

EXECUTIVE

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REPORT: Award of Waste Services Contract

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Supplementary Officer Report

Officers have concluded discussions with Veolia ES (UK) Plc in relation to who owns the refuse vehicles (see para 5.14). Officers believe that the £50k saving would not be advantageous to the Council as the administrative costs and risks will outweigh the saving. Vehicle ownership should therefore remain with the contractor as originally proposed. No changes are needed to the recommendations.

Motion in the name of the Lead Member for Environment, Planning & Culture:-

The Executive notes recommendations 2.1, 2.2 and 2.4 of the report and agrees the reasoning set out in the report for proceeding with the award of contract as set out in the recommendations. The Executive therefore recommends to Full Council that

- (i) the Waste Services Contract be awarded to Veolia ES (UK) Plc on the basis of Permutation Enhanced 12 (Package 4); and
- (ii) the Director of Environment and Culture, in consultation with the Director of Finance and Corporate Resources, be authorised to decide whether to proceed with the option for the Council to purchase the waste vehicles for the contract as set out in paragraph 5.14 of this report.