



DUNKIRK PARISH COUNCIL

c/o 73 Graystone Road
Whitstable
Kent
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SPECIFICATION FOR GRASS VERGE MANAGEMENT CONTRACT 2022

Location of verges:

At the junction of London Road and the A2 slip road
The area of the Canterbury-bound bus stop
The area opposite Dunkirk Car Sales
The area from the large road sign coming off the A2 up to the bus shelter opposite Courtenay Road,
The traffic island near Remus
Around the London Road sign.

Works to be undertaken

A 1.2 metre to 1.5 metre wide grass verge to be cut monthly six times per year, commencing in June
A further 1 metre wide mown path to be maintained from the exit of Forrester's Lodge to the bus shelter opposite Courtenay Road
All other areas to be left for pollinator habitat and to be mown only once per annum, in the Autumn
Areas to be cleared of litter and legally recycled prior to commencing works
Removal of all cuttings and their legal, green recycling disposal after works completed
No insecticides or herbicides to be used with prior written consent of the Council
All works to be undertaken in accordance with Kent County Council's "Plan Bee" initiative, of which all contractors and workers are to familiarise themselves with

Ditch around London-bound bus shelter near Courtenay Road

Keep ditch clear of vegetation and maintain drainage function
All works to be undertaken in accordance with Kent County Council's "Plan Bee" initiative

Equipment

All equipment to be provided by the contractor. Equipment used should be suitable for purpose and properly maintained.

Insurance

The contractor is responsible for ensuring adequate public liability insurance cover is in place at all times. A copy of the certificate to be provided to the Council on agreement of the contract and before commencement of any works.

Health & Safety

The contractor is responsible for ensuring all Health & Safety regulations are adhered to including any signage required whilst working.

Contract Term

This is a fixed term contract for a period of 36 months commencing June 2022, subject to review after 12 months to ensure all works are of a satisfactory standard.

Matthew Bullen
Clerk to the Council
5 April 2022

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