Kent County Council Job Description: Assistant Disposal, Acquisition and Investment Surveyor

Directorate:	Strategic and Corporate Services
Unit/Section:	Infrastructure
Grade:	KR8
Responsible to:	Principal Disposal, Investment and Acquisitions Surveyor

Purpose of the Job:

Provide support to surveyors on a range of portfolio projects ensuring, all necessary actions are taken to maximise value, minimise operational costs / liabilities and promote efficient use of assets

Main duties and responsibilities:

1.Support the delivery of pro-active property advice and guidance to managers, and partners in respect of a portfolio of properties in a business focused and consistent way.

2.Support surveyors in implementing all necessary activity and operating policies to ensure that vacant, acquisition and investment portfolios of land and property are fully managed, leading on specific activities as required.

3 Deliver a programme of straight forward disposal, acquisition and investment delivery plans in accordance with service strategies ensuring best value and maximum benefit at minimum cost

4. Undertake and support specific projects, researching and providing advice and information on a range of issues enabling solutions to be found. Analyse, interpret and evaluate data using a range of techniques

5. Ensure externally procured property consultancy advice drives value for money and that commissions are completed on time, within budget and to a high quality

6 Provide accurate and up to date management and performance information, and data regarding assets in the investment, disposal portfolio or as part of an acquisition strategy to enable an informed response to enquiries regarding the Council's assets

7. Promote and deliver a customer focused approach, displaying customer focused, professional and empathetic behaviour. Provide excellent service ensuring delivery is high quality and puts the customer at the heart of every aspect of the work in fulfilling customer expectations.

8. Promote an environment for innovation with opportunities to plan new interventions that will drive innovation and proactively embracing new ways of working. Consistently looking at the current way of working to see how this can be improved.

9.Continually develop professional skills and knowledge, sharing this and good practice examples with colleagues, in order to build capacity in the function.

Footnote: This job description is provided to assist the job holder to know what his/her main duties are. It may be amended from time to time without change to the level of responsibility appropriate to the grade of post.

Kent County Council Person Specification: Assistant Disposal, Acquisition and Investment Surveyor

The following outlines the criteria for this post. Applicants who have a disability and who meet the criteria will be shortlisted.

	Applicants should describe in their application how they meet these criteria.	
Qualifications	Level 3 qualification or equivalent or relevant first level professional	
	qualification	
	Evidence of relevant training relating to the role	
Experience	Experience of working in a similar environment	
	Experience of working with a range of occupied and unoccupied property	
	Experience of working in a small professional team	
Skills and Abilities	Good interpersonal and communication skills, both oral and written	
	Ability to understand KCC's policies and procedures and use where required	
	Able to think laterally and take a problem-solving approach	
	Good IT skills in MS Office packages	
	Ability to prioritise and work to a range of timescales	
Knowledge	Knowledge of working in a property environment with a portfolio	
	Some experience or practical knowledge of procurement	
	Awareness of the main legislative framework in the property sector	
KENT VALUES AND	Kent Values:	
CULTURAL ATTRIBUTES	• We are brave . We do the right thing, we accept and offer challenge	
	 We are curious to innovate and improve 	
	 We are compassionate, understanding and respectful to all 	
	 We are strong together by sharing knowledge 	
	 We are all responsible for the difference we make 	
	Our values enable us to build a culture that is:	
	Flexible/agile - willing to take (calculated) risks and want people that are flexible and agile	

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Curious - constantly learning and evolving Compassionate and Inclusive - compassionate, understanding and respectful to all
Working Together - building and delivering for the best interests of Kent
Empowering - Our people take accountability for their decisions and actions
Externally Focused - Residents, families and communities at the heart of decision making
(If this document is being used for recruitment purposes, examples of Behaviours which support the Kent Values will need to be demonstrated within the context of this post)