



<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Update on Contracts</b>
<b>Date:</b>	23rd April, 2021
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<b>Restricted Reports</b>	
<b>Is this report restricted?</b>	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>If Yes, when will the report become unrestricted?</b>	
After Committee Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
After Council Decision	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sometime in the future	<input type="checkbox"/>
Never	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Call-in</b>	
<b>Is the decision eligible for Call-in?</b>	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>

<b>1.0</b>	<b>Purpose of Report or Summary of main Issues</b>
1.1	The purpose of this report is to seek approval from the Committee for Tenders over £30,000.
<b>2.0</b>	<b>Recommendation</b>
2.1	The Committee is asked to approve the public advertisement of tenders, as per Standing Order 37a detailed in Appendix 1 ( <b>Table 1</b> ).
<b>3.0</b>	<b>Main Report</b>
	<u>Competitive Tenders</u>
3.1	Section 2.5 of the Scheme of Delegation states Chief Officers have delegated authority to authorise a contract for the procurement of goods, services or works over the statutory limit of £30,000 following a tender exercise where the council has approved the invitation to tender.
3.2	Standing Order 60(a) states that any contract that exceeds the statutory amount (currently £30,000) shall be made under the Corporate Seal. Under Standing Order 51(b), the Corporate Seal can only be affixed when there is a resolution of the Council.

3.3	Standing Order 54 states that every contract shall comply with the relevant requirements of national and European legislation.
	<b>Financial and Resource Implications</b>
3.4	The financial resources for these contracts are within approved corporate or departmental budgets
	<b>Equality or Good Relations Implications / Rural Needs Assessment</b>
3.5	None
<b>4.0</b>	<b>Document Attached</b>
	Appendix 1 - Table 1 - Competitive Tenders