

By: Peter Sass: Head of Democratic Services
To: Cabinet Scrutiny Committee – 1 June 2011
Subject: Appointment of 'Preferred Bidder' on new Kent Highway Services Contract

This item is provisional dependent on discussions that are due to take place between the Conservative Spokesperson, the Cabinet Member, Environment, Highways and Waste and the Director of Highways. The item will be withdrawn should the concerns of the Conservative Spokesperson be resolved in the course of those discussions.

Background

(1) Members wish to examine whether the cost of the contract is sustainable if quality is to be maintained

Guests

(1) Mr D Brazier, Deputy Cabinet Member, Environment, Highways and Waste, Mr M Austerberry, Corporate Director, Enterprise and Environment and Mr J Burr, Director of Kent Highways have been invited to attend the meeting between 12.15pm and 12.45pm to answer Member's questions on this item.

Options for the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee

(1) The Cabinet Scrutiny Committee may:

(a) make no comments

(b) express comments but not require reconsideration of the decision

(c) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending reconsideration of the matter in the light of the Committee's comments by whoever took the decision or

(d) require implementation of the decision to be postponed pending consideration of the matter by the full Council.

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