access Agreement** and work towards these efficiencies, enabled through our Frameworks and Contracts specifically tailored to the London market.

The LCP Delivery Team is busy at the moment providing one-to-one briefings to further client Authorities and our pre-selected Consultants. This is a comprehensive introduction to

- making the best use of the Construction Related Consultant Services (CRCS 2012) framework
- the 33 participating specialist consultancies available through the framework
- the range of expert Category Management support available through the LCP Delivery Team, including guidance on Mini-Competitions and our specialist KPI Engine.

With the goal of making the **procurement of construction-related professional services simpler, faster and more reliable**, the CRCS 2012 framework covers all types of construction projects including offices, schools and housing. We look forward to announcing the next group of Authorities to join the LCP client community in our next update. Watch this space!

#### LCP Workshop Event: CRCS 2012 KPIs Management, in association with Constructing Excellence

We're delighted to announce this half-day workshop event for both **Commissioning Clients** who've signed their LCP Access Agreement and CRCS 2012 **Consultancy Service Providers**. Hold the date in your diary!

Date: 5<sup>th</sup> July 2012

Venue: Council Chambers, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Civic Centre, Haringey

The workshop will cover:

- **KPIs Management under CRCS 2012:** KPIs recommended by *Constructing Excellence*; Responsibilities of clients and consultants; Introduction to LCP's specialist KPIs Engine; Data submission and quarterly performance monitoring; The goal of London-wide benchmarking

## Booking your place

Places at the workshop are limited and we are able to offer a maximum of 2 per organisation. We advise that you reserve your places early as this is likely to be a popular event.

You can reserve places at our workshop by emailing [Kiran.Sehangera@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:Kiran.Sehangera@haringey.gov.uk) with the subject line: 'LCP July Workshop'.

## Community Benefit, a further outcome of LCP Frameworks

Within the Framework Providers will be expected to work with the participating organisations at how they can engage with work experience/apprenticeships etc. We intend to have further discussions with providers as part of the ongoing management of the framework.

## Online resources: Client/Consultant Information Packs

Client Authorities and CRCS 2012 Consultants have access to a wealth of resources through LCP at 'Procure4London'. One of the key resources is our **Information Packs** with an edition designed specifically for clients and consultants. The Information Pack contains all the documentation, procedures and forms needed to use the CRCS 2012 framework and realise the benefits and efficiencies available through it.

The Clients users Information pack is currently in place on Procure4London and shows standard templates for mini competitions etc.

The Consultants information pack is currently being reviewed and should be on line shortly - however if you are carrying out a mini competition for actual construction work please speak to the LCP team in the interim for guidance.

Remember that the Information Pack is the intellectual property of LCP, and under the terms of your Access Agreement/Provider Contract you must not circulate or disseminate this material to anyone outside your organisation. If you're unsure about who can use and access the Information Pack for the purpose of commissioning or managing projects, please contact Samantha Rose on 020 8489 1073.

## Accessing resources on Procure4London

If your organisation is already registered with 'Procure4London' (see Access Agreement Section 15 Support Network) the designated 'Procure4London' 'Superuser' in your organisation will invite you to register with 'Procure4London'. Please contact Samantha Rose on 020 8489 1073 if you are unaware of your superuser and to be invited to the collaboration areas.

If your organisation is not already registered then you need to register on 'Procure4London'. All Framework information is available on the secure section of this website. Document access is by access code. For further information regarding 'Procure4London' please refer to the *Client/Consultant information pack, Section 15*.

## Your challenges, our support

LCP is your resource for achieving better value for money outcomes from your construction projects. . Are you handling an aspect of procurement that isn't working as you want it? If you've got a specification issue, a contract issue, a performance issue or a data management

issue, tell us about it. In our Category Management role, we're keen to hear your challenges and match you with London-based resources that can help. Please also contact us for advice re your Mini competitions and for feedback about the process etc Contact our Delivery Team at [lcp@haringey.gov.uk](mailto:lcp@haringey.gov.uk) or call 020 8489 1037/1073