
RECORD OF DECISION BY CABINET MEMBER

Decision taken by:

Lead Member for Finance, Performance and Strategic Assets

Date of Decision:

22 September 2022

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22 September 2022

Decision:

PROCUREMENT OF ASBESTOS SURVEYING AND ANALYTICAL CONTRACT

To approve the Procurement of Asbestos Surveying and Analytical Contract.

Purpose of Decision:

The decision was to obtain approval for Denbighshire County Council to commence a procurement and enter into a works contract with an Asbestos Surveying and Analytical Contractor. The purpose for requiring this approval was due to the contract being bespoke and structured for a term of 12 months with the opportunity to extend at intervals of 12 months to a maximum of 10 years' dependant on performance.

Reasons for Decision:

The reason for making this decision was to enable the Council to maintain a contractual agreement with an Asbestos Surveying and Analytical contractor in order to deliver the ongoing maintenance of Asbestos provision.

The Council had an existing agreement with North Star Environmental, following a procurement exercise completed in November 2018. However, the team have decided a more flexible and streamlined approach would be preferred. Following consultation with the Legal and Procurement teams it was felt that a Call-Off Contract would facilitate a better working relationship between partners and allow for a more bespoke service.

The existing framework agreement between Denbighshire County Council and North Star Environmental expired on 11th November 2022. This has been extended to the 31st January 2023 to allow sufficient time to complete the

procurement process.

Interests Declared:

No interests to declare

Consultation:

The report along with the commissioning form, the well-being impact assessment and community benefits offer, were circulated to the mandatory delegated decision officer group, the Lead Officer and Lead Member for Finance, Performance and Assets Gwyneth Ellis and feedback acted upon. The report accompanying this decision has been circulated to all members of the Council.

Authority for delegation of the decision to the Cabinet Member:

See Scheme of Delegation.