

Report to Corporate Director

Subject: CCTV Camera for Main Street, Burton Joyce.

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1. Purpose of the Report

To obtain Director approval, in consultation with the Council's Chief Financial Officer and Monitoring Officer, to direct award a CCTV camera on Main Street, Burton Joyce with Central Security Systems Ltd for a value of £10,261.73, plus £2,200.00 for the base for the CCTV to stand on, in accordance with Rule 35.3(iv) of the Council's Contract and Procurement Rules.

2. Recommendations

It is recommended that the Director of Corporate Resources in consultation with the Council's Chief Financial Officer and Monitoring Officer approves the direct award for a CCTV camera installation to be placed on Main Street, Burton Joyce valued at £12,461.73 in accordance with Rule 35.3(viii) of the Councils Contract and Procurement Rules. Gedling Borough Council have an installation and maintenance contract with Central Security Systems and this CCTV Camera installation will be part of this existing contract.

3. Background

Gedling Borough Council currently have a CCTV reserve fund for the delivery and maintenance of the Council's CCTV Camera System currently being provided to the Gedling Borough.

A key aim of the CCTV camera on Main Street in Burton Joyce is to prevent and deter crime and disorder. The proposal is to use Central Security Systems Ltd to provide and fit the CCTV Camera and to add this camera to their current Maintenance Contract that services the other CCTV Cameras in the Gedling Borough.

(35.3viii) The provision of supplies and execution of the works involves specialist and unique knowledge and skills as part of a contract already in place which includes supply of parts and maintenance.

As Gedling Borough Council already have a Contract with Central Security Systems, this installation will ensure consistency with the works previously undertaken by the contractor concerned. E.g., laying of cables and installation of transmitters to connect to the Council's existing Central CCTV operation room within this recommendation. Central Security Systems will provide the necessary works and the future maintenance of this camera (see quote attached).

4. Proposal

It is proposed that the Council adds this CCTV camera to the existing maintenance contract which Gedling Borough Councils has with Central Security Systems, for the purposes of reducing crime and disorder in accordance with the quotation received and shown at Appendix 1

5. Alternative Options

The alternative would be to undertake a competitive procurement procedure which would then require a new maintenance quote from another provider which will not fit in with the working arrangements of the current CCTV cameras working in Gedling Borough presently. Consequences for such a delay may impact on the recording of potential acts of ASB in the Burton Joyce area and on the recording of acts of crime both in terms of the perpetrator and the victim which would serve to cause reputational damage to the council.

6. Financial Implications

The cost of the proposed CCTV Camera valued of £12,461.73 to be funded by the GBC CCTV reserve fund.

7. Legal Implications

Procurement of contracts by the Council must be undertaken in accordance with the Public Contract Regulations 2015 and the Council's Contract and Procurement Rules.

In accordance with Rule 33.5 (viii) if the relevant director is satisfied, in consultation with the Council's Chief Financial Officer and Monitoring Officer, that the contract involves unique specialist and unique knowledge and skills as part of a contract already in place which includes supply of parts and maintenance, then the Council can direct award the contract.

8. Equality Implications

There are equalities implications identified for this report.

9. Carbon Reductions/Environmental Sustainability Implications

There are no environmental impacts identified for this report.

10. Appendices

Appendix 1 – Central Security Ltd Quotation

11. Background papers

There are no background papers.

