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Contract

## **SC230194 - Kent Bus Stop Quick-Response Codes**

Kent County Council

F03: Contract award notice

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Procurement identifier (OCID): ocds-h6vhtk-042f04

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### **Section I: Contracting authority**

#### **I.1) Name and addresses**

Kent County Council

Invicta House

Maidstone

ME14 1XX

#### **Contact**

Mr Adam Chilvers

#### **Email**

[adam.chilvers@kent.gov.uk](mailto:adam.chilvers@kent.gov.uk)

#### **Country**

United Kingdom

#### **Region code**

UKJ4 - Kent

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.kent.gov.uk>

Buyer's address

<http://www.kent.gov.uk>

**I.4) Type of the contracting authority**

Regional or local authority

**I.5) Main activity**

General public services

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**Section II: Object**

**II.1) Scope of the procurement**

**II.1.1) Title**

SC230194 - Kent Bus Stop Quick-Response Codes

Reference number

DN707979

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 34928470 - Signage

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Supplies

**II.1.4) Short description**

This contract forms part of a strategy to improve the availability of

passenger information and enhance passenger experience on the public transportation network.

The successful contractor will therefore be required to supply and install a plate with a unique QR

code at each individual marked bus stop within Kent. These codes will link to a unique page on the

interactive map providing relevant bus stop information. This is a new activity for the authority, but

strongly links to the existing Bus Stop Information & Infrastructure Management Contract (BSIIM)

and ongoing maintenance of the plates is accounted for in the contract itself.

#### **II.1.6) Information about lots**

This contract is divided into lots: No

#### **II.1.7) Total value of the procurement (excluding VAT)**

Value excluding VAT: £257,345.12

### **II.2) Description**

#### **II.2.2) Additional CPV code(s)**

- 34928470 - Signage

#### **II.2.3) Place of performance**

NUTS codes

- UKJ4 - Kent

#### **II.2.4) Description of the procurement**

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#### **II.2.5) Award criteria**

Quality criterion - Name: Lowest Total Contract Value over the minimum Quality Threshold / Weighting: 100

Price

#### **II.2.11) Information about options**

Options: No

#### **II.2.13) Information about European Union Funds**

The procurement is related to a project and/or programme financed by European Union funds: No

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## **Section IV. Procedure**

### **IV.1) Description**

#### **IV.1.1) Type of procedure**

Open procedure

#### **IV.1.8) Information about the Government Procurement Agreement (GPA)**

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: No

### **IV.2) Administrative information**

#### **IV.2.1) Previous publication concerning this procedure**

Notice number: [2024/S 000-002140](#)

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## **Section V. Award of contract**

### **Contract No**

SC230194

### **Lot No**

1

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### **V.2) Award of contract**

#### **V.2.1) Date of conclusion of the contract**

3 May 2024

#### **V.2.2) Information about tenders**

Number of tenders received: 5

The contract has been awarded to a group of economic operators: No

#### **V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor**

Externiture Ltd

Thatcham

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UKJ4 - Kent

The contractor is an SME

Yes

#### **V.2.4) Information on value of contract/lot (excluding VAT)**

Total value of the contract/lot: £257,345.12

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

### **VI.4) Procedures for review**

#### **VI.4.1) Review body**

Kent County Council

Maidstone

Country

United Kingdom