

HUNTINGDONSHIRE DISTRICT COUNCIL

> COST-EFFECTIVE PROCUREMENT . . .

Like many other local authorities, Huntingdonshire District Council rely on the use of pre-qualified suppliers for most of their projects. However, before joining Constructionline in May 2005, the council used to pay to gain access to this data. They are now reaping the benefits of free access to the Government's pre-qualification service, and therefore, increase savings.

Chris Allen, Project and Assets Manager at the council adds, 'We needed a database of companies that were independently assessed. Constructionline met these criteria free of charge and more efficiently than the service we used before'.

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Huntingdonshire District Council are now regular users of the Constructionline database. With the continual use of the system, they achieve the double benefit of having a reliable source of pre-qualified suppliers, and practicing a cost-effective procurement. 'The system has met and exceeded our expectations', adds Chris.

Apart from the financial benefits of being registered with Constructionline, Chris mentions the support of the Constructionline team as an added benefit. 'I feel confident in recommending the system to other procurers. The data is accurate and reliable, it helps us achieve financial savings, and the support from the team is brilliant when needed', he explains.



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