Appendix 1

Corporate Risk Register 13/14

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Risk Code	CPR1314_01	Risk Title	Medium Term Financial Planning & Sustainability Strategy	Current Risk Status	
Description of Risk	Loss of Funding and Financial Stability			Assigned To	Stefan Garner; John Wheatley
Gross Risk Matrix ປັ	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Poodulinood
Pross Risk Score	9		eloped to address longer term funding shortfall	Current Risk Score	6
Gross Severity	3	identified - detailed workstr Budget planning and monit	ream deliverables. corporate change programme(3) oring (1)	Current Severity	3
oss Likelihood	3	Medium Term Financial Stra	ategy (2)	Current Likelihood	2
Gross Risk Review Date		Treasury Management Strategy, annual outturn & strategy approved by Council. regular monitoring (4) WRIEP support for efficiency / procurement (5) Grant income sourced where possible (6) Developing benchmarking process within the authority to evaluate and understand costs/performance/outputs including CIPFA benchmarking, reviewing high spend, annual internal audit review of audit commission benchmarking data (7) Performance setting (8)		Last Risk Review Date	06-Sep-2013

	Support provided for new/existing members from key officers and third parties (SOLACE) Updating of HRA Business Plan
	Review of Healthier Housing Strategy Review of SPV feasibility
Consequences Page 248	Cuts in front line service provision Quality of service decline Partnership relationships become strained Uncoordinated cuts/ reduction in service provision Financial savings not achieved Miss out on funding opportunities Inability to meet on-going costs Significant impact on the economic health of the local community Budget overspends Minimum reserves not maintained Budgets not balanced Potentially acting illegally Reputation issues Reduced income streams including car parks, golf course, planning, treasury, council tax & business rates
Vulnerabilities/causes	Changes to political control (local/national) Budget shortfall / funding gap increasing through austerity cuts - 3 year MTFS in place from 2013/14 (longer term shortfalls identified from 2016/17) CSR 2013 identified further cuts from 2015/16 c.10% (1,2,3,9,10,12) Increased cost liabilities e.g. water course maintenance, land charges, legacy MMI claims, golf course (1,2,3,9,10,12) Failure to manage budgets (1) Failure to manage investments (4) Missing key business funding opportunities (5, 6) Failure to maximise incentive funding (i.e. new homes bonus, council tax, benefits admin, RTB's one for one replacement) (6) Disabled Facilities Grants - increased demand / costs not in line with grant levels impacting on other funding sources (6) Recession increase impact on services required (i.e. capacity, finance, recovery levels) (7,8,14) Failure of an existing contractor (9) Technical reform of Council Tax and other welfare reform changes (Universal Credit, Housing Allowances etc) wef 1/4/13 and the potential impact on collection levels/write offs (14, 15) Business rates retention wef 1/4/13 - local collection levels will directly on the councils budget (14,15) Reduced income corporately due to welfare reform changes (including council tax support scheme) - impact on council tax, rent income etc (14, 15) HRA regeneration projects & impact on business plan / wider regeneration project including town centre, car parks etc (16) Council tax support scheme - legal challenge (17)
Risk Notes	Possibility of Fire Service taking Industrial action - review risk on a more regular basis - review set to weekly

Risk Code	CPR1314_02	Risk Title	Reputation	Current Risk Status	
Description of Risk	Damage to Reputation	•		Assigned To	Anica Goodwin; Tony Goodwin; Jane Hackett
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Severity
Gross Risk Score	9	Increased use of multi med	ia to consult/communicate	Current Risk Score	6
Gross Severity	3	Members surgeries Celebrating success		Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	State of Tamworth debate		Current Likelihood	3
T യ G Gross Risk Review Pate 4 4 O		PR & Communications review of Tell Us Scheme Tamworth Listens Standards Ombudsmen report Monitoring of news stories Service delivery standards Contract monitoring Codes of conduct Policies and procedures Service Standards Training for all staff and members in media/press/use of social media mystery shopper		Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	erosion in trust and confidence service failure loss of income increased cost of working fall in satisfaction levels loss of public support claims in tribunal/personal liability loss of peer group credibility increased scrutiny by government and auditors				
Vulnerabilities/causes	Failure to match social and political expectations failure to act on feedback crisis and major incident management failures failure to deliver minimum standards of service Third party supply chain failure				

	non-compliance with legislation unethical practices by officers/members security breaches by officers/members personal actions by officers/members misuse of social media by officers/members
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_03	Risk Title	Governance & Regulatory Failure	Current Risk Status	②
Description of Risk	Failure to achieve adequat	e Governance Standards and	statutory responsibilities	Assigned To	Jane Hackett; John Wheatley
Gross Risk Matrix	Poodling	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Poor I Severity
Gross Risk Score	9	Regular review & update of		Current Risk Score	4
Gross Severity	3		ttee in place, including Standards (2) re, including call in & questions at Council (3)	Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	Annual Governance Stateme	ent process / prepared (4)	Current Likelihood	2
D Q D N OI -1 Gross Risk Review Date		Annual Governance Statement process / prepared (4) Whistleblowing Policy and Counter Fraud and Corruption Strategy developed & communicated (5) Section 151 functionality and Monitoring Officer in place / Scheme of Delegation (6) Internal Audit function (7) External Audit assessment / reviews (8) Partnership Guidance Policy (9) Managers Assurance Statements prepared annually (10) Constitution - regular review (11) Code of Conduct for members (12) Relevant policies and procedures / Net Consent for policy management and acceptance (13)			04-Sep-2013
Consequences	non-compliance with legal fraud	Information) (England) Reg requirements			

	poor performance damage to reputation prosecution, fines death or injury to public and/or staff audit criticism within Annual Audit Letter / accounts qualified poor inspection comments legal challenge Ultra vires Financial impact / exposure from poor decisions arising from uninformed decision making process Increased demand for resource support from Members
Vulnerabilities/causes ບຸດ ດ ດ ໂລ	Lack of training / knowledge - officers and member (14, 15) lack of documented procedures (1) lack of commitment from officers and members (6, 12) failure to understand the importance of key decisions (14, 15) Inadequate governance process in place (1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21,22) Lack of accountability (5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 19, 20) Non compliance with legislation (6, 14, 18) fraud (1, 5, 6) Poor performance (19) failure to manage or be aware of legal responsibilities/changes to legislation (6, 14, 15) lack of resources(3) loss of key staff / members (20) inappropriate decision making (6, 14, 15) Changes to political control (20)
Risk Notes	Localism Act, Welfare Benefit reform,

Risk Code	CPR1314_04	Risk Title	Partnership Working and Supply Chain Challenges	Current Risk Status	②
Description of Risk	Failure in partnership work	·king, shared services or supp	ly chain	Assigned To	Andrew Barratt; Rob Mitchell
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Severity
Gross Risk Score	9		acts register, quick quote process / Procurement	Current Risk Score	4
Gross Severity	3	guidance updated / intranet Partnership Governance Pol	: icy and training on the policy in place - refreshed in	Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	2012	, , , ,	Current Likelihood	2
つ ② ⑤ross Risk Review のate い い い		Partnership arrangements in place, eg contracts, shared service agreements Effective contract/partnership monitoring - revised TSP working well Business Continuity plans in place Comprehensive review of corporate business continuity with representation across all directorates. Policy, terms of reference and testing schedule drafted with expected sign off by Business Continuity Group 24/6/13 Risks identified and managed Constitutions in place for some partnerships TBC Business Continuity Group Adequate terms of reference Adherence to contracts register		Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	Services not delivered Damage to reputation Loss of knowledge, intellectual property and other assets Loss of quality service Criticism from external auditors/assessors Customer dissatisfaction Lack of resources Workforce opposition High exit costs Costs not reduced Efficiencies not gained Waste not eliminated Regulations not met				
Vulnerabilities/causes	Failure to meet service delivery expectations Partner has financial failure Supplier incident eg data loss, governance issue				

Partnerships in place - waste, health & safety, Economic Development, Building Control, Strategic Partnership, Housing Repairs, IT service desk
Service delivery collapses during wide spread major incident Third party supply chain failure Partner under performs Failure to assess and manage the risks arising from the use of third parties Failure to set and manage contractual conditions and performance targets Failure to get management support Staff turnover increases Poor, incomplete knowledge transfer Scope of change too narrow/too broad benefits not realised Political change of policy

Risk Code	CPR1314_05	Risk Title	Emergency & Crisis Response Threats	Current Risk Status	
Description of Risk	Failure to manage an ext	ernal or internal emergency/o	lisaster situation	Assigned To	Andrew Barratt; Nicki Burton
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Severity
Gross Risk Score	9	Emergency Plan in place		Current Risk Score	4
Gross Severity	3	Emergency planning training Business Continuity Plans in	g completed at various levels n place	Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	Comprehensive review of c	orporate business continuity with representation	Current Likelihood	2
ປ ຜ ດ N ປາ Gross Risk Review Date		Comprehensive review of corporate business continuity with representation across all directorates. Policy, terms of reference and testing schedule drafted with expected sign off by Business Continuity Group 24/6/13 Active engagement in Exercise Triton Insurance cover in place to cover exposure to financial loss. Advice and guidance on Risk Management and Business Continuity on the intranet Emergencies advice available on website Building- fire prevention controls in place and tested on a regular basis Adequate physical security controls in place and reviewed on a regular basis. IT business continuity plan in place and tested on a regular basis Service impact analysis completed to rank priority of services		Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	Services not delivered Damage to reputation Civil Contingency Act requirements not met Death				

	Destruction of property Damage to the environment Adverse affect on vulnerable groups Public expectations of service delivery not met Increased costs for alternative service delivery
Vulnerabilities/causes	Lack of integrated emergency arrangements making it difficult to react quickly to a disaster and provide the required support and essential service in line with the requirements of the Civil Contingencies Act. Failure to test plans Failure to undertake training Plans not activated plans do not accurately identify the staffing/resources required implications of industrial action from other service providers ie Fire Service
Risk Notes	current risks and scoring matrix still accurate and fit for purpose

Risk Code	CPR1314_06	Risk Title	Economic Changes	Current Risk Status	②
Description of Risk	Failure to plan and adapt	services to economic changes	s within the community	Assigned To	Stefan Garner; Rob Mitchell
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Pood Severity
Gross Risk Score	6	Link to CPR1213_01 - finan		Current Risk Score	3
Gross Severity	3		Prosper (performance monitored, addressed) (2) I government communications (3)	Current Severity	3
Gross Likelihood	2	Adapt to downturn in econo		Current Likelihood	1
Page Page 257 Gross Risk Review Date		(TamworthCAN) (3) Economic Bulletin distributed to management - shows regional and local economic statistics (4) Management networks and leadership meetings (5) Support to local businesses - including through local Procurement (quick quote) (6) Think Local (7) Business and Economic Partnership (8) Place Group / Tamworth Strategic Partnership (9) Solutions for Business (10) External funding streams explored (Portas, GBSLEP) (11) Medium term financial plan (12)			28-Aug-2013
Consequences	Lack of Town Centre development / prosperity No external funding to aid economy and growth Economic prosperity declines				

	Detrimental effect on housing market People leave the borough Increased demand for social housing Impact on Council income Increased costs to Council services due to increased demand Reduced income corporately due to welfare reform changes (including council tax support scheme) - impact on business rates, council tax, rent income, car parking, planning etc
Vulnerabilities/causes	Failure to recognise economic changes (1, 2) Sudden economic downturn affecting businesses, jobs, housing etc (2, 3, 6, 8, 9, 15) Loss of major employer in the region (3) Failure to recognise opportunities (11, 15, 16) Rapid increase in inflation (1, 12) Changes in government funding/grants (3, 12) Collapse / decline of the property market (2, 8, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20) Change of government (18, 19) Under achievement of development/investment (15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20)
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_07	Risk Title	Information Management & Information Technology	Current Risk Status	_
Description of Risk	Failure to secure and man	age data and IT infrastructur	re	Assigned To	Nicki Burton; John Wheatley
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measure	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Poorling
Gross Risk Score	12	Network security		Current Risk Score	9
Gross Severity	4	Physical security Security Policy, Information	Security Manual	Current Severity	3
Gross Likelihood	3	Data Protection compliance	and training	Current Likelihood	3
Page O O O O Gross Risk Review Date		Single point of contact eliminated regarding Data Protection Storage limits being implemented (subject to CMT endorsement) - links to retention schedule & EDRMS, active management & archiving of data not regularly accessed GCSX Environmental controls Established protocols Security of data EDRMS implementation Data limits Business Continuity Plans		Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	Fine Reputational damage Potential imprisonment Physical harm to staff Consequence for members	s of the public if their person	al data lost/stolen		

	Loss of key management information Inability to deliver services potential loss of income
Vulnerabilities/causes	Insecure IT equipment Human error / loss of personal data Loss of equipment/data Theft Equipment failure Hacking / Viruses Agile working trials / flexible working project Corporate Change Project
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_08	Risk Title	Loss of Community Cohesion	Current Risk Status	
Description of Risk	Failure to achieve commu	nity cohesion		Assigned To	Rob Barnes; Rob Mitchell
Gross Risk Matrix	Pooduland	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Pooduland
Gross Risk Score	12	No change to front line serv	ices	Current Risk Score	6
Gross Severity	4	Locality working ASB Policy		Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	Partnership working		Current Likelihood	3
വ ധ ധ Gross Risk Review Date —		Financial Inclusion Policy Community Engagement- pi Corporate consultation data Services proactive in engagi Data and intelligence used t Community cohesion aware Capacity building projects & Impact assessments used Horizon scanning Big Societ Stronger Communities Partr Responsible Authorities Gro Development of ASB hub Links with Police Community Cohesion Audit Tamworth Strategic Partner ASB working group to agree effective Council wide respo	base ing communities to inform service planning ness tinitiatives y/Localism impact nership up ship te processes to go onto CRM	Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	Long term costs Not meeting/understanding users needs Increase in crime and disorder Poor use of funding Increased tensions in the community No community commitment/ownership to the authorities vision Low level of community cohesion Fear of perception of crime Failure to meet demand				
Vulnerabilities/causes	Economic recession				

	Poverty Welfare reforms Services withdrawn Big Society does not take off Communities become fragmented Increase in ASB Increase in financial deprivation Lack of interest from the public Poor communication Poor engagement mechanisms at corporate and service level Limited understanding of good engagement process Housing and regeneration projects- change mgt'
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_09	Risk Title	Workforce Planning Challenges	Current Risk Status	Ø
Description of Risk	Failure to manage workfor	ce planning challenges		Assigned To	Anica Goodwin; Tony Goodwin
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Poorling
Gross Risk Score	9	Service reviews		Current Risk Score	4
Gross Severity	3	Regular communication Workforce and succession p	lanning	Current Severity	2
Gross Likelihood	3	Core brief Staff AGM		Current Likelihood	2
T の Gross Risk Review Pate N の い		PDR process to ensure skill HR policies and procedures Post entry training to qualify Absence management policy Market supplement policy for Managers review of resource purposes Relationship with Trade Unio	y staff in key areas y, healthshield and occupational health or either retention or recruitment of necessary skills e capabilities/capacity for business continuity ons (TULG) risk impact of reduced staffing	Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
Consequences	Strain on remaining staff Risk to service delivery Industrial action Budget misalignment Increase in fraud Wrong messages sent out Potential increase in employment tribunal cases increased number of grievances from staff increase in absenteeism Inability to respond to change agenda inability to align skill levels to new working methods Unable to recruit staff				
Vulnerabilities/causes	Staff become overloaded Low morale has impact on service delivery Industrial unrest				

	Redundancies lead to additional future costs Failure to communicate effectively Small authority with specialised staff Sickness levels remain too high leaving vulnerable skills gaps Pay and conditions below market conditions for skills required
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_10	Risk Title	Health & Safety	Current Risk Status	
Description of Risk	Failure to manage Health	& Safety		Assigned To	Andrew Barratt; Anica Goodwin
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Severity
Gross Risk Score	12	Policies in place		Current Risk Score	6
Gross Severity	4	Training completed Health and Safety groups		Current Severity	3
Gross Likelihood	3	Risk assessments completed	d	Current Likelihood	2
Toss Risk Review Bate O N O		Inspections completed Personal safety equipment plane working policy and praint PVP register Fire alarm tests and evacua Regular update meetings will audits Landlord Health and Safety Review of high rise fire risk	actices tion tests ith H&S officers and ACE	Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013
(Consequences	Corporate manslaughter Fines Negative publicity insurance claims death/injury	-			
Vulnerabilities/causes	Non-compliance with legislation lack of health and safety awareness short cuts/ poor working practices Personal safety equipment not used risks not identified and or managed inspections/tests not completed				
	Risk level still at reported	score			
Risk Notes	H&S audit carried out highlighting some high priority areas. support action plan to be implemented. Regular updates with SL/JH/AG				
	regular updates by AG wit Updates to CMT	h JH and SL			

Risk Code	CPR1314_11	Risk Title	Corporate Change	Current Risk Status	O	
Description of Risk	Failure to manage corpora	ate change		Assigned To	Nicki Burton; Anica Goodwin	
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Pooling Severity	
Gross Risk Score	4	Programme Plan		Current Risk Score	4	
Gross Severity	2	Pool of trained resources Structured programme		Current Severity	2	
Gross Likelihood	2	Dedicated Programme Mana	ager	Current Likelihood	2	
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Consequences	Return on investment not made Reputation Failure to implement agile working environment Savings are not made Budget not balanced					
Vulnerabilities/causes	Weak management Weak governance No executive management support Insufficient corporate skills and capacity Failure to retain staff					
Risk Notes	Transforming Tamworth, S	Support Services Review, Hea	alth Impact Assessments			

Risk Code	CPR1314_12	Risk Title	Safeguarding Children & Vulnerable Adults	Current Risk Status		
Description of Risk	Failure to safeguard childr	en and vulnerable adults		Assigned To	Jane Hackett; Rob Mitchell	
Gross Risk Matrix	Pooluling	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Poodling	
Gross Risk Score	9	Safeguarding policy adopted		Current Risk Score	6	
Gross Severity	3	Clear procedures for reporti Annual section 11 audit - 20	ing and dealing with disclosure 012 completed	Current Severity	3	
Gross Likelihood	3	Appropriate risk assessmen	ts to identify vulnerability in customers/residents	Current Likelihood	2	
Gross Risk Review Date U	16-Jan-2012	Senior leadership commitme Policy implemented with tra Safe recruitment process - I Supervision of staff, contrac	nining for appropriate staff needs updating	Last Risk Review Date	04-Sep-2013	
(C) (C) (C) (C) (C)	Loss of reputation	Legal challenge for lack of compliance with legislation Loss of reputation Financial costs of review and insurance claims Prosecution				
Vulnerabilities/causes	Non-compliance with legislation Lack of appropriate policy and procedures Low awareness amongst staff Lack of joined up case management Case management systems unable to share data or support risk management partner agencies not delivering services lack of appropriate services lack of reporting incidents considered trivial Other organisation's not delivering the service - gaps in service provision for adults in need					
Risk Notes						

Risk Code	CPR1314_13	Risk Title	Golf Course	Current Risk Status	_	
Description of Risk	Selection and implementat house service expire April		or the golf course - funding to operate the current in	Assigned To	Tony Goodwin; Rob Mitchell; John Wheatley	
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures	s Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Crikelihood	
Gross Risk Score	12			Current Risk Score	6	
Gross Severity	3	Project group established External support/advice comm	nmissioned	Current Severity	3	
Gross Likelihood	4	Project plan established wit		Current Likelihood	2	
Gross Risk Review Date		Regular reporting to Cabinet		Last Risk Review Date	05-Sep-2013	
© Consequences N	Revenue costs Capital costs Reputation					
○ ○ Vulnerabilities/causes	Financial impact - for MTFS Lack of capital funds to invest Reputation / negative press Selection of a sustainable option required Golf market and economic downturn					
Risk Notes	March 2015. An options ap	praisal is underway to deter	der has been managed and the Council is now require mine what the Council will do with the Course post Ap to a Cabinet report. A final selection from the remaining	oril 2015. A long list of optic	ns is being assessed and	

Risk Code	CPR1314_14	Risk Title	Inability to manage the impact corporately of the Government Austerity measures and new legislative requirements	Current Risk Status		
Description of Risk				Assigned To	Tony Goodwin	
Gross Risk Matrix	Poolule	Risk Treatment Meas	ures Implemented	Current Risk Matrix	Severity	
Gross Risk Score	16	Dogular undates		Current Risk Score	8	
Gross Severity	4	Regular updates Monitoring		Current Severity	4	
Gross Likelihood	4	Dedicated website for H Consultation with custor	ousing benefit changes to inform customers	Current Likelihood	2	
Gross Risk Review Date	09-Nov-2012	Financial profiling	Tiers over C1 changes	Last Risk Review Date	05-Sep-2013	
P a g e N 6 O Consequences	Unable to maintain rent income/increase in rent income Social housing becomes unaffordable Delivery of new housing Realistic housing waiting lists Social unrest - those unable to access social housing Increase in benefit claimants Increase in fraud - Benefits, Business Rates, RTB, Council Tax, tenancy Increase in benefits overpayments Potential economic growth Maximise benefit entitlement & income generation Community run services - not provided, inappropriately run Processes lengthened through challenge CIL - investment in development areas					
Vulnerabilities/causes	Impact on staff Welfare reform - changes to social housing - flexibility in rent setting, short term fixed tenancies, pay to stay, use of RTB receipts for new housing New Homes Bonus Social housing allocations reform Cap to benefit levels, reduction in local housing allowances, increase in non dependant charge, universal credit Changes to business rates Changes to Council Tax Welfare Rights Fairer Charging Community right to challenge Community right to bid					

	Changes to Planning system Community Infrastructure Levy National Home Swap Scheme
Risk Notes	

Risk Code	CPR1314_15	Risk Title	Impact of changes to political control	Current Risk Status	②		
Description of Risk		•	Assigned To				
Gross Risk Matrix	Severity	Risk Treatment Measures Implemented		Current Risk Matrix	Severity		
Gross Risk Score	9	keep up to date with chang	es	Current Risk Score	4		
Gross Severity	3	officers politically neutral	fings (Evecutive Beard)	Current Severity	2		
Gross Likelihood	3	appropriate key officer briefings (Executive Board) use of SOLACE management support to develop awareness/understanding re		Current Likelihood	2		
Gross Risk Review Date		new councillors etc. policy underpinned by robu	st contractual arrangements	Last Risk Review Date	05-Sep-2013		
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© © ulnerabilities/causes	changes to political leadership - local/national hung council/government						
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