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Tender

ITT - Recruitment, Selection and Governance Services Parkwood & Senacre Pride in Place Neighbourhood Board

TMT Procurement Partnership

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Scope

Description

Maidstone Borough Council (“the Council”) invites tenders from suitably qualified and experienced organisations to provide recruitment, selection, and governance services to establish the Park Wood & Senacre Pride in Place Neighbourhood Board. This commission

includes the appointment of an Independent Chair and the formation of a representative, community-led Board.

The Park Wood and Senacre Middle Super Output Area (MSOA) has been selected to participate

in the UK Government’s Pride in Place Programme. This comprises a 10-year, £20 million

endowment-style investment aimed at revitalising local neighbourhoods. As defined in the

Government's Pride in Place Prospectus, the programme shifts power away from traditional public sector structures, placing strategic decision-making directly in the hands of local residents and stakeholders

The programme is built upon three core objectives:

- Building Thriving Places: Revitalising high streets, community assets, and physical infrastructure to create vibrant, welcoming neighbourhoods.
- Strengthening Communities: Restoring the social fabric by improving social infrastructure and fostering a collective sense of belonging.
- Taking Back Control: Empowering residents to take direct ownership of their area's future through a community-led governance model.

For more information about this opportunity, please visit the Delta eSourcing portal at:

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Total value (estimated)

- £30,000 excluding VAT
- £36,000 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Contract dates (estimated)

- 23 March 2026 to 17 July 2026
- 3 months, 26 days

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 79600000 - Recruitment services

Participation

Particular suitability

- Small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
- Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Submission

Enquiry deadline

26 February 2026, 12:00pm

Tender submission deadline

5 March 2026, 12:00pm

Submission address and any special instructions

<https://www.kentbusinessportal.org.uk>

Tenders may be submitted electronically

Yes

Award criteria

Name	Type	Weighting
Quality	Quality	50%
Cost	Cost	25%
Interview	Quality	25%

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Contracting authority

TMT Procurement Partnership

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGRT-5366-CGWY

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Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government