Details of organisations interested in role of lead body for D2N2 Social Inclusion – updated 7/7/15

Towards Work

D2N2 People First Consortia

Jo Bradley-Fortune, Groundwork

For informal enquiries please email gn@groundworknottingh am.org.uk

Groundwork working in partnership with Framework Housing Association and Advice Nottingham, now known as D2N2 People First Consortia, are looking to work together sharing innovation and best practice across the Building Better Opportunities strands; Financial Inclusion, Multiple & Complex Needs and Towards Work. Groundwork are leading on the Towards Work strand and are currently looking to invite delivery partners to complete a PQQ to express their interest in joining the partnership to deliver a solution with and for older people, young people and women returners who are wishing to improve their chances of accessing the workplace

Email sandracasey@one-em.org.uk for an expression of interest form. Alternatively the form is now available on the Building Better Opportunities webpage. **Deadline for completion of Expression of Interest is 18th June (5.00pm)** to gn@groundworknottingham.org.uk

We will be holding two awareness events meeting to explain how we intend to work with partners, including how the model will work and in which areas we intend to work for the first year. The Nottingham event will take place on June 22nd from 2.00 till 3.30 at Castle Cavendish Works, Dorking Road, Nottingham NG7 5PN No parking is available except from on street parking. The Derby event will take place on June 30th from 1.00-2.30 at Erewash CVS. The Derby venue has a car park and on-street parking.

If you wish to attend these events, you must email <u>carys.bowen-jones@groundworknottingham.org.uk</u> to book your place.

We will be considering EoI's during the week commencing 29th June 2015 and, where necessary, contacting organisations to seek further clarification prior to shortlisting. Please ensure that there is someone available to provide extra information during this period.

	Shortlisted organisations will be invited for interview. These are currently scheduled for the Tuesday 14th and Friday 17th July in Nottingham . The interviews will comprise a panel made up of local people with lived experience of unemployment issues. In the event that you are shortlisted please can you reserve space in your diary.
	This is a very competitive programme and we need to ensure we select only the highest quality applications, who can demonstrate excellent financial and governance capability and strong track records of delivery.
	We regret that not everyone will be able to participate at this stage and if you have not received an invite to attend interview by 10th July 2015, please assume that you have not been successful this time.
Enable	Enable was created by the Voluntary and Community Sector in 2003 to provide the infrastructure to enable the Sector to access government funding for learning, skills
Don Hayes	and employment. Twelve years on The Voluntary and Community Sector Learning and Skills Consortium, known as Enable, has proved very successful in winning tenders
To register an interest email Paul Randall	and effectively delivering high quality provision that meets contractual targets.
paul@enable.uk.net or	The Consortium's key strengths are:
call 0115 7 100 200.	• 12+ years' experience of successfully acting as a consortium
	 Considered to be one of the most successful consortia in the UK Effectively reaching the region's most deprived communities Ofsted graded 'Good'
	 Contracting processes highlighted nationally as beacons of good practice A recognised track record of building the capacity of local VCS providers.
	Enable welcome organisations interested in being involved in Enable's Towards Work tender
Social Inclusion	The Social Inclusion Consortium was established in relation to the Big Lottery Fund
Consortium	and Cabinet Offices joint 'Transforming Local Infrastructure' agenda. In advance of the launch of the Building Better Opportunities (BBO) programme the 4 consortium core
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Community Action Derby	organisations could come together to collectively bid for larger programmes such as

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Helen Kearsley-Cree -	
helenk@nottinghamcvs.c	
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Rehab	Rehab is an independent charity which works towards a world where every person has
Andy Fish	the opportunity to achieve their potential. We are a leading provider of world-class services and initiatives and fully committed to achieving equality, sustainability and value for money. We work in local communities to provide high-quality services and opportunities to people facing disadvantage and issues which impede their progression.
	Rehab has been formed from members of the Rehab UK group of companies which included Acorn Training Consultants, TBG, Momentum and Chaseley Trust. We deliver employability, skills and health contracts for major funding agencies including the Department for Work and Pensions, Big Lottery Fund, Skills Funding Agency, Education Funding Agency, European Social Fund and the NHS.
	To support us in achieving this for the Building Better Opportunities – Towards Work programme in D2N2 we are keen to link with voluntary, public and private sector organisations across the LEP area that can demonstrate a track record in engaging successfully with unemployed and economically inactive people and supporting them into positive progression outcomes including work, training and education

	To express interest, in the first instance, please send an email to businessdevelopment@tbglearning.com giving your organisation, contact details (name, email, telephone), website address, and an overview of services delivered and where you deliver them geographically.
Pinnacle People	More info to follow
Nathan Yeowell	
nathan.yeowell@pinnacle people.co.uk	
PeoplePlus	PeoplePlus is a leading employment support and training services company, helping people across the globe to transform their lives and businesses through employment, training, education and financial advice.
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	As part of the Staffline Group of companies, we can ensure that customers, jobseekers, learners and employees have a greater choice of career opportunities available to them while attracting employers with a wider range of services.
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Opportunities Programme.

Multiple & Complex Needs

D2N2 People First Consortium	Framework is working in partnership with Groundwork and
	Advice Nottingham as Lead Members of the D2N2 People
Andrew Redfern, Framework	First Consortium. The three organisations are co-ordinating
	their Stage One Applications for the Building Better

For further enquiries please email Andrew.Redfern@frameworkha.org

Within D2N2 People First Framework is leading on the Multiple and Complex Needs strand. Our bid will share a common ethos and approach with those by Groundwork (Towards Work) and Advice Nottingham (Financial Inclusion). The key principles will be personalisation, strategic purpose and value for money. It will build on the work of existing partnerships such as Opportunity Nottingham and Simple Change for Troubled Lives.

The core partnership at first bid stage will comprise up to eight providers. We envisage that there will also be opportunities to procure smaller and more specialist elements of the work using the mechanism described by the funder as the programme develops.

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Financial Inclusion

`D2N2 People First' Consortium Debbie Webster	The 'D2N2 People First' consortium consists of Advice Nottingham leading on Financial Inclusion, Framework Housing Association leading on Multiple & Complex Needs & Groundwork leading on Towards Work.
Debbie.webster@stannsadvice.org.u k	We are pleased to be working together & will be coordinating our Stage 1 applications for the BBO programme. We will share good practice & innovation to ensure our bid is person focused by offering a bespoke package of support, based on real need, for individuals.
	Advice Nottingham is looking for potential partners to join this enterprise to deliver, through a mixed range of methods, activities that will support those who are currently sitting on a financial knife-edge.
	An expression of interest will need to be completed and is now available on the Building Better Opportunities webpage. Deadline for completion of the Expression of Interest is 30/6/15 .
	We believe there will be an opportunity to procure some smaller specialist elements of work during the lifetime of the funding.
	Advice Nottingham is a consortium of the main advice providers across the city; Nottingham and District Citizens Advice Bureau, Nottingham Law Centre, Bestwood, Clifton & the Meadows Advice Centres & the St Anns Advice Group.
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