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E3 Sharing Space for Nature

The University Of Kent

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Scope

Reference

25-023

Description

DICE staff and PhD students will go beyond UoK Travel Policy compliance for the duration of the E3 funding, counterbalancing our emissions impact through investment in Wilder Carbon (<https://www.wildercarbon.com>), the only not-for-profit and high integrity natural climate solution available in the UK. Wilder Carbon relates directly to the scope and remit of Making Space for Nature by protecting and restoring carbon-rich native habitats across the country for climate, biodiversity and society.

The University of Kent is now an Approved Buyer with Wilder Carbon and we have been approved by Somerset Wildlife Trust to purchase carbon units from one of their sites.

Contract 1

Supplier

- Somerset Wildlife Trust

Contract value

- £46,536 excluding VAT
- £55,843.20 including VAT

Below the relevant threshold

Earliest date the contract will be signed

25 July 2025

Contract dates (estimated)

- 25 July 2025 to 24 July 2026
- 1 year

Main procurement category

Services

CPV classifications

- 92530000 - Botanical and zoological garden services and nature reserve services

Contract locations

- UKJ4 - Kent

Participation

Particular suitability

Voluntary, community and social enterprises (VCSE)

Procedure

Procedure type

Below threshold - without competition

Supplier

Somerset Wildlife Trust

34 Wellington Road

Taunton

TA1 5AW

United Kingdom

Email: enquiries@somersetwildlife.org

Region: UKK23 - Somerset

Small or medium-sized enterprise (SME): No

Voluntary, community or social enterprise (VCSE): Yes

Contract 1

Contracting authority

The University Of Kent

- UK Register of Learning Providers (UKPRN number): 10007150
- Public Procurement Organisation Number: PDYN-9654-JPQJ

The Registry,

Canterbury

CT2 7NZ

United Kingdom

Email: riscontracts@kent.ac.uk

Website: <http://www.kent.ac.uk/>

Region: UKJ44 - East Kent

Organisation type: Public authority - sub-central government