Thank you for your email expressing interest in providing supported living accommodation in the City.

**Delivery of Care and Support:**

Currently a Framework arrangement is in place for our care and support contractual arrangements, which were tendered and awarded in 2020.  There is provision to re-open the framework, but we don’t envisage doing that for some time as the new contractual arrangements only went live on the 1st of July 2021.

All City Council Tenders are advertised and you may wish to register so that you are notified of any future opportunities.

Details / link to the site can be found here:  [East Midlands Procurement Portal - Home (eastmidstenders.org)](https://www.eastmidstenders.org/) or here: [Contracts Finder - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)](https://www.gov.uk/contracts-finder)

The other option, if you wish to offer care and support, available to you would be to promote your service on the Council’s Mychoice Web Directory service instead.  This platform is a directory for care and support services for people living within the Leicester City area for both contracted and non-contracted services fr the latter any care commissioned would be via a direct payment arrangement.  Details can be found here: <https://mychoice.leicester.gov.uk/>

**Development of Accommodation**

Please see our Supported Living and Extra Care Housing Strategy (2021 to 2031), which can be found here <https://www.leicester.gov.uk/your-council/policies-plans-and-strategies/social-care-and-education/>

The strategy sets out the demand for accommodation over the next 10 years and how that will be achieved.  If you wish to develop accommodation, we encourage you to look at our requirements, noting that key to any development will be the affordability and sustainability of the accommodation for the people living there. **It should be noted we have little to no demand for shared housing.**

We ask those interested to complete our expressions of interest form ahead of arranging to meet with you, which can be found here: <https://forms.office.com/e/eHDKsNKYnc>

