

DECISION NOTICE (GMP)

Decision author and proposer: Vicky Chekwoti / Ben Doran

Subject:
A1055 Fuel Cards

Type of decision:			
Deputy decision	Mayor's	X	Chief Officer's decision

<p>The decision is that:</p> <p>The Deputy Mayor approves the award of a 2 year contract for Fuel Cards, to Allstar, with the option to extend for a further 3 years. The likely value of 5 years spend would be circa £5m.</p>
<p>The reasons for the decision are:</p> <p>The Bluelight Commercial (BLC) have tendered the contract by running a mini competition from the CCS framework ref; RM6186 Fuel Cards and Associated Services VI. The contract has been awarded to the highest scoring bidder.</p> <p>The aggregated spend on the BLC call-off offers greater chance of savings versus recompeting this as an individual force.</p>
<p>Alternative options considered and rejected:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do nothing – rejected as non-compliant with Procurement Legislation and Chief Constable’s Financial Instructions. • Undertake a bespoke procurement exercise (OJEU) –rejected as there is a suitable framework available. • Extend current arrangements – rejected as non-compliant with Procurement Legislation and Chief Constable’s Financial Instructions.
<p>Financial comments:</p> <p>The cost of this contract will be circa £1m per annum and there is appropriate provision for this in the current budget.</p>
<p>Legal comments:</p>

The contract will be awarded as per the standard terms and conditions of the Crown Commercial Services RM6186 framework.

These have been reviewed by the Force Contracts Solicitor and no issues have been identified.

Risk Assessment:

There are no risks as this is a compliant process.

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Signed on behalf of GMP



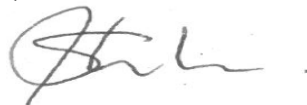
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Name: **Steve Wilson**

Date: **08/03/2024**

Agreed by Deputy Mayor

Signed: ... 

Name: ... Kate Green

Date: 13th March 2024