

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL – PROPOSED RECORD OF DECISION

DECISION TAKEN BY:

Matthew Balfour, Cabinet Member for Environment & Transport

DECISION NO:

16/00015

For publication

Key decision*

*Affects more than 2 Electoral Divisions
Expenditure or savings of > £1m*

Subject: Title of Decision

West and Mid Kent Dry Recyclables Processing Contract

Decision:

As Cabinet Member for Environment & Transport. I agree to give authority to the Head of Waste Services to award the West & Mid-Kent Dry Recyclables contract, subject to successful procurement and also to offer contract extensions of up to two years subject to achieving satisfactory service performance and, being commercially beneficial to KCC

Reason(s) for decision:

The provision of these disposal services is a legal obligation under the Environmental Protection Act 1980. The current contract term is due to expire in June 2016 therefore a new procurement is needed.

Cabinet Committee recommendations and other consultation:

Market Engagement and bench marking with other authorities has been undertaken in developing the KCC approach to the tendering process.

Any alternatives considered:

Waste Collection and Disposal Authorities are mandated to adhere to the Landfill Regulations and the Waste Hierarchy, where landfill is the last resort. Residual values of recycled materials mean that processing of materials still remains the most commercially attractive alternative to disposal.

Any interest declared when the decision was taken and any dispensation granted by the Proper Officer:

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signed

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date