



Building a Better Bournemouth

ProContract Step By Step

Supplying the South West Suppliers Guide

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a) Go to www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk

b) Click on “Register Now”

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Shown below is a list of the latest current opportunities

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Buyer	Title	Start date	End date	Estimated value
Ashford Borough Council	Alterations and Refurbishment to Customer Contact Centre	23/10/2015 13:19:00	17/11/2015 14:30:00	£40,000.00
Ashford Borough Council	Roof Tile Replacement and Associated Works, Conningbrook Manor, Ashford	23/10/2015 16:14:00	17/11/2015 14:30:00	£80,000.00
Aston University	Approved Contractors Application Questionnaire	15/09/2015 12:00:00	11/11/2015 12:00:00	N/A
Barnsley NHS Foundation Trust	BRNFT1382 - INVITATION TO OFFER FOR THE SUPPLY, INSTALLATION, MIGRATION AND MAINTENANCE OF SIEMENS HIGH-PATH DX (PWX) TO CISCO UNIFIED COMMUNICATIONS	03/10/2015 00:00:00	11/11/2015 00:00:00	N/A
Basingstoke and Deane Borough Council	Supply of a Bus Service service North, Waltham, Dummer and Basingstoke	27/10/2015 14:46:00	25/11/2015 23:30:00	N/A
Basildon District Council	Basildon District Council -	26/10/2015	11/11/2015	

c) Click on 'Register' in the Top Right Hand Corner

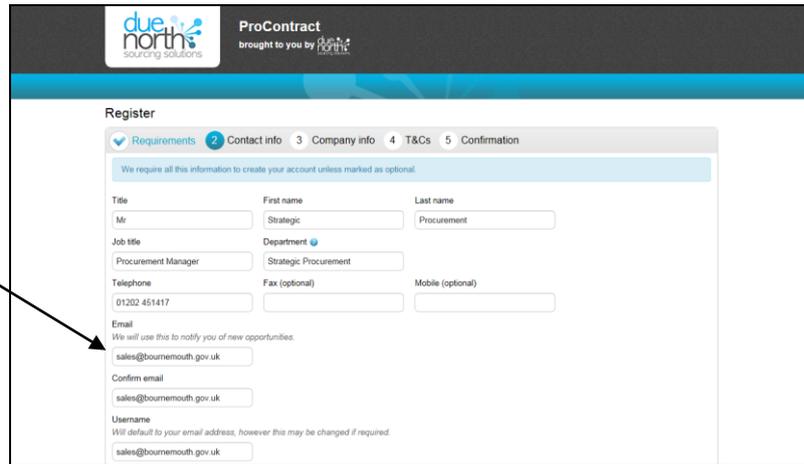
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REGISTERING ON PROCONTRACT (CONTINUED)

The screenshot shows the ProContract registration wizard. At the top, there are logos for 'due north sourcing solutions' and 'ProContract brought to you by due north sourcing solutions'. Below the logos is a progress bar with five steps: 1 Requirements, 2 Contact info, 3 Company info, 4 T&Cs, and 5 Confirmation. Step 1 is currently active. The main content area contains the following text: 'Welcome to the supplier registration wizard. The wizard will assist you with the completion of your registration. Once you have confirmed your details and submitted your registration you will receive an email receipt. Your submission will then be validated by the supplier approver and once approved you will be issued with a username and password to access the site.' Below this text is a link: '> Minimum and recommended system requirements'. At the bottom of the main content area are two buttons: 'Continue' (highlighted with a red box) and 'cancel'. At the very bottom of the page, there is a footer with a lock icon, the text 'Secure Site Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility', the URL 'https://procontract.due-north.com/', and the 'due north sourcing solutions' logo.

- d) The first screen provides an introduction to registering and defines the system requirements in order to be able to register
- e) Click 'Continue'

TIP: Use a generic e-mail account. All notifications are sent to this e-mail account. By using one member of staffs personal e-mail, if they are on leave, sick or have left the company, you may miss important notifications. Consider using a generic e-mail account that is permanently monitored



The screenshot shows the 'Register' page for ProContract, brought to you by due north sourcing solutions. The page is divided into five steps: 1. Requirements, 2. Contact info (current step), 3. Company info, 4. T&Cs, and 5. Confirmation. A blue banner at the top of the form states: 'We require all this information to create your account unless marked as optional'. The form fields are as follows:

Title	First name	Last name
<input type="text" value="Mr"/>	<input type="text" value="Strategic"/>	<input type="text" value="Procurement"/>
Job title	Department	
<input type="text" value="Procurement Manager"/>	<input type="text" value="Strategic Procurement"/>	
Telephone	Fax (optional)	Mobile (optional)
<input type="text" value="01202 451417"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Email	<small>We will use this to notify you of new opportunities.</small>	
<input type="text" value="sales@bournemouth.gov.uk"/>		
Confirm email		
<input type="text" value="sales@bournemouth.gov.uk"/>		
Username	<small>Will default to your email address, however this may be changed if required.</small>	
<input type="text" value="sales@bournemouth.gov.uk"/>		

- Enter Contact Information for your company
- Scroll Down to complete the remainder of the Contact Info

The screenshot shows a registration form with the following fields and instructions:

- Username:** Will default to your email address, however this may be changed if required. Input: sales@bournemouth.gov.uk
- Password:** Your password must be between 8 and 12 characters long, contain a mixture of UPPERCASE and lowercase letters, numbers and symbols. Input: masked with dots.
- Confirm password:** Input: masked with dots.
- Memorable Word:** Please enter a memorable word that will be used on login to verify you as a user. Input: Bournemouth
- Memorable word hint:** Enter a hint that will help you remember your memorable information. e.g. First pet's name. Input: Location of Company Headquarters
- Preferred language:** English (dropdown menu)
- Preferred time zone:** (UTC) Dublin, Edinburgh, Lisbor (dropdown menu)

At the bottom of the form, there are three buttons: 'Continue' (highlighted with a red box), 'Back', and 'Cancel'.

At the bottom of the page, there is a footer with a lock icon, 'Secure Site: Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility', and the 'due north' logo with the tagline 'SEARCHING SOLUTIONS'.

- c) Create your login details for the system. Your username will default to the e-mail address
- d) Choose a Password and Confirm the Password
- e) Once complete, click 'Continue'

Register

Requirements Contact info **3** Company info 4 T&Cs 5 Confirmation

We require all this information to create your account unless marked as optional.

Company name
Bournemouth Borough Council LTD

Address
Town Hall
Bourne Avenue

Town
Bournemouth

County
Dorset

Postal code / zip
BH2 6DY

Country
United Kingdom

Website (optional)
www.bournemouth.gov.uk

Registration number (optional)
123456 N/A

VAT number (optional)
GB 987 6543 21 N/A

Continue Back Cancel

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- Add your Company Information
- Click 'Continue'

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Privacy policy

What is this Privacy Policy for?

This privacy policy is for this website <http://procontract.due-north.com/> and served by Due North and governs the privacy of its users who choose to use it. The policy sets out the different areas where user privacy is concerned and outlines the obligations & requirements of the users, the website and website owners. Furthermore the way this website processes, stores and protects user data and information will also be detailed within this policy.

The Website

This website and its owners take a proactive approach to user privacy and ensure the necessary steps are taken to protect the privacy of its users throughout their visiting experience. This website complies with all UK national laws and requirements for user privacy.

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You must agree to all conditions to continue

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- Please review the Due North Terms & Conditions and the Privacy Policy.
- If you are happy to proceed, please tick the box and select 'Continue'

Please ensure that you mark as safe within your inbox any e-mails that end

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E-mail notifications that you receive from ProContract will have this domain. If you do not 'mark as safe' this domain, it is likely that notifications from the system will fall into your Junk Mailbox

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Register

Requirements Contact info Company info T&Cs Confirmation

Name M Strategic Procurement
Job title Procurement Manager
Department Strategic Procurement
Telephone 01202 451417
Fax
Mobile
User name sales@bournemouth.gov.uk
Email sales@bournemouth.gov.uk

Company name Bournemouth Borough Council LTD
Address Town Hall
Boswell Avenue
Bournemouth,
Dorset,
BH2 1BY
United Kingdom
URL www.bournemouth.gov.uk
Registration number 023406
VAT number GB 987 6543 21

Submit Registration Back Cancel

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- Review your registration. To amend any details you can use the 'Back' option
- However, if you are happy with your registration select 'Submit Registration'.
- Your registration is then sent to Due North to review. Due North check to make sure that your company is not already registered on their tendering portal.
- So long as your company is not already registered, you will receive an e-mail from Due North confirming that your registration has been approved. **Where you require your registration to be approved quickly, please chase Due North to approve your application on 0330 005 0352. Please note that this number should only be used where it is urgent.**
- Once your registration is approved, please move to the next steps in order to set your preferences for receiving notifications on contract opportunities. **IF YOU DO NOT FOLLOW STEP 6 BELOW, YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE ANY FUTURE CONTRACT OPPORTUNITY NOTIFICATIONS FROM THE SYSTEM. IT IS VITAL THAT YOU COMPLETE THE NEXT STEP OF REGISTERING TO ENSURE YOU DO NOT MISS OUT ON OPPORTUNITIES**

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SETTING PREFERENCES TO RECEIVE NOTIFICATIONS OF CONTRACT OPPORTUNITIES

- a) To update your preferences for receiving notifications, you will need to login to the system. You will only be able to login to the system, once your registration has been approved. To log in, follow the below instructions:

The screenshot shows the homepage of the Supplying the South West Procurement Portal. The header features the logo and the text 'supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk Procurement Portal'. Below the header is a navigation menu with the following items: Home, Search Latest Opportunities, Contract Register, Authorities, Suppliers' Login (highlighted with a red box), and Buyers' Login. Below the navigation menu are sections for Useful Links and Help and Guidance. The main content area displays a welcome message, a list of advantages, and a 'Register now' button.

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Advantage South West	Servicing of Domestic Lifting Equipment and associated services and spares	14/03/2016 08:00:00	19/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes (Dersley) - SUPPLY ONLY Social Housing Kitchens	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes Jersey - SUPPLY ONLY Bathroom Suites	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes - Kitchen And Bathroom Replacement Programme - INSTALL ONLY Framework for the construction of	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					

d) Click 'Login'

Log In

User Name

Password

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

Welcome to ProContract

Already registered?
Simply enter your chosen username and password and click 'Continue'

New to ProContract?
Suppliers - If you are not currently registered on the ProContract procurement portal, you can complete a simple registration process by clicking the following link - [Register free](#)

Migrated from ProContract Version 2?
If you are currently registered with a ProContract Version 2 procurement portal and the procurement portal has migrated to Version 3 your details have been automatically transferred, however for security and account validation you will be required to reset your password by following the instructions outlined in the following link - [First time login following migration](#)

Still need help?
Please visit the [help center](#) where you can access an extensive help library, FAQ's, videos and guides

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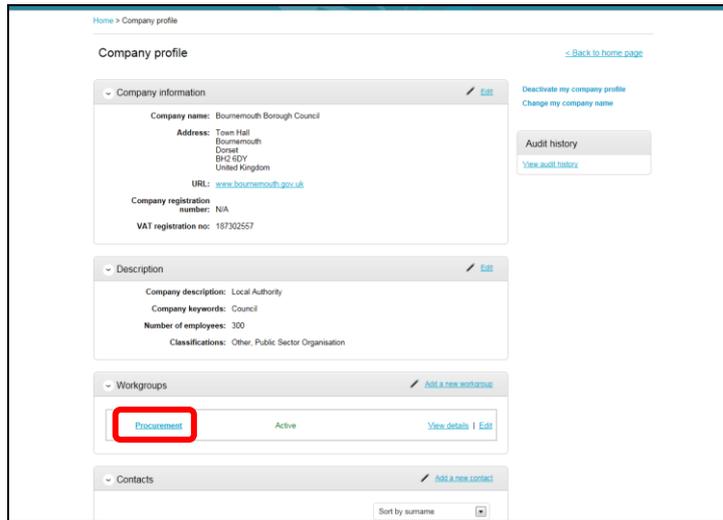
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- e) Type in your login details and select 'Continue'
- f) If you are unsure of your login details, please contact Due North at ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. The header includes the 'due north' logo, 'ProContract' branding, and a 'Notifications' icon. The navigation bar contains links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. The main content area is titled 'Home page' and features several sections: 'Activities' with a search filter and 'Go' buttons; 'Opportunities' with a search instruction; 'Company details summary' for 'Bournemouth Borough Council' with an 'Edit' button highlighted in a red box; and 'Workgroups' with a list of activities and an 'Add new workgroup' button. The footer contains 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and a 'Secure Site' icon.

- g) To update your company preferences for notifications, click 'Edit' within the Company Details Summary section



- h) Companies can have multiple workgroups for managing tenders. This may be where it is a particularly large company that is split over several sites where each site manages different elements of the company business. Therefore, you may want to split notifications for certain contract opportunities to go to one part of a business, and other notifications to go to another part of the business. If this is the case, add more workgroups as appropriate.
- i) However, if you are happy for all notifications to go to one place, you only need to update the one workgroup that is shown on the screen.
- j) To update the notification preferences for that workgroup, click on the workgroup name

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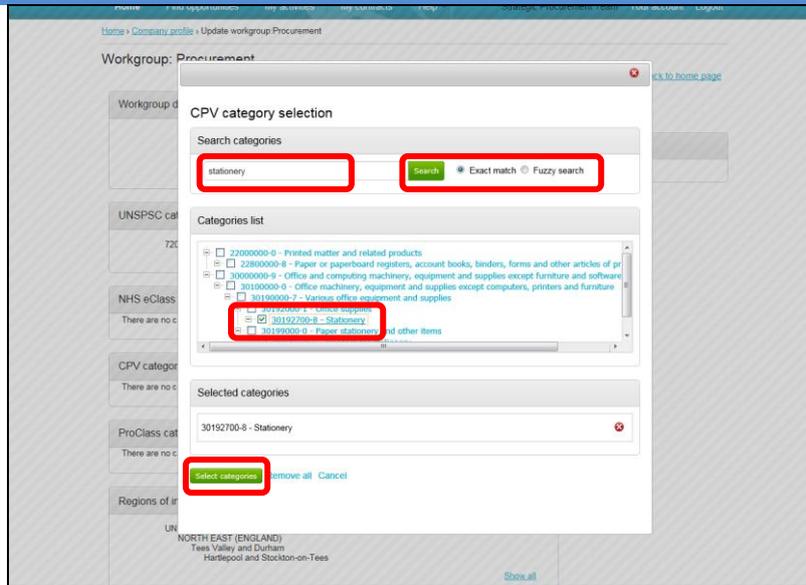
The screenshot shows a web application interface for setting preferences. The page title is "Workgroup: Procurement". The interface includes a navigation bar at the top with links like "Home", "Find opportunities", "My activities", "My contracts", "Help", "Strategic Procurement Team", "Your account", and "Logout". Below the navigation bar, there is a breadcrumb trail: "Home > Company profile > Update workgroup/Procurement". The main content area is titled "Workgroup: Procurement" and contains several sections, each with an "Edit" link:

- Workgroup details:** Shows "Workgroup name: Procurement", "Date created: 17/01/2013 14:01:46", and "Date updated: 14/03/2016 09:02:15".
- UNSPSC categories:** Shows "7200000 - Building and Facility Construction and Maintenance Services".
- NHS eClass categories:** Shows "There are no categories selected in this category set, click 'Edit' to add some".
- CPV categories:** Shows "There are no categories selected in this category set, click 'Edit' to add some". The "Edit" link is highlighted with a red box.
- ProClass categories:** Shows "There are no categories selected in this category set, click 'Edit' to add some".
- Regions of interest:** Shows "UNITED KINGDOM" and "NORTH EAST (ENGLAND)" with sub-categories "Tees Valley and Durham" and "Hull/Leeds and Stockton-on-Tees".

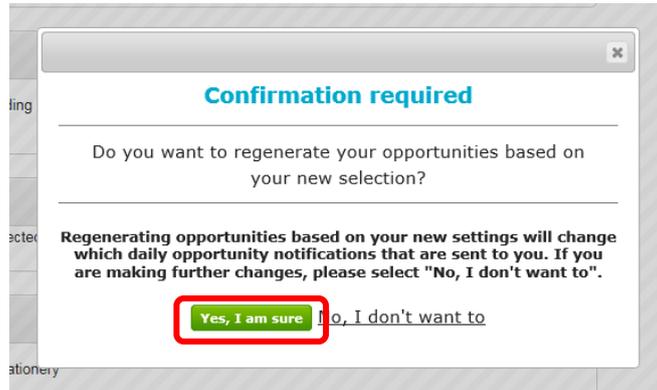
CPV categories and UNSPSC categories are classification systems for goods, services and works. Companies should add categories of goods, services or works that they supply using these classification systems.

When buying organisations are issuing contract opportunity adverts, they will select categories that relate to the goods, services and works that they are buying. Suppliers who have selected those classifications will receive an email notification as soon as the advert is published to ensure they do not miss opportunities

- k) This section is used to set the classification of goods, services or works that you supply as well as the area that you want to supply these goods, services and works. This is important as this will determine the notifications that you will receive through the system to only contracts you will be interested in supplying.
- l) You will need to set your classifications for goods, services or works in both the CPV categories and UNSPSC categories. Bournemouth Council issues notifications on CPV categories and so it is very important that you spend time ensuring that you select the correct and applicable CPV categories for your company so that you do not miss out on contract opportunities
- m) To select the classification of goods, services or works that your company supplies click 'Edit' next to CPV categories



- n) Within the search box, add the goods, services or works you supply
- o) Choose whether to search 'Exact Match' or 'Fuzzy'. Exact match will only return searches that meet exactly what you have added within the search box. Fuzzy searches will try a combination and return more options
- p) Click 'Search'
- q) Once you have clicked 'Search' it will return a list of categories that may be applicable. Select the categories that are applicable
- r) After selecting each category using the tick box, click on 'Select Categories'



- s) You will receive a notification asking you to confirm to update your opportunities
- t) Click 'Yes, I am sure'

Home | Update workgroup: Procurement

Workgroup: Procurement [-> Back to home page](#)

Workgroup details [Edit](#) [Disable workgroup](#)

Workgroup name: Procurement
Date created: 17/01/2013 14:01:46
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Audit history [View audit history](#)

UNSPSC categories [Edit](#)

7200000 - Building and Facility Construction and Maintenance Services

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There are no categories selected in this category set, click 'Edit' to add some

CPV categories [Edit](#)

30192700-8 - Stationery

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UNITED KINGDOM
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- u) You will also need to update your categories for UNSPSC codes as well. UNSPSC category codes are used by other public sector organisations outside of the South West authorities to issue notifications.
- v) To do this, select '*Edit*' and follow process 6P to 6V above

The screenshot displays the 'workgroup details' page. It includes the following sections:

- Workgroup details:** Workgroup name: Procurement; Date created: 17/01/2013 14:01:46; Date updated: 14/03/2016 16:26:52. Includes an 'Audit history' button and a 'View audit history' link.
- UNSPSC categories:** 72000000 - Building and Facility Construction and Maintenance Services. Includes an 'Edit' link.
- NHS eClass categories:** There are no categories selected in this category set, click "Edit" to add some. Includes an 'Edit' link.
- CPV categories:** 30192700-8 - Stationery. Includes an 'Edit' link.
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- Regions of interest:** UNITED KINGDOM, NORTH EAST (ENGLAND), Tees Valley and Durham, Hartlepool and Stockton-on-Tees. Includes a 'Show all' link and an 'Edit' link highlighted with a red box.

- w) You will then need to update the region of the UK that you are interested in supplying.
- x) It is important that this is updated to include the South West region as otherwise you will not receive notifications of contract opportunities from Bournemouth Borough Council
- y) Click 'Edit' next to Region of Interest

Region selection

Search regions

Enter the search criteria... Search Exact match Fuzzy search

Regions list

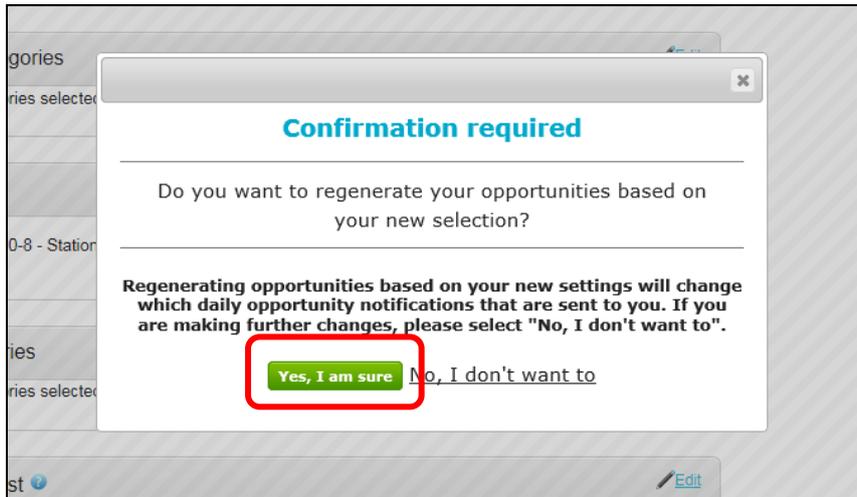
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Selected regions

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Select regions Remove all Cancel

- z) You can select to receive notifications to supply all regions of the UK by ticking the box 'UK – United Kingdom'
- aa) We recommend suppliers do this to ensure that no opportunities are missed.
- bb) If you find that you receive too many communications, you can return to this area and be more specific on the regions that you wish to supply by click on the plus icon next to UK – United Kingdom
- cc) Please note, in order to receive notifications from Bournemouth Borough Council, you must ensure that the South West region is selected.
- dd) To confirm the regions, click on '*Select regions*'



- ee) You will be required to confirm the selection. Click 'Yes, I am sure'
- ff) You have now updated your categories (CPV and UNSPSC) and your regional preferences. Opportunity notifications will be issued based on what you have set here so it is important to spend some time making sure the notifications are set correctly. You can refine or update your categories and regions at any time and suppliers are encouraged to continually monitor their preferences to ensure that they do not miss any notifications from the system for contract opportunities.



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Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes (Dersnet) - SUPPLY ONLY Social Housing Kitchens	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes Jersey - SUPPLY ONLY Bathroom Suites	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes - Kitchen And Bathroom Replacement Programme (INSTALL ONLY Framework for the construction of	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A

- c) If your company is not yet registered on Supplying the South West, click 'Register'. Follow the on screen instructions. Once you have been issued log in details, return to this page to login.
- d) If your company is already registered, click 'Login'

Log In

User Name

Password

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

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Welcome to ProContract

Already registered?
Simply enter your chosen username and password and click 'Continue'

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- e) Type in your login details and select 'Continue'
- f) If you are unsure of your login details, please contact Due North at ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com

The screenshot shows the ProContract interface on the Due North portal. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Find opportunities' (highlighted with a red box), 'My activities', 'My contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. Below the navigation bar, the 'Home page' section contains several panels: 'Activities' with a search filter and a 'Go' button; 'Opportunities' with a search instruction; 'Company details summary' for Bournemouth Borough Council; and 'Workgroups' with an 'Add new workgroup' button. The footer contains 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and a 'Secure Site' icon.

- Once you have logged in, you will then be taken to the Home Page
- To search for new opportunities, select '*Find Opportunities*'

The screenshot shows the 'Find Opportunities' page with the following elements:

- Navigation bar: Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, Logout.
- Breadcrumbs: Home > Find Opportunities
- Filter dropdown: All data
- Section: Opportunities
- Filter: Narrow your results
- Portals dropdown menu (highlighted with a red circle):
 - Supplying The South West
 - Advantage SW
 - Aston University Procurement Portal
 - Bank of England
 - Blackburn and Darwen Council Procurement Portal
 - Bristol City Council
 - Buckinghamshire Business Portal
 - Charities Aid Foundation Procurement Portal
 - Corwall County Council Procurement Portal
 - EastMids Tenders
 - Housing Procurement Portal
 - Hull and East Yorkshire Hospitals NHS Trust Procurement Portal
 - LGSS
 - London Tenders
 - NGC Corporation
 - Newcastle and Northumbria Universities
 - NHS Dorset Clinical Commissioning Group
 - Norse Group Limited
 - North Cumbria University Hospitals NHS Trust
 - Northumberland County Council
 - Northumbria Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust
 - NPL Procurement Portal
 - Plymouth Procurement Portal
 - Royal College of Physicians Portal
 - South East Business Portal
 - Spirit Pub Company
 - Supply Great Yarmouth
 - Supplying 2 NHS
 - Supplying the South West (highlighted)
 - The Chest
 - Worcestershire District Group
- Table of Opportunities:

	Buyer	Expression Start	Expression End	Estimated value
University of Integrated Community Services to Bath and North East Somerset Council	Bath and North East Somerset Council	01/03/2016	28/03/2016	£70,000,000.00
Major Surgery	NEL Commissioning Support Unit	25/02/2016	05/04/2016	£625,000.00
Tending	Somerset County Council	29/02/2016	14/03/2016	N/A
Public Golf Concession	London Borough of Enfield	04/03/2016	01/04/2016	£30,000.00
Elect - 6th April 2016	Gloucestershire County Council	11/03/2016	04/04/2016	N/A
Engagement Services	The Royal Borough of Kingston upon Thames	26/02/2016	30/03/2016	N/A
Print	Newcastle University	03/02/2016	17/03/2016	N/A
Medical Equipment	Newcastle University	04/03/2016	05/04/2016	N/A
Garage Doors	ONGO	02/03/2016	16/03/2016	N/A
Meat Products, Poultry and Game	ESPO	26/02/2016	15/06/2016	£4,000,000.00
- Published date filters: Start date, End date
- Buttons: Reset, Update (highlighted with a red box)

- c) To search for opportunities from Bournemouth Borough Council, select '*Supplying the South West*' from the Portals drop down box
- d) Then press '*Update*'

Home > Find Opportunities All data

Opportunities - Search results

Narrow your results

Portals: 1 2 3 4 5 ... 9 Next >

Organisations:

Published date: Start date End date

Opportunities	Buyer	Expression Start	Expression End	Estimated value
BaNE Prime Provider for the delivery of Integrated Community Services to NHS Bath and North East Somerset CCG and Bath & North East Somerset	Bath and North East Somerset Council	01/03/2016	28/03/2016	£70,000,000.00
Materials Sampling and Testing	Somerset County Council	29/02/2016	14/03/2016	N/A
Health Market Engagement Event - 6th April 2016	Gloucestershire County Council	11/03/2016	04/04/2016	N/A
Elmbridge Court Roundabout Improvements (A40 Elmbridge Court)	Gloucestershire County Council	01/03/2016	15/04/2016	N/A
ITT for the provision of a Support Solutions for Vulnerable Young People	Dorset County Council	12/02/2016	17/03/2016	£6,500,000.00
Extra Care Housing Project	Wiltshire Council	21/01/2016	01/04/2016	N/A
Inspection of Hackney Carriage and Private Hire Vehicles	North Somerset Council	03/03/2016	18/03/2016	N/A
Contract to run Northgate Primary School	Somerset County Council	04/03/2016	18/04/2016	N/A
Gramp Ponds, Parkend Slip Stabilisation	Gloucestershire County Council	02/03/2016	18/03/2016	N/A
2015 North - Infrastructure Design	Bath and North East Somerset Council	03/03/2016	08/04/2016	£370,000.00

- e) The screen will refresh and you will then be able to select '*Bournemouth Borough Council*' from the Organisations drop down box
- f) Select Bournemouth Borough Council and then select '*Update*'

The screenshot shows the ProContract website interface. The top navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic, Procurement, Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The main content area is titled 'Opportunities - Search results' and features a table of search results. The table has columns for 'Title', 'Buyer', 'Expression Start', 'Expression End', and 'Estimated value'. The opportunity 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' is highlighted with a red box.

Title	Buyer	Expression Start	Expression End	Estimated value
Bournemouth Hotel Training School Development on West Cliff, Bournemouth	Bournemouth Borough Council	01/02/2016	31/03/2016	N/A
Cheshire Drive (Open Space) Housing Development	Bournemouth Borough Council	24/02/2016	04/04/2016	N/A
Christmas Wonderland Experience 2017-2021	Bournemouth Borough Council	15/02/2016	24/03/2016	N/A
Concession Card Business Support and Development	Bournemouth Borough Council	25/02/2016	29/03/2016	£30,000.00
Demolition of Plinth and Kiosk, Manor Steps, Southbourne	Bournemouth Borough Council	07/03/2016	06/04/2016	N/A
Groundworks, Manor Steps, Southbourne	Bournemouth Borough Council	07/03/2016	06/04/2016	N/A
Management of the Early Years and Childrens Facility located within Kiosk & Play Area, Westover Gardens, Bournemouth	Bournemouth Borough Council	25/02/2016	14/03/2016	N/A
Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Bournemouth Borough Council	07/03/2016	08/04/2016	N/A
Riddington Grove Housing Development	Bournemouth Borough Council	05/02/2016	16/03/2016	N/A
Passenger Transport Framework	Bournemouth Borough Council	12/02/2016	18/03/2016	N/A

- g) The opportunities list will then update to show all of the contract opportunities that are currently available for Bournemouth Borough Council
- h) The list shows 10 opportunities at a time in alphabetical order. Therefore, if you do not see the contract opportunity that you are searching for in the initial list, please make sure you click 'next' to view the next page of opportunities available for Bournemouth Borough Council
- i) When you have identified the contract opportunity that you are interested in, click on the name of the contract which is hyperlinked in blue.
PLEASE NOTE: You can also search for opportunities with other local authorities using the search bar on the right

The screenshot displays the ProContract procurement portal interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. The main content area is titled "Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth".

Main contract details

- Opportunity Id: DN121905
- Title: Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth
- Categories: 55000000-0 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services
- Description: To respond to the tender you will need to ensure that your organisation is registered on this site in order to access the word and excel response documents, as the complete tender process will be undertaken electronically. You can only submit a response through this procurement portal [www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk](#) date of 30th April 2016. The kiosk structure is currently being manufactured so it is ready to be handed over to the operator on or around the 20th April 2016. The operator will be required to fit out and make operational the refreshment kiosk before the first May bank holiday weekend in 2016. [More...](#)
- Region(s) of supply: Bournemouth and Poole
- Estimated value: N/A
- Keywords: refreshments, Kiosk

Expression of interest window

From 07/03/2016 10:05 to 09/04/2016 14:00
[Register interest in this opportunity](#)

Contact details

Buyer: Bournemouth Borough Council
 Contact: Procurement Team
 Email: procurement@bournemouth.gov.uk
 Telephone: 01202 451417
 Fax: 01202 454889
 Address: Bournemouth Borough Council, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH2 6DY, United Kingdom

Attachments

- Appendix 1 - Specification advert.pdf (290 KB)
- Appendix 2 - Location and Pictures of Kiosk Site v1.00.pdf (1 MB)
- Appendix 3 - Westover Kiosk Design Specification v1.00.pdf (1014 KB)
- ITT - Supplier Information - Westover (549 KB)

Key dates

Estimated contract dates
 Start date: 22/04/2016
 End date: 08/11/2022

- j) You will then be able to view the advert for the contract opportunity.
- k) The 'Description' provides you with an overview of the opportunity. You can click 'more...' to see the full description provided for the contract.
- l) The deadline for submitting your response to the tender opportunity is shown in the top right of the screen. **Please note that this is not just a deadline for expressing an interest, but is the deadline for when your response must be completed and submitted through the system.**

- m) In order for transparency, the tender document can be viewed as READ-ONLY within the attachments section of the advert. Please note that these documents are READ-ONLY and are there only to provide you with an overview of what the requirements for the contract are.

DO NOT COMPLETE THESE DOCUMENTS. PLEASE TREAT THESE DOCUMENTS AS READ-ONLY.

- n) TO ACCESS THE FULL TENDER DOCUMENTS THAT ARE TO BE COMPLETED, please select '*Register interest in this opportunity*' and follow the guide 'How to Access Tender Documents through Supplying the South West'.

Please note, any response to a tender must be submitted through the portal. The Council will not accept any tender submissions that are received by e-mail or hard copy in the post. The Council will also not accept any submissions that include completed Watermarked 'Read-Only' documents.



ProContract Step By Step

3. How to Access Tender Documents Through Supplying the South West

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Accessing the Tender Document for a Contract Opportunity

- a) To access the tender documents for an opportunity, you must login to the system and follow the below instructions.
- b) **DO NOT COMPLETE THE TENDER DOCUMENTS THAT ARE SHOWN IN THE ATTACHMENTS SECTION OF THE ADVERT.** These documents are **Read-Only** and should be used to identify quickly whether this is an opportunity you are interested in.
- c) If you wish to submit a response, you must access the tender documents to be completed by following the below instructions:

The screenshot displays the ProContract website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. Below this, a breadcrumb trail reads: Home > Find opportunities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth. The main content area is titled 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' and includes a 'Return to find opportunities' link. The page is divided into several sections:

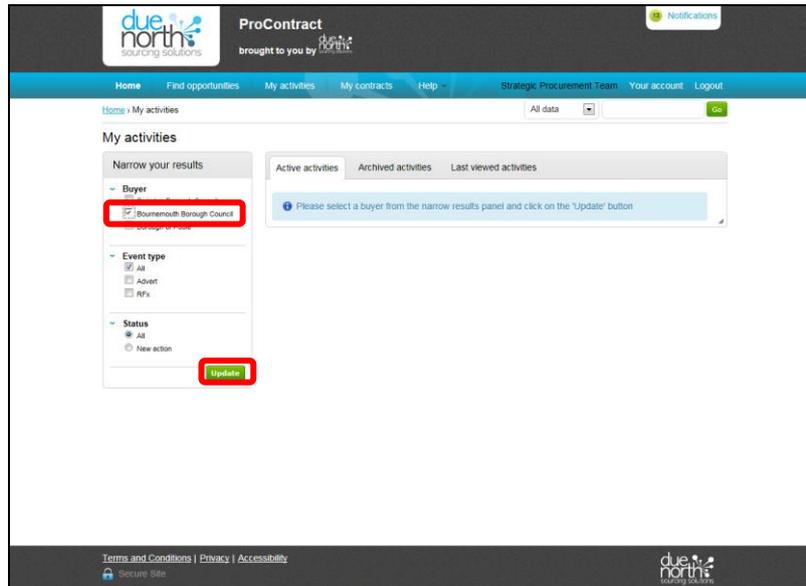
- Main contract details:**
 - Opportunity Id: DN121905
 - Title: Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth
 - Categories: 55000000-0 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services
 - Description: To respond to the tender you will need to ensure that your organisation is registered on this site in order to access the word and excel response documents, as the complete tender process will be undertaken electronically. You can only submit a response through this procurement portal www.supplying_southwest.org.uk date of 30th April 2016. The kiosk structure is currently being manufactured so it is ready to be handed over to the operator on or around the 20th April 2016. The operator will be required to fit out and make operational the refreshment kiosk before the first May bank holiday weekend in 2016.
 - Region(s) of supply: Bournemouth and Poole
 - Estimated value: N/A
 - Keywords: refreshments, Kiosk
- Expression of interest window:**
 - From 07/03/2016 10:09 to 09/04/2016 14:00
 - Register interest in this opportunity (highlighted with a red box)
- Contact details:**
 - Buyer: Bournemouth Borough Council
 - Contact: Procurement Team
 - Email: procurement@bournemouth.gov.uk
 - Telephone: 01202 451417
 - Fax: 01202 454889
 - Address: Bournemouth Borough Council, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH2 6DY, United Kingdom
- Attachments:**
 - Appendix 1 - Specification advert.pdf (290 KB)
 - Appendix 2 - Location and Pictures of Kiosk Site v1.00.pdf (1 MB)
 - Appendix 3 - Westover Kiosk Design Specification v1.00.pdf (1014 KB)
 - ITT - Supplier Information - Westover (549)
- Key dates:**
 - Estimated contract dates: Start date 22/04/2016, End date 08/11/2022

- d) From the advert of the contract opportunity you want to express an interest in, select '*Register interest in this opportunity*'
- e) Please note, if you are not logged in, the button will say '*Login and register interest in this opportunity*'. You will need to login to be able to access the tender documents. If you do not yet have login details, you will need to register your company with the site. Please see the guide '*How to Register on Supplying the South West*'
- f) If you are unsure of your login details, please contact Due North on ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com

The screenshot shows the ProContract procurement portal. The navigation menu at the top includes 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities' (highlighted with a red box), 'My contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The main content area displays the following details for the contract opportunity:

- Main contract details:**
 - Opportunity Id: DN121805
 - Title: Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth
 - Categories: 55000000-0 - Hotel, restaurant and retail trade services
 - Description: To respond to the tender you will need to ensure that your organisation is registered on this site in order to access the word and excel response documents, as the complete tender process will be undertaken electronically. You can only submit a response through this procurement portal www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk date of 30th April 2016. The kiosk structure is currently being manufactured so it is ready to be handed over to the operator on or around the 20th April 2016. The operator will be required to fit out and make operational the refreshment kiosk before the first May bank holiday weekend in 2016.
 - Region(s) of supply: Bournemouth and Poole
 - Estimated value: N/A
 - Keywords: refreshments, Kiosk
- Key dates:**
 - Estimated contract dates: Start date: 22/04/2016, End date: 08/11/2022
- Expression of interest registered:**
 - Date: 14/03/2016 11:41:48
 - Workgroup: Procurement
- Expression of interest window:**
 - From: 07/03/2016 10:09 to 08/04/2016 14:00
 - Register interest in this opportunity
- Contact details:**
 - Buyer: Bournemouth Borough Council
 - Contact: Procurement Team
 - Email: procurement@bournemouth.gov.uk
 - Telephone: 01202 454417
 - Fax: 01202 454889
 - Address: Bournemouth Borough Council, Bournemouth, Dorset, BH2 8DY, United Kingdom
- Attachments:**
 - Appendix 1 - Specification advert.pdf (290 KB)

- g) Once you have selected '*Register interest in this opportunity*' the screen will refresh
- h) The option to '*Register interest in this opportunity*' will now be greyed out.
- i) The system will also show the exact date and time you expressed an interest.
- j) **Now that you have expressed an interest, the tender documents are automatically available for you to view and download. Please note, you will not be sent the tender documents by e-mail or notification. You must use the system to view and download them as they are automatically available.**
- k) To download the tender documents that need to be completed, click on '*My Activities*'



- l) When you are in the 'My Activities' area, you will be able to view contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in. The page will automatically default to the tab 'Active Activities'
- m) To view Bournemouth Borough Council contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in, select the tick box next to 'Bournemouth Borough Council'
- n) Then click 'Update'

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the following links: Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, and Help. Below the navigation bar, the page title is "My activities". On the left side, there is a "Narrow your results" sidebar with the following filters:

- Buyer:**
 - Swindon Borough Council
 - Bournemouth Borough Council
 - Borough of Poole
- Event type:**
 - Advert
 - RFx
- Status:**
 - all
 - New action

At the bottom of the sidebar is an "Update" button. The main content area shows a table of activities with the following columns: Boyer, Title, Current event, and Event deadline. The table lists three items:

Boyer	Title	Current event	Event deadline
Bournemouth Borough Council	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	23/02/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Associated Items	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Other Associated Items	30/03/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	Operation of a New Refreshment kiosk in Westover Gardens and of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Operation of a New Refreshment kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	08/04/2016

The second item, "Operation of a New Refreshment kiosk in Westover Gardens and of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth", is highlighted with a red box.

- o) You will then see a list of the active opportunities that you have expressed an interest in with Bournemouth Borough Council
- p) To view the tender documents that you need to review and complete, select the blue hyperlink of the relevant contract opportunity.

The screenshot displays the ProContract procurement portal interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. The main content area shows the breadcrumb trail: Home > My activities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth. Below this, the activity title is repeated: Activity : Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth. A section titled 'Events' contains a table of activity events. The first event is 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth', with a status of 'Expression of interest accepted' and a 'View details | Open' link. The second event is 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth', with a status of 'Not started (Respond by: 08/04/2016)' and a 'View details | Start' link. A red box highlights the title and description of this second event. To the right of the events table, there is a sidebar with the Bournemouth Forever Council logo and a 'Messaging' section indicating 0 unread messages.

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Home Find opportunities My activities My contracts Help Strategic Procurement Team Your account Logout

Home > My activities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth

Activity : Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth [Back to home page](#)

Events

Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Expression of interest accepted	View details Open
Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Not started (Respond by: 08/04/2016)	View details Start

Interest start date: 07/03/2016 10:09
Interest end date: 08/04/2016 14:00
Expressed interest on: 14/03/2016 11:41

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Archive this activity

Messaging
You have 0 unread message(s).
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Audit history
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- q) To view the tender documents, click on the hyperlink of the contract name for the event that is showing as Not Started and has a 'Respond by' date next to it.

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there are logos for 'due north' and 'ProContract'. Below the header, there are navigation tabs: 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Tools', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The main content area shows details for a contract opportunity: 'Boumemouth Borough Council - RFQ 110609'. A 'Mail details' section contains the title 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Boumemouth', a 'Respond by' date of '08 April 2016 14:00:00', and a description of the kiosk operation. A 'Time remaining' section shows a countdown of '25:14:41'. An 'Attachments' section lists several documents: 'Appendix 1 - Specification v0.02.docx' (821 KB), 'Appendix 2 - Location and Pictures of Kiosk Site v1.00.docx' (4 MB), 'Appendix 3 - Westover Kiosk Design Specification v1.00.pdf' (1014 KB), 'ITT - Supplier Information - Westover Kiosk v0.01.docx' (100 KB), 'ITT - Supplier Response - Westover Kiosk v0.01.docx' (75 KB), and 'Pricing Schedule - Westover Kiosk v0.02.xlsx' (12 KB). A 'Messaging' section indicates 'You have 0 unread messages'. A vertical scroll bar is visible on the right side of the page.

- r) From this page you are able to view the tender documents. Please ensure that you download all of the tender documents and review the requirements. Use the scroll bar on the right to ensure you view all of the tender documents.
- s) The tender documents should be downloaded and completed on your own computer
- t) The documents should be completed and re-uploaded through the system before the deadline shown on the system. There is a tender submission deadline countdown in the top right hand corner of the screen
- u) Please follow the guide 'How to Submit A Response' when you are ready to submit
- v) Please do not leave submitting your response until the last minute as you will be unable to submit your response after the deadline date and time shown on the system for that contract opportunity.



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4. How to Ask a Question on a Procurement through Supplying the South West

Navigation

- Home
- Search Latest Opportunities
- Contract Register
- Authorities
- Suppliers' Login**
- Buyers' Login

Useful Links

- Help and Guidance
- CPV Codes
- Crown Commercial Services
- TED - Tenders Electronic Daily

Welcome to Supplying the South West Portal

This portal provides a user friendly, intuitive process to advertise all open tenders and quotation opportunities for councils in the South West. The procurement portal is FREE to join for businesses and offers the following advantages:-

- Immediate access to current business opportunities
- Receive email notifications on business opportunities that are align with your company
- Reduces costs as the process is online
- You are in control of your tender submission and not reliant on a third party courier or postal service
- Submissions can be completed electronically rather than hand written
- Submissions can be amended up until the closing date and time

[Register now](#) >

Once your company has registered you need to add the domain @due-north.com to your safe senders list to ensure that you receive all email alerts

- Go to www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk
- Click on 'Suppliers Login'

Home page

News and announcements

Welcome to the new version of ProContract

As the market leader in the public sector Due-North has a wealth of procurement expertise, and now our systems functionality has been further improved with the introduction of ProContract Version 3.

If you are a current registered supplier and this is the first time you are visiting the site your details have been automatically transferred, however for security and account validation you will be required to reset your password and follow the instructions below:

[Migrated user instructions](#)

New to portal

Free registration

Register **Login**

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

Useful links

[Contracts register](#) >

[Help](#) >

Current opportunities [Find opportunities](#)

Shown below is a list of the latest current opportunities

Opportunities	Recently added								
Buyer	Title	Start date	End date	Estimated value					
Advantage South West	Supply of Kitchen Units and Associated Items	10/03/2016 12:00:00	10/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A					
Advantage South West	Provision of Legionella Services and associated services	11/03/2016 09:00:00	15/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A					
Advantage South West	Servicing of Domestic Lifting Equipment and associated services and supplies	14/03/2016 08:00:00	19/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes (Dorset) - SUPPLY ONLY Social Housing Kitchens	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes Jersey - SUPPLY ONLY Bathroom Suites	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes - Kitchen And Bathroom Replacement Programme - INSTALL ONLY Framework for the construction of	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A					

- c) If your company is not yet registered on Supplying the South West, click 'Register'. Follow the on screen instructions. Once you have been issued log in details, return to this page to login.
- d) If your company is already registered, click 'Login'

Log In

User Name

Password

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

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Welcome to ProContract

Already registered?
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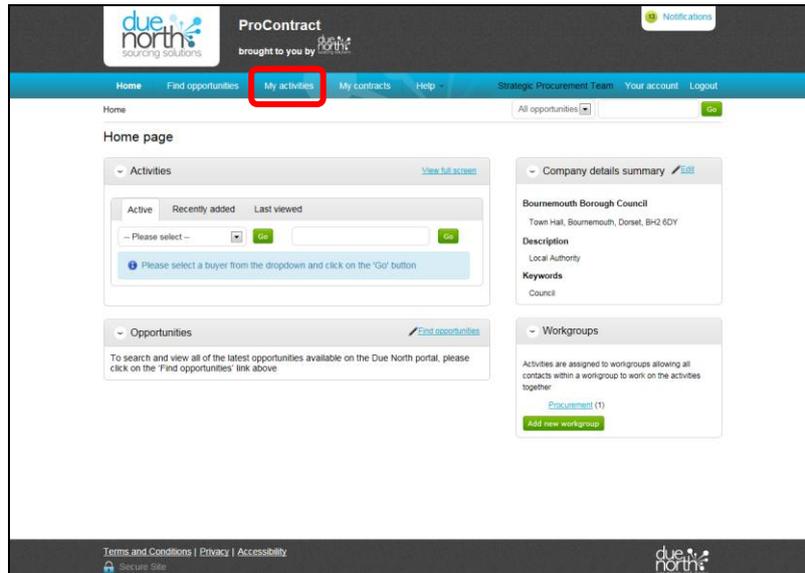
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- e) Type in your login details and select '*Continue*'
- f) If you are unsure of your login details, please contact Due North at ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com



- a) Once you are logged in, you will need to navigate to the contract opportunity that you want to ask a question for.
- b) To do this, select 'My Activities'

The screenshot displays the 'My activities' section of the ProContract interface. On the left, a 'Narrow your results' panel is visible, containing three filter sections: 'Buyer', 'Event type', and 'Status'. Under 'Buyer', 'Bournemouth Borough Council' is selected, indicated by a red box around the tick box. Under 'Event type', 'All' is selected. Under 'Status', 'All' is selected. A red box also highlights the 'Update' button at the bottom of the filter panel. To the right of the filter panel, a message box states: 'Please select a buyer from the narrow results panel and click on the 'Update' button'. The page header includes the 'due north Sourcing Solutions' logo and 'ProContract brought to you by due north Sourcing Solutions'. The navigation bar includes 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My Contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The footer includes 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility', 'Secure Site', and the 'due north Sourcing Solutions' logo.

- c) When you are in the 'My Activities' area, you will be able to view contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in. The page will automatically default to the tab 'Active Activities'
- d) To view Bournemouth Borough Council contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in, select the tick box next to 'Bournemouth Borough Council'
- e) Then click 'Update'

The screenshot shows the ProContract website interface. The main content area is titled 'My activities' and displays a table of activities. The table has columns for 'Buyer', 'Title', 'Current event', and 'Event deadline'. The third row is highlighted with a red box, indicating the selected activity.

Buyer	Title	Current event	Event deadline
Bournemouth Borough Council	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	23/02/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Associated Items	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Other Associated Items	30/03/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	08/04/2016

- f) You will then see a list of the active opportunities that you have expressed an interest in with Bournemouth Borough Council
- g) Select the blue hyperlink of the relevant contract opportunity that you wish to ask a question for.

The screenshot displays the ProContract procurement portal interface. At the top, there are logos for 'supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk Procurement Portal', 'ProContract brought to you by due north', and a 'Notifications' button. A navigation bar includes links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. The main content area shows the breadcrumb 'Home > My activities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth'. Below this, the activity title is 'Activity : Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' with a 'Back to home page' link. A table of events is shown, with the first entry 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' having an 'Expression of interest accepted' status. This entry includes dates for interest start and end, and an expressed interest date. The second entry is 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' with a 'Not started' status. On the right side, there is a 'Bournemouth BOROUGH COUNCIL' logo and the tagline 'Building a Better Bournemouth'. Below this, there is a 'Messaging' section highlighted with a red box, which contains the text 'You have 0 unread message(s)' and a 'View messages' link. There is also an 'Audit history' section with a 'View audit history' link. At the bottom, there are links for 'Terms and Conditions', 'Privacy', and 'Accessibility', along with a 'Secure Site' icon and the 'due north' logo.

h) Click on 'View Messages'

The screenshot shows the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a dark header with the 'due north sourcing solutions' logo and 'ProContract brought to you by due north'. A 'Notifications' icon is in the top right. Below the header is a blue navigation bar with links for 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My contracts', and 'Help'. The user is logged in as 'supplier_sw_55 User' and has links for 'Your account' and 'Logout'. The main content area is titled 'Messages for Supply of Water Bottles' and includes a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Messaging'. A 'Return to previous page' link is also present. On the left, there is a 'Narrow your results' sidebar with a 'Read Status' section containing radio buttons for 'All' (selected), 'Read', and 'Unread'. Below this are 'Start date' and 'End date' input fields with 'Reset' and 'Update' buttons. The main 'Inbox' area has a 'Create new message' button highlighted with a red rectangle, a '--Actions--' dropdown menu, and a 'Go' button. Below the inbox, it states 'There is no data available.'

i) Select 'Create New Message'

The screenshot shows the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the ProContract logo and the text 'brought to you by due north sourcing solutions'. Below the navigation bar, there are several tabs: Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, and Help. The user is logged in as 'supplier_sw_55 User' and has options for 'Your account' and 'Logout'. The main content area displays a 'New message' form. The form has the following fields and content:

- To:** Project team
- Subject:** Specification Point 12.6
- Attachments:** (empty)
- Message body:** Hi
Please can you confirm what you mean by specification point 12.6
Kind Regards
Company A

At the bottom of the form, there are two buttons: 'Send message' (highlighted in green) and 'Cancel'.

- j) Add a Subject within the Subject Field
- k) Add your Question within the Main Text Field
- l) If required you can add an attachment using the 'Attachments' section
- m) Click 'Send Message'
- n) This message has now been sent directly to the Project Team

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Viewing Messages and Responding to Messages

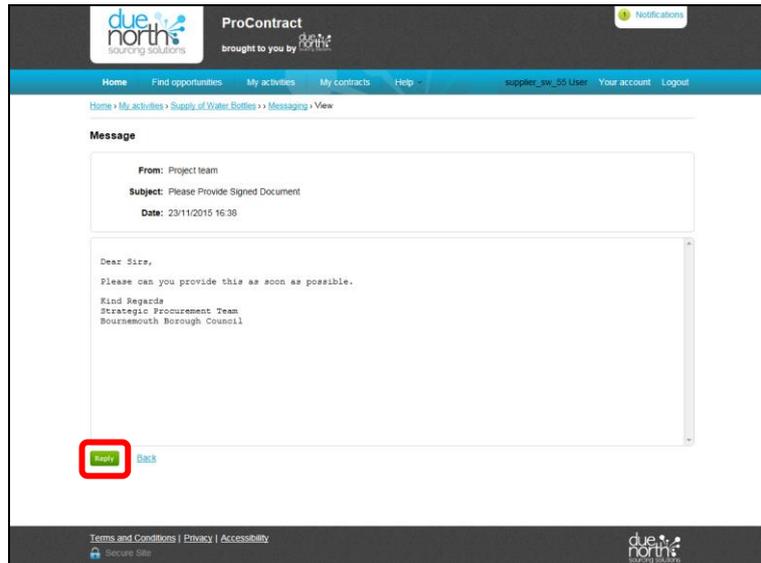
The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'due north sourcing solutions' logo and the text 'ProContract brought to you by due north sourcing solutions'. A 'Notifications' button is visible in the top right corner. Below the navigation bar, there is a breadcrumb trail: 'Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Messaging'. A search bar contains 'All data' and a 'Go' button. The main content area is titled 'Messages for Supply of Water Bottles' and includes a 'Return to previous page' link. On the left, there is a 'Narrow your results' section with a 'Read Status' filter set to 'All'. The main inbox area shows a table of messages. The second message, with reference number '2.1' and subject 'Please Provide Signed Document', is highlighted with a red box. The table columns are 'Ref No', 'Subject', 'From', and 'Date'. The first message is from 'supplier_sw_55 company_sw_55' dated '10/11/2015 16:30'. The second message is from 'Project team' dated '23/11/2015 16:38'.

Ref No	Subject	From	Date
1.1	Specification Point 12.6	supplier_sw_55 company_sw_55	10/11/2015 16:30
2.1	Please Provide Signed Document	Project team	23/11/2015 16:38

- If you receive any notifications regarding a message being issued, you will be able to review these within the Messaging area.
- When you receive a notification, you can follow the hyperlink in the e-mail and it will take you directly to the message that has been published
- Click on the hyperlink to read messages that have been issued through ProContract

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Viewing Messages and Responding to Messages



d) You can use the 'Reply' button to respond to any messages you receive where appropriate.



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5. How to Submit your Response through Supplying the South West

Navigation

- Home
- Search Latest Opportunities
- Contract Register
- Authorities
- Suppliers' Login**
- Buyers' Login

Useful Links

- Help and Guidance
- CPV Codes
- Crown Commercial Services
- TED - Tenders Electronic Daily

Welcome to Supplying the South West Portal

This portal provides a user friendly, intuitive process to advertise all open tenders and quotation opportunities for councils in the South West. The procurement portal is FREE to join for businesses and offers the following advantages:-

- Immediate access to current business opportunities
- Receive email notifications on business opportunities that are align with your company
- Reduces costs as the process is online
- You are in control of your tender submission and not reliant on a third party courier or postal service
- Submissions can be completed electronically rather than hand written
- Submissions can be amended up until the closing date and time

[Register now >](#)

Once your company has registered you need to add the domain [@due-north.com](#) to your safe senders list to ensure that you receive all email alerts

- Go to www.supplyingthesouthwest.org.uk
- Click on 'Suppliers Login'

Home page

News and announcements

Welcome to the new version of ProContract

As the market leader in the public sector Due-North has a wealth of procurement expertise, and now our systems functionality has been further improved with the introduction of ProContract Version 3.

If you are a current registered supplier and this is the first time you are visiting the site your details have been automatically transferred, however for security and account validation you will be required to reset your password and follow the instructions below:

[Migrated user instructions](#)

New to portal

Free registration

Register **Login**

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

Useful links

[Contracts register](#) >

[Help](#) >

Current opportunities [Find opportunities](#)

Shown below is a list of the latest current opportunities

Opportunities	Recently added			
1	2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ... 45 46 Next >			
Buyer	Title	Start date	End date	Estimated value
Advantage South West	Supply of Kitchen Units and Associated Items	10/03/2016 12:00:00	10/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A
Advantage South West	Provision of Legionella Services and associated services	11/03/2016 09:00:00	15/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A
Advantage South West	Servicing of Domestic Lifting Equipment and associated services and spares	14/03/2016 08:00:00	19/04/2016 10:00:00	N/A
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes (Dersnet) - SUPPLY ONLY Social Housing Kitchens	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes Jersey - SUPPLY ONLY Bathroom Suites	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A
Andium Homes Limited	Andium Homes - Kitchen And Bathroom Replacement Programme - INSTALL ONLY Framework for the construction of	10/03/2016 17:00:00	25/03/2016 12:00:00	N/A

- c) If your company is not yet registered on Supplying the South West, click 'Register'. Follow the on screen instructions. Once you have been issued log in details, return to this page to login.
- d) If your company is already registered, click 'Login'

Log In

User Name

Password

[Forgotten your username or password?](#)

Welcome to ProContract

Already registered?
Simply enter your chosen username and password and click 'Continue'

New to ProContract?
Suppliers - If you are not currently registered on the ProContract procurement portal, you can complete a simple registration process by clicking the following link - [Register free](#)

Migrated from ProContract Version 2?
If you are currently registered with a ProContract Version 2 procurement portal and the procurement portal has migrated to Version 3 your details have been automatically transferred, however for security and account validation you will be required to reset your password by following the instructions outlined in the following link - [First time login following migration](#)

Still need help?
Please visit the [help center](#) where you can access an extensive help library, FAQ's, videos and guides

[Terms and Conditions](#) | [Privacy](#) | [Accessibility](#)

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- e) Type in your login details and select 'Continue'
- f) If you are unsure of your login details, please contact Due North at ProContractSuppliers@proactis.com

Find the Contract you want to Submit a Response for

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, the 'due north' logo is on the left, and 'ProContract brought to you by' is on the right. A navigation bar contains links for 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities' (highlighted with a red box), 'My Contracts', and 'Help'. On the right side of the navigation bar, there are links for 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. Below the navigation bar, the 'Home page' is visible, featuring several sections: 'Activities' with a search filter and a 'Go' button, 'Opportunities' with a search instruction, 'Company details summary' for 'Bournemouth Borough Council', and 'Workgroups' with an 'Add new workgroup' button. The footer contains 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and a 'Secure Site' icon.

- Once you are logged in, you will need to navigate to the contract opportunity that you are submitting a response for.
- To do this, select 'My Activities'

The screenshot shows the 'My activities' page in the ProContract system. The page is titled 'My activities' and has a navigation bar with 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My Contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The 'My activities' section is active, and the 'Active activities' tab is selected. The 'Narrow your results' panel is open, showing filters for Buyer, Event type, and Status. The 'Buyer' filter is expanded, and 'Bournemouth Borough Council' is selected with a red box around the tick box. A red box also highlights the 'Update' button at the bottom of the filter panel. A message box on the right says 'Please select a buyer from the narrow results panel and click on the 'Update' button'. The page footer includes 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and 'Secure Site'.

- c) When you are in the 'My Activities' area, you will be able to view contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in. The page will automatically default to the tab 'Active Activities'
- d) To view Bournemouth Borough Council contract opportunities that you have expressed an interest in, select the tick box next to 'Bournemouth Borough Council'
- e) Then click 'Update'

Find the Contract you want to Submit a Response for (Continued)

The screenshot shows the ProContract interface for a user logged in as 'Strategic Procurement Team'. The main content area is titled 'My activities' and displays a table of activities. The table has columns for 'Buyer', 'Title', 'Current event', and 'Event deadline'. The activities listed are:

Buyer	Title	Current event	Event deadline
Bournemouth Borough Council	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	Provision of a Cafe in the Sunken Area in Bournemouth Station Roundabout (the Bear Pit)	23/02/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Associated Items	The Supply of Roofing Materials, Underlay, Tiles and Other Associated Items	30/03/2016
Bournemouth Borough Council	Operation of a New Refurbishment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	Operation of a New Refurbishment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth	08/04/2016

The third row, 'Operation of a New Refurbishment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth', is highlighted with a red box. The interface also includes a 'Narrow your results' sidebar on the left with filters for Buyer, Event type, and Status, and a 'Go' button at the top right.

- f) You will then see a list of the active opportunities that you have expressed an interest in with Bournemouth Borough Council
- g) Select the blue hyperlink of the relevant contract opportunity that you wish to submit a response for.

The screenshot displays the ProContract procurement portal interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, Strategic Procurement Team, Your account, and Logout. The main content area shows the activity details for 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth'. Below this, there is a list of events. The first event is 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' with a status of 'Expression of interest accepted'. The second event is 'Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth' with a status of 'Not started (Respond by: 08/04/2016)'. This second event is highlighted with a red box. The right sidebar contains a Bournemouth Borough Council logo and links for Messaging and Audit history.

- h) The system will show a few 'events'. You will need to select the latest event which will be at the bottom of the list and will either show as 'Not Started' or 'In Progress'
- i) Click on the hyperlink of the contract name that you want to submit a response for.

The screenshot shows the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the 'due north' logo, 'ProContract' branding, and a 'Notifications' icon. Below this is a secondary navigation bar with links for 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My contracts', 'Help', 'supplier_sw_55 User', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The main content area displays details for a procurement opportunity titled 'Bournemouth Borough Council - RFQ' with ID '5135155'. It includes sections for 'Main details' (with title, description, and response deadline), 'Attachments' (listing 'Invitation to Quote' and 'Pricing Schedule' files), and 'Terms & conditions'. On the right side, there is a 'Time remaining' counter showing 2 days, 21 hours, 17 minutes, and 32 seconds. Below that is a 'Messaging' section with a 'View messages' link. The 'Response controls' section contains a prominent green button labeled 'Start my response', which is highlighted with a red rectangle. Other options in this section include 'Request email to respond' and 'No longer wish to respond'. At the bottom, there is a 'My responses' section indicating that the user has not yet started their response. The footer contains links for 'Terms and Conditions', 'Privacy', 'Accessibility', and 'Secure Site', along with the 'due north' logo.

a) To begin submitting your response, click 'Start my Response'

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Notifications

Home Find opportunities My activities My contracts Help supplier_sw_55 User Your account Logout

Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles > Create RFQ response

Create RFQ response

1 Details 2 Additional information 3 Attachments 4 Terms & conditions

Response reference: 105861542

Welcome to the RFQ response wizard.

The wizard will assist you with the completion of your response.

You will be presented with a number of different steps to complete. Once each step has been completed you can click the 'Continue' button to proceed to the next step, or 'Back' to return to the prior step or 'Cancel' to exit the wizard.

After the completion of each step, the response information entered will be saved as a draft, which will allow you to resume the response at a later date if required.

Once all the steps have been completed and all mandatory response criteria have been met, you will be asked if you wish to submit your response.

If you agree to submit your response, you will receive a confirmation receipt email. Please note, if you do not receive the confirmation email please contact support as you cannot be guaranteed that your response has been received.

Continue Back Cancel

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- b) You will then be taken to the Response Wizard
- c) Read the guidance and click '*Continue*'

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Notifications

Home Find opportunities My activities My contracts Help supplier_sw_55 User Your account Logout

Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles > Create RFQ response

Create RFQ response

Details Additional information 3 Attachments 4 Terms & conditions

Supplier reference (optional)

Water Bottles Response

Response information (optional)

Please find attached our response for your Water Bottles Tender

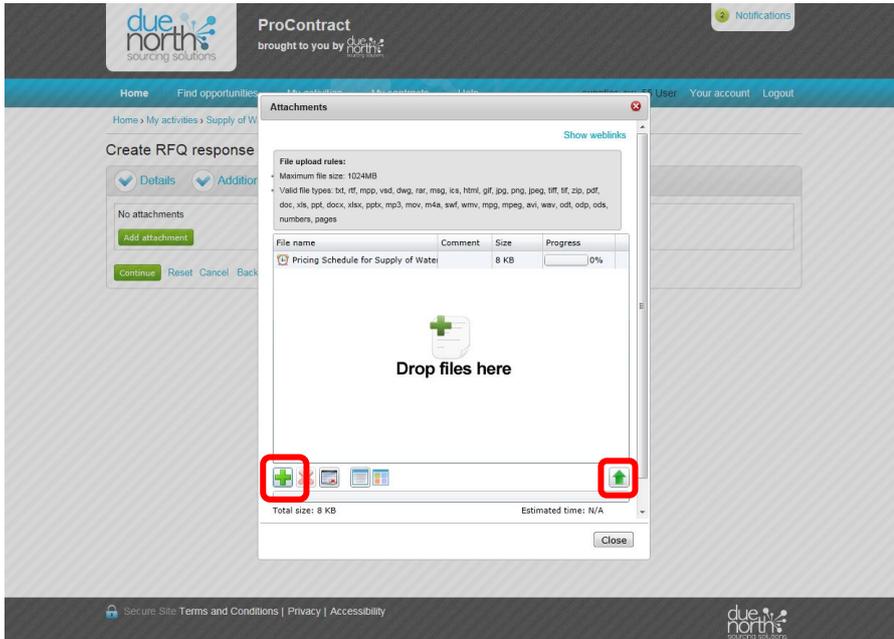
Additional comments (optional)

Continue Reset Cancel Back

- d) Add a Supplier Reference for your Response. This is optional but it may be that your company has a reference number for tenders that you submit responses for. If you do not have a reference, please leave blank
- e) Add any details you may want to within Response Information. Again, this is optional.
- f) Click 'Continue'

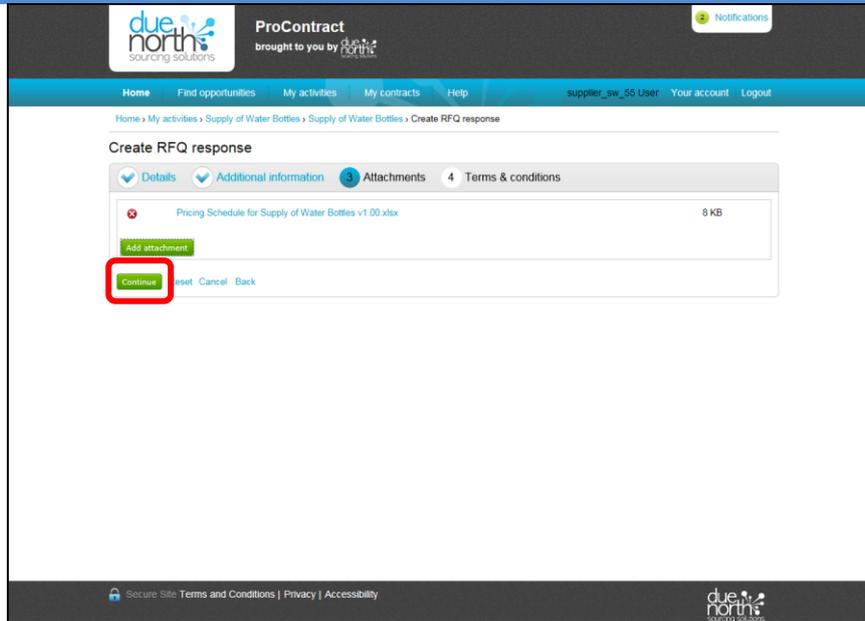
The screenshot shows the 'Create RFQ response' page in the ProContract system. The breadcrumb trail is: Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles > Create RFQ response. The page has a progress bar with four steps: 1. Details, 2. Additional information, 3. Attachments (highlighted with a blue circle), and 4. Terms & conditions. Below the progress bar, it says 'No attachments'. A red box highlights the 'Add attachment' button. Below this button are links for 'Continue', 'Reset', 'Cancel', and 'Back'. The footer contains 'Secure Site Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and the 'due north sourcing solutions' logo.

- g) You will now need to upload and attach your completed tender documents to the system that form your submission
- h) To do this, select 'Add Attachment'



TIP:
Ensure that you upload all of the documents that you are requested to complete and submit as part of your tender response.

- i) You can either drag files into the box that says 'Drop files here' or you can select them from your local hard drives by selecting the plus icon
- j) Once you have selected all of the documents that you want to submit as part of your response, select the up arrow icon in the bottom right to upload the documents to the system



- k) You will then be returned to the response screen where it will show all of the attachments that you have just uploaded.
- l) Ensure that all the attachments that you want and are required to submit as part of your response are shown in this list
- m) When you are happy that all of the documents that you wish to submit are shown in the above list, please press the 'Continue' button

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Notifications

Home Find opportunities My activities My contracts Help supplier_sw_55 User Your account Logout

Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles > Create RFQ response

Create RFQ response

Details Additional information Attachments 4 Terms & conditions

Please follow the link to read the terms and conditions
Standard Goods and Services Terms and Conditions

Accept
 Decline

Finish Reset Cancel Back

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- n) Review the Terms and Conditions that will form the contract
- o) If you are happy to accept the terms, choose the radio button next to 'Accept'
- p) If you are not happy to accept the terms, choose the radio button next to 'Decline'. If you choose 'Decline' you will be required to provide detail of why you decline the Terms and Conditions
- q) Click 'Finish'

The screenshot displays the ProContract web interface. At the top, the 'due north' logo is visible, along with the text 'ProContract brought to you by due north'. The navigation bar includes links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, Help, and user information (supplier_sw_55 User, Your account, Logout). The breadcrumb trail shows 'Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles'. The main content area shows a response draft with ID 105981542. The 'Terms & conditions' section is highlighted with a red box, containing 'Accept' and 'Decline' buttons. The 'Attachments' section shows a file named 'Pricing Schedule for Supply of Water Bottles v1.00.xlsx' (8 KB) with an 'Add attachment' button. The right sidebar contains a 'Time remaining' section (2 Days, 20 Hours, 49 Minutes, 27 Seconds), a 'Response controls' section with 'Submit response' and 'Open response wizard' buttons, and a 'Submission checklist' with 'Terms & conditions' (red) and 'Attachments' (green) items. An 'Audit history' section with a 'View audit history' link is also present.

- r) You will then be taken to a Summary screen
- s) In some cases you may need to accept the terms and conditions again. To do this, press either accept or decline

The screenshot displays the ProContract interface for a response submission. The main content area is titled 'My response' with ID 105861542 and a 'Draft' status. It features three main sections: 'Additional information' with a 'Supplier reference' field; 'Terms & conditions' which are marked as 'Accepted' with a 'Decline' option; and 'Attachments' with one file named 'Pricing Schedule for Supply of Water Bottles v1.00.xlsx' (8 KB) and an 'Add attachment' button. On the right side, there is a 'Time remaining' section showing a deadline of 13 November 2015 14:00:00, with a progress bar indicating 2 days, 20 hours, 45 minutes, and 19 seconds left. Below this is a 'Response controls' section containing a 'Submit response' button (highlighted with a red box) and a 'Submission checklist' (highlighted with a red box) showing 'Terms & conditions' and 'Attachments' as completed items (green). At the bottom right, there is an 'Audit history' section with a 'View audit history' link. The footer contains 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and a 'Secure site' icon.

- t) The submission checklist should show everything in green that you need to do. If there is something in red then you will need to action it.
- u) If you are ready to submit your response, press 'Submit Response'
- v) *If you are not yet ready to submit your response, select 'Back to Summary' at the top. The attachments and responses that you have loaded to the system will be saved but not submitted. PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS MEANS YOUR RESPONSE IS NOT COMPLETE. You must return to the system to continue your response and submit. Please follow Step 4 at the end of this guide.*

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Submit your Response (Continued)

The screenshot displays the ProContract web interface. At the top, the 'due north sourcing solutions' logo is visible alongside the text 'ProContract brought to you by due north'. A navigation bar includes links for Home, Find opportunities, My activities, My contracts, and Help. The user is logged in as 'supplier_sw_55 User' and has access to 'Your account' and 'Logout' options. The breadcrumb trail indicates the current location: Home > My activities > Supply of Water Bottles > Supply of Water Bottles. A 'Back to summary' link is present. The main content area shows a 'My response' section with the ID '105861542' and a 'Draft' status. A 'Time remaining' section shows a response deadline of '13 November 2015 14:00:00' with a timer at 2 minutes, 20 seconds, 44 milliseconds, and 9 microseconds. A confirmation dialog box is overlaid on the page, asking 'Submit response' and 'Are you sure you want to submit this response?'. The dialog has two buttons: 'Submit response' (highlighted with a red box) and 'Cancel'. The background page shows sections for 'Additional information', 'Supplier reference', 'Terms & condition' (with a 'Standard Goods' link), 'Attachments', and 'Pricing Sched'. There are also 'Add attachment' and 'View audit history' buttons.

- w) You will be asked to confirm that you want to submit your response.
- x) Click 'Submit Response'

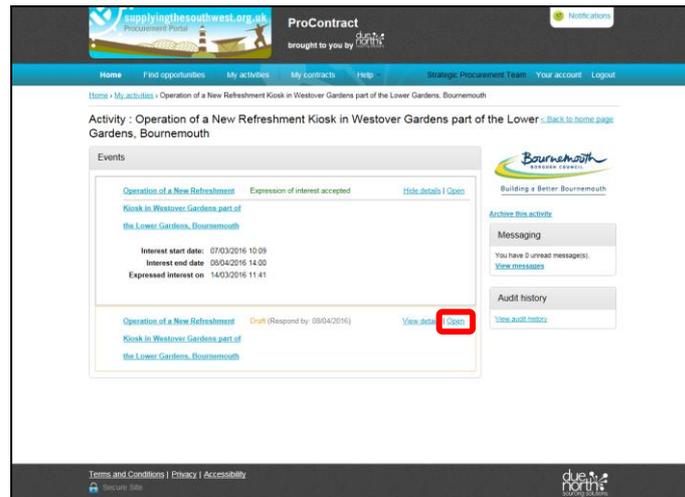
The screenshot shows the ProContract interface for a Bournemouth Borough Council RFQ (5135155). The main details section includes the title 'Supply of Water Bottles' and a response deadline of 13 November 2015 at 14:00:00. The description states that the council requires the supply of water in 500mL bottles. Under attachments, there are two files: 'Invitation to Quote for Supply of Water Bottles v1.00.docx' (11 KB) and 'Pricing Schedule for Supply of Water Bottles v1.00.xlsx' (8 KB). The status is 'Submitted', and a red box highlights this button. Below the status, there is a link 'I would like to edit my response' which is also highlighted with a red box. The page also shows a time remaining counter (2 Days, 20 Hours, 43 Minutes, 42 Seconds) and a messaging section.

- y) Your response will then show as 'Submitted'
- z) You will also receive an e-mail from ProContract confirming that your submission has been submitted. If you have not received a confirmation notification by e-mail of your submission, please contact Due North on 0330 005 0352 to confirm you have submitted your response.
 - aa) If you wish to amend your response after submitting, you can make amendments by selecting 'I would like to edit my response'. This will create a second version of your submission. Ensure that you allow plenty of time

before the submission deadline if you choose to edit your submission. You must ensure that your edited response is submitted before the deadline.

bb) If you do not want to edit your submitted response, select 'Back to Dashboard'

- a) You will only need to follow this step where you started to submit your response but did not finalise your submission. (Following on from Step 3V above)
- b) You will first need to follow Step 1 (Log in to ProContract) and Step 2 (Find the Contract that you want to Submit a Response for) in order to navigate back to the contract.



- c) From the activity screen of the contract that you wish to continue submitting your response for, you will see that it states in '*Draft*'. To complete your submission, select '*Open*'

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the ProContract logo and a 'Notifications' icon. Below the navigation bar, the breadcrumb trail reads: Home > My activities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth. A link to '< Back to dashboard' is visible.

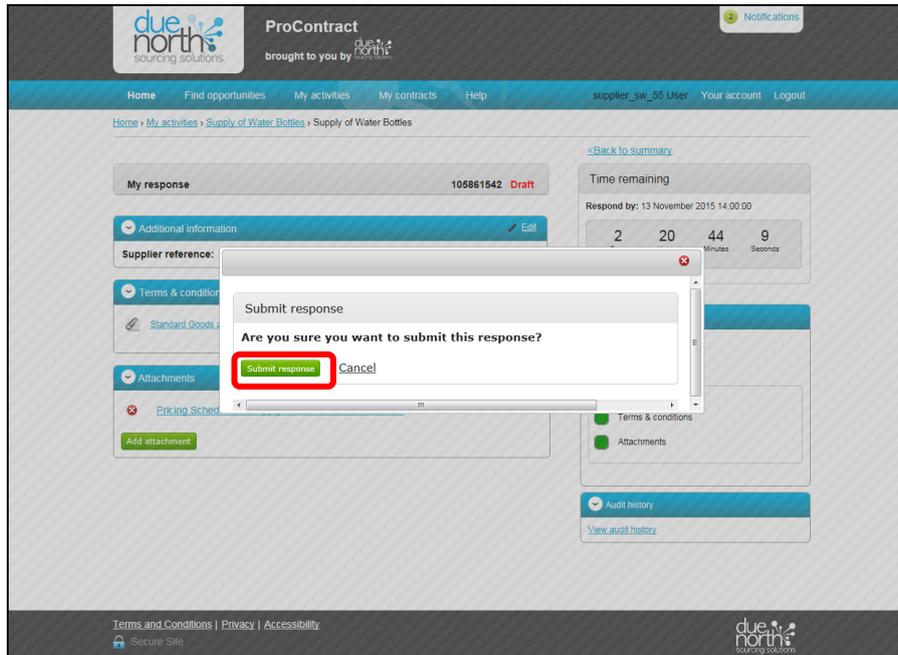
The main content area is titled 'Bournemouth Borough Council - RFQ' with the ID '112005'. It features a 'Time remaining' section with a green progress bar showing 7 days, 23 hours, 2 minutes, and 1 second. Below this is a 'Messaging' section indicating 0 unread messages. The 'Response controls' section shows 'No longer wish to respond'. The 'My responses' section lists two versions: 'RFQ Version 1' (Not submitted) and 'RFQ Version 2' (Draft). The 'Edit' button for 'RFQ Version 2' is highlighted with a red box.

The 'Amendments' section shows an amendment dated 21/03/2016 16:35:17. The 'Sections' are highlighted in yellow. The 'Description' section contains the following text: 'Dear Suppliers Bournemouth Parks have been able to get some of the fit out work carried out by the kiosk supplier. Please see the attached documents for work that will be completed prior to handover: • Electrical work: the kiosk will come fitted with lights, a number of sockets and a water heater. Please see drawing AI 42-15 proposed sockets & proposed lights scheme. • Plumbing: the staff toilet comes fitted out. Please see AI 42-15 plumbing scheme. • Floor/wall and ceilings: floor will be grey non slip porcelain tiles. Wall lining white laminate panels and the ceiling concealed interlocking grid that supports panels made of a thermal insulation material core enclosed between from two plates of medium density fibre (MDF) in white. Please see attached drawing AI 42-15 Rev02 Plans Elevations. Please also find attached the draft Westover Agreement for Lease and Lower Central Gardens Lease both of which are subject to contract. Please also note that you should allow for up to 20 covers. Kind regards Strategic Procurement Team Bournemouth Borough Council'. The 'History' section shows 'Version 2: Current' and 'Version 1: Amended 21/03/2016 16:35:17' with a 'View' link.

- d) On the next screen you will see in the bottom right your response history. To continue with the submission of your response, select 'Edit' next to the latest version

The screenshot displays the ProContract web application interface. At the top, the 'due north' logo is visible, along with the text 'ProContract brought to you by'. The navigation menu includes 'Home', 'Find opportunities', 'My activities', 'My Contracts', 'Help', 'Strategic Procurement Team', 'Your account', and 'Logout'. The breadcrumb trail shows the path: 'Home > My activities > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth > Operation of a New Refreshment Kiosk in Westover Gardens part of the Lower Gardens, Bournemouth'. The main content area is divided into several sections: 'My response' (1658142 Draft), 'Additional information' (Supplier reference), 'Terms & conditions' (Accepted), 'Attachments' (How to Submit your Response through Supplying the South West v2.00.pdf), 'Time remaining' (7 days, 22 hours, 56 minutes, 0 seconds), 'Response controls' (Submit response), 'Submission checklist' (Terms & conditions, Attachments), and 'Audit history' (View audit history). The 'Submit response' button is highlighted with a red box.

- e) You will then be taken to the response screen. From here you can edit your response as required.
- f) The submission checklist should show everything in green that you need to do. If there is something in red then you will need to action it.
- g) If you are ready to submit your response, press 'Submit Response'



- h) You will be asked to confirm that you want to submit your response.
- i) Click 'Submit Response'

The screenshot displays the ProContract interface for a procurement opportunity. The header includes the 'due north' logo and 'ProContract brought to you by due north'. The main content area shows details for 'Bournemouth Borough Council - RFQ' with a value of '£125155'. The submission status is 'Submitted', which is highlighted with a red box. A 'Time remaining' section shows 2 days, 20 hours, 43 minutes, and 42 seconds. A 'Response control' section has a 'Back to dashboard' link highlighted with a red box. The footer contains 'Terms and Conditions | Privacy | Accessibility' and 'Secure Site'.

- j) Your response will then show as 'Submitted'
- k) You will also receive an e-mail from ProContract confirming that your submission has been submitted. If you have not received a confirmation notification by e-mail of your submission, please contact Due North on 0330 005 0352 to confirm you have submitted your response.
- l) If you wish to amend your response after submitting, you can make amendments by selecting 'I would like to edit my response'. This will create a second version of your submission. Ensure that you allow plenty of time before the submission deadline if you choose to edit your submission. You must ensure that your edited response is submitted before the deadline.
- m) If you do not want to edit your submitted response, select 'Back to Dashboard'