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Award

Polling Booths & Voter ID Privacy Screens

Braintree District Council

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Scope

Reference

EPP0237

Description

Braintree District Council is awarding a one-off supply contract for the manufacture and delivery of replacement polling booths and Voter ID privacy screens to support electoral operations across 149 polling stations in the district.

Braintree required modern, durable and accessible equipment that is simple to transport, assemble and store, and which ensures voter privacy and compliance with electoral standards.

The tender was issued in three lots with the intention of awarding either Lots 1 and 2 or Lot 3.

Lot 1 - Polling Booths: Supply and delivery of polling booths for 149 polling stations. Each station must be equipped to allow a minimum of two voters to vote simultaneously and include at least one accessible booth (e.g., wider compartment, low writing surface).

Robust, modular, collapsible/foldable design; lightweight for manual handling; suitable for indoor/outdoor use; privacy partitions; fire?resistant materials.

Lot 2 - Voter ID Privacy Screens: Supply and delivery of one privacy solution per station (149 total).

Modular, collapsible, portable; compatible with polling booth layout or stand?alone; designed to protect modesty and respect religious beliefs; ensures the safeguarding of users and polling staff; fire?resistant materials.

Lot 3 - Combined: Supply and delivery of both Lot 1 and Lot 2 to the requirements above.

Lot 3. Polling Booth and Voter ID Privacy Screen

Description

This requirement is for the supply and delivery of replacement Polling Booths and Voter ID Privacy Screens to support operations across 149 polling stations within the Braintree District. Each polling station requires a booth that allows for a minimum of two people to vote at any one time and a with a minimum of one being an accessible polling booth and one Voter ID Privacy Screen.

Contract 1. Polling Booth & Voter ID Privacy Screen

Lots

Lot 3. Polling Booth and Voter ID Privacy Screen

Supplier

- PAKFLATT (UK) LIMITED

Contract value

- £88,668 excluding VAT
- £106,401.60 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Award decision date

20 February 2026

Earliest date the contract will be signed

23 February 2026

Contract dates (estimated)

- 25 February 2026 to 31 March 2027
- 1 year, 1 month, 4 days

Main procurement category

Goods

CPV classifications

- 39100000 - Furniture
- 79300000 - Market and economic research; polling and statistics

Contract locations

- UKH36 - Heart of Essex

Information about tenders

Lot 3. Polling Booth and Voter ID Privacy Screen

- 2 tenders received
- 2 tenders assessed in the final stage:
 - 2 submitted by small and medium-sized enterprises (SME)
 - 0 submitted by voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)
- 1 supplier awarded contracts
- 1 supplier unsuccessful (details included for contracts over £5 million)

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - open competition

Supplier

PAKFLATT (UK) LIMITED

- Companies House: NI012926
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PPQG-9835-GMYJ

22 Springtown Park

Londonderry

BT48 0LY

United Kingdom

Email: brian@pakflatt.com

Website: <https://www.pakflatt.com/>

Region: UKN0A - Derry City and Strabane

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): Yes

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): No

Contract 1. Polling Booth & Voter ID Privacy Screen

Contracting authority

Braintree District Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PGBP-7262-MJTR

Causeway House

Braintree

CM7 9HB

United Kingdom

Email: procurement@braintree.gov.uk

Region: UKH34 - Essex Haven Gateway

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government

Other organisation

These organisations are carrying out the procurement, or part of it, on behalf of the contracting authorities.

Essex County Council

Summary of their role in this procurement: Procuring on behalf of Braintree District Council

- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PWVM-4844-NRQH

County Hall, Market Road

Chelmsford

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United Kingdom

Email: ProcurementSandA@essex.gov.uk

Region: UKH36 - Heart of Essex

Contact organisation

Contact Braintree District Council for any enquiries.