

Record of Officer's Decision

The Openness of Local Government Bodies Regulations 2014

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

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Date of Decision:	13 January 2023
Decision Maker (Officer):	James Hill – Open Space and Transport Manager
Authority for Delegated Decision (Cabinet Decision or Scheme of Delegation – provide reference):	Part 3, Schedule 3 – Responsibility for Executive Functions delegated to Officers paragraph 4.3 (1) – the Corporate Director has delegated authority to discharge executive functions within their respective service areas (Part 3.42). All delegations are subject to consultation where considered appropriate in the circumstances (paragraph 4.3 (4(ii) – Part 3.42).
If required, identify which Cabinet Member(s)/Portfolio Holder(s) consulted?	Environment and Public Spaces Portfolio Holder
Is it a Key Decision?	No
Decision Made:	To accept the quotation from Carparison Limited for four new and replacement fleet vehicles.
Reason for Decision (if a report was produced to support the Decision, refer to and attach the same):	The vehicles allow the Council to provide its day-to-day maintenance services across the Tendring District.
Highlight any associated risks/finance/legal/equality considerations:	As above
	The expenditure is within the existing Transport budget for the Council
Details of any Alternative Options Considered and rejected (together with reasons):	The vehicles being replaced are used by frontline services and have reached the end of their 5-year contract hire. Not to replace the vehicles will lead to increased down time for breakdown and repairs.
Details of any declarations of interest (by Cabinet Member/Portfolio Holder who was consulted by the officer, which related to the decision)	The Portfolio Holder has signed a letter of concurrence.

If relevant, a note of the dispensation granted by the Monitoring Officer:	
Reason Decision is not published:	Decision contains confidential information
	Decision falls within an exemption pursuant to Sch 12A Local Government Act 1972 Information:
Tick one or more of the specific exemptions,	Relates to an individual
	Likely to reveal the identity of an individual
<u>and</u>	Relating to financial or business affairs of a person or organisation
Give more information in the final box with regards to why the exemption applies and	Relates to a claim for legal professional privilege in legal proceedings
outweighs the public interest test (which is in favour of disclosure).	Reveals that the Council proposes to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or to make an order or direction under any enactment
	Relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime
	And is exempt if and so long, as in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information
	Reasons:

Officers

Officers James Hill – Open Space and Transport Manager

Signed:

In consultation with:

Signed: M. J. Salbot

Portfolio Holder for Environment and Public Spaces

Dated: 13/1/2023