



RYDE TOWN COUNCIL CONTRACT SPECIFICATION

Competitive tender document.

Committee:	Planning and Environment
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Contract Title:	Eastern Garden Sign
Tender Return:	No latter than <u>Thursday 9th April</u>

Contract Address:

Entrance sign to Eastern Gardens. (next to LA Bowl)

Ryde Esplanade.

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Access

Erect scaffold to provide access for accurate measurement of the arch and support for the existing sign during its removal.

Demolition

Remove the cast iron lettering and the ornate top cast iron decoration and set aside for reuse. Remove the wrought iron arch either whole or in pieces and dispose of using an appropriate waste handler.

Fabrication

Fabricate a new wrought iron curved arch to accurately match the existing. Sandblast the cast iron letters and decorative top decoration. Send the arch and the cast ironwork for hot dip galvanising.

Decoration

Paint the galvanized ironwork with a suitable primer and apply two coat oil based paint, undercoat and gloss, matching the colours of the original arch.

Installation

Either use beam lifts and/or scaffold to install the new arch and sign.

Health and safety

The successful bidder will submit details of the following:

1. Third party insurance cover.
2. A detailed method statement including any heavy machinery used.
3. An appropriate Risk Assessment
4. A plan of where safety barriers and scaffold will be in placed to keep the public safe.

Whilst the removal and installation process is taking place the successful tenderer should provide a spotter to keep the public clear of the operation.

Miscellaneous contract details

This arch is dangerous so it will need removal ASAP. Significant weight is attributed to the timely delivery of this project so as part of your quotation you should also include when you can commence and complete this project.