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DECISION RECORD ¹

Officer Key Decisions are subject to the Council's Call-In Procedure (Annex 9 of the Council's Constitution) **Council's Constitution**

Subject: Re-procurement and award of contract to undertake routine vegetation management on the Rights of Way network in Hertfordshire from 2018 to 2022.

(Please use the same title as provided in the Forward Plan)

Staff Contact: Simon Aries	Executive Member: Phil Bibby
Tel: 25255	Portfolio: Highways and the Environment

1. Decision ²

To award contract lots bid-for to Much Hadham Landscapes and Turney Landscapes respectively, achieving part coverage of the network. Remaining lots not bid for to be awarded through subsequent Single Tender Action to achieve complete network coverage.

2. Reasons for the decision ³

Outcome of moderated tender evaluation taking into account price and quality of submissions.

3. Alternative options considered and rejected ⁴

Re-tender of all lots.

4. Consultation

- (a) Comments of Executive Member ^{5 6}
No comments.
- (b) Comments of other consultees ⁷

5. Following consultation with, and the concurrence of the Executive Member, I am proceeding with the proposed decision.

Signed:

Title: ...Assistant Director Transport Waste and Environmental Management
 Date: 21/12/18.....

6. Copies of agreed document to:

- All consultees
- All members of the County Council (Democratic Services to send)

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- Hard & electronic copy (for public inspection both at County Hall and on hertfordshire.gov.uk) to the Democratic Services Manager - Room 213 County Hall; democratic.services@hertfordshire.gov.uk

¹ Please refer to the Call-in and Contract Award Process for officers to determine if notice on this decision record for successful and unsuccessful bidders is exempt information and is therefore subject to inclusion in Annex 'A'

² If this decision relates to the award of contract, please provide a summary of the evaluation process and reasons for the award of contract to the successful bidder.

³ for guidance see Chief Legal Officer's note "Taking Decisions"

⁴ details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the officer at the time the decision was made

⁵ record any conflict of interest declared by any Executive Member consulted. If an Executive Member declares a conflict of interest DO NOT PROCEED without taking advice from the Chief Legal Officer

⁶ If the matter has general significance for the Council and/or is, or is likely to be, controversial, then the officer shall consult the appropriate Executive Member before proceeding. In some cases it will be necessary to consult more than one Executive Member, and in some cases the Leader of The Council will need to be consulted

⁷ If the matter has local significance, but no general significance for the Council and no controversial aspects, the officer shall consult or inform the local member in writing (or by email) and proceed. It is essential that all officers responsible for delivering services ensure that local members are kept well briefed on issues affecting their areas.