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## **Edginswell Train Station Project Management & Integration Services**

Torbay Council

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### **Section I: Contracting authority/entity**

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

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#### **Country**

United Kingdom

**NUTS code**

UKK42 - Torbay

**Internet address(es)**

Main address

<http://www.torbay.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**

Edginswell Train Station Project Management & Integration Services

Reference number

DN570745

**II.1.2) Main CPV code**

- 71540000 - Construction management services

**II.1.3) Type of contract**

Services

**II.1.4) Short description**

Torbay Council has been granted funding from the New Stations Fund, supported by the Department for Transport, to bring forward a new railway station on the edge of Torquay.

The brand-new station, known as Edginswell, will be located on the Exeter to Paignton 'Riviera Line' between Newton Abbot and Torre stations.

This direct award concerns project management, goods and services required in relation to the integration of the completed station into the railway network.

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

This contract is divided into lots: No

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

Lowest offer: £25,000 / Highest offer: £300,000 taken into consideration

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

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

NUTS codes

- UKK42 - Torbay

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

To move forward with the project, Torbay Council are required to directly engage with First Greater Western Railway (GWR) through a cooperation agreement for initial pre-construction project management, with further project management being provided throughout the construction phase. GWR will also provide goods and services in relation to the integration of the completed station into the railway network.

#### **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

Negotiated without a prior call for competition

- The works, supplies or services can be provided only by a particular economic operator for the following reason:
  - absence of competition for technical reasons

Explanation:

First Greater Western Railway (GWR) are the local rail network operator and hence have exclusive rights to develop and implement the best possible operational configuration for a new station on the local rail network. If any potential third parties could be appointed to provide the project management, goods and services required, they would be subject to GWR's approval standards, policies and processes, which would add unnecessary costs and additional time to the project due to the additional approvals required and any subsequent amendments demanded.

Torbay Council is therefore proposing to contract directly with GWR through a cooperation agreement for the requirements.

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

The procurement is covered by the Government Procurement Agreement: Yes

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## Section V. Award of contract/concession

### Title

Edginswell Train Station Project Management & Integration Services

A contract/lot is awarded: Yes

### V.2) Award of contract/concession

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

11 October 2021

**V.2.2) Information about tenders**

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

**V.2.3) Name and address of the contractor/concessionaire**

First Greater Western Limited

Milford House, 1 Milford Street

Swindon

SN1 1HL

Country

United Kingdom

NUTS code

- UK - United Kingdom

National registration number

05113733

The contractor/concessionaire is an SME

No

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

Lowest offer: £25,000 / Highest offer: £300,000 taken into consideration

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## **Section VI. Complementary information**

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

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

Legal Services

Torbay Council, Town Hall

Torquay

TQ1 3DR

Country

United Kingdom