Delegated Decision Notice (DDN)

This form is the written record of a key, significant operational or administrative decision taken by an officer.

Decision type	⋉	Significant	Administrative		
		Operational Decision	Decision		
Approximate	☐ Below £500,000	☐ below £25,000	☐ below £25,000		
value	£500,000 to £1,000,000	£25,000 to £100,000	£25,000 to £100,000		
	over £1,000,000	☐ £100,000 to £500,000			
		Over £500,000			
Director ¹	Director of Communities, Housing and Environment				
Contact person:			Telephone number:		
	Paul Rounding		3781196		
Subject ² :	DN559021: Call off from the Kitchens Bathrooms and Rewires framework				
	for 2021/22 Housing Planned works				
Decision	What decision has been taken?				
details ³ :	(Set out all necessary decisions to be taken by the decision taker including decisions in				
	relation to exempt information, exemption from call in etc.)				
	 The Director of Communities, Housing and Environment has approved to undertake a call off from the Council's Kitchens, Bathrooms and Rewires framework and run a price only minicompetition to appoint a single contractor to undertake the works in 2021-22 (year 4) for a total approx. value of £1.4m. A brief statement of the reasons for the decision (Include any significant financial, procurement, legal or equalities implications, having consulted with Finance, PACS, Legal, HR and Equality colleagues as appropriate) For 2021/22 (year 4), we are seeking to award £1.4m to external contractors. 				
	The Council is looking to achieve greater cost savings through appointing a				
	single contractor after competition from the framework via a price only mini				
	competition. All organisations have agreed to this approach				

¹ Give title of Director with delegated responsibility for function to which decision relates.

² If the decision is key and has appeared on the list of forthcoming key decisions, the title of the decision should be the same as that used in the list ³ Simply refer to supporting report where used as these matters have been set out in detail.

	Brief details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the decision maker at the time of making the decision			
	The alternative options were to:			
	Allocate the planned works for 2021/22 to our internal service provider			
	Leeds Building Services. Although LBS are in the process of delivering			
	a programme of works in 21/22 the Head of LBS has confirmed that they			
	cannot deliver these works of approx. £1.4m.			
	Allocate the planned works to the three contractors on the Kitchens, Bathrooms and Rewires framework on a 40%/30%/30% basis as had			
	been done in previous years. This option was discounted as potential cost savings could be achieved by selecting a single contractor through a mini competition on a price only basis. To split the amount of £1.4m between 3 contractors would not be cost effective for such items as 3			
	sets/ costs of preliminaries, site set etc for little overall value of works. In			
	addition, all 3 contractors have agreed to tender in competition for these works.			
	Further details are on the Report, see attached.			
Affected wards:	City Wide			
Details of	Executive Member			
consultation	N/A			
undertaken ⁴ :	Ward Councillors			
	N/A			
	Others			
	Legal and Procurement Colleagues have been consulted throughout the			
	process of preparing call off documents			
Implementation	Officer accountable, and proposed timescales for implementation			
List of	Date Added to List:- N/A as this was done when the framework was first formed.			

⁴ Include details of any interest disclosed by an elected Member on consultation and the date of any relevant dispensation given.

Forthcoming Key Decisions ⁵	If Special Urgency or General Exception a brief statement of the reason why it is impracticable to delay the decision				
	If Special Urgency Relevant Scrutiny Chair(s) approval				
	Signature		Date		
Publication of report ⁶	If not published for 5 clear working days prior to decision being taken the reason why not possible:				
	If published late relevant Executive member's approval				
	Signature		Date		
Call In	Is the decision available ⁷		□ No		
	for call-in?				
	If exempt from call-in, the reason why call-in would prejudice the interests of the council or the public:				
Approval of	Authorised decision maker ⁸				
Decision	James Rogers, Director of Communities, Housing and Environment				
	Signature		Date		
	My		16/9/21		

⁵ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 2.4 - 2.6. Complete this section for key decisions only ⁶ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 3.1. Complete this section for key decisions only ⁷ See Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rule 5.1. Significant operational decisions taken by officers are never available for call in. Key decisions are always available for call in unless they have been exempted from call in under rule 5.1.3.

⁸ Give the post title and name of the officer with appropriate delegated authority to take the decision.