
From: Guenever Pachent
Sent: 03 March 2011 08:43
To: Anna McCreadie; Simon Higgins; Andrew St Ledger; Rachel Hodson-Gibbons; Roger McMaster; Mike Ellwood
Subject: Meeting with LSSI

Dear all

This confirms that LSSI have only spoken to SCC people at the main library conference last October, the NSD public meeting in Ipswich and the Industry Day in Ipswich.

I have offered another short conversation, which Simon wanted to include something about speaking to the press. My additional interest is in a very low key keeping in touch with their ideas, and referring to the procurement process.

Would any of you like to attend as well, or supply me any other messages to deliver?

Since I am contacting LSSI, I will do the same for Laing Integrated Services – they are the other main private sector national company that's made contact.

With regards, Guenever

From: Jim Lynch (LSSI) [mailto:jim.lynch@lssi.com]
Sent: 02 March 2011 19:31
To: Guenever Pachent
Cc: stuart.fitzgerald@lssi.com; 'Dubberly, Ron'
Subject: RE: Suffolk county and district councils - LSSI - libraries

Hi Guenever

Thanks for your e-mail.

We had some coverage in the Sunday Times a couple of weeks back and journalists have been making links ever since. I spoke to a writer from the East Anglian Daily Times on Tuesday and said we'd spoken to you on 3 or 4 occasions. I recalled PLA at Leeds, the public meeting about divestment in December and the industry day in January but wasn't sure if there'd been another.

I'd be very pleased to meet again to discuss your proposals and our ideas about working with you. Are you available on either Thursday 10th or Friday 11th March?

I look forward to meeting up again.

Best wishes

Jim

From: Guenever Pachent [mailto:Guenever.Pachent@suffolk.gov.uk]
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To: 'Jim.lynch@lssi.com'
Subject: RE: Suffolk county and district councils - LSSI - libraries

Hallo Jim

I hope you are well. I am sure you are aware that interviews with LSSI are in the East

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Anglian papers today. You told us when you visited Ipswich that you would be likely to be interested in running some or all of Suffolk libraries, so it is not a surprise.

Our local journalist thinks that you have had 4 meetings with Suffolk, and we can only think of two, so it seems that it would be good time for us to catch up again.

Do you want to call me or arrange a meeting? With all best wishes, Guenever

From: Guenever Pachent
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To: 'Jim.lynch@lssi.com'
Cc: Roger McMaster
Subject: Suffolk county and district councils - LSSI - libraries

Dear Jim

Thank you very much for the conversation at the council's Industry Day and your possible interest in the library business.

You suggested that you might approach our district councils, and I asked you to wait until I had considered this.

On reflection you were talking about a commissioning arrangement, and that would need to be in partnership with the county council, not separate from it, because a separate arrangement would be likely to increase the bureaucracy rather than reduce it. So I should be grateful if you did not approach the districts direct, but via the county council.

The Project Director is Roger McMaster, and I should be obliged if you would make any contact via him.

With all best wishes, Guenever

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