

EX48. GPS NATIONAL FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR THE PROVISION OF LIQUID FUEL: OJEU 127585-2013

The Executive considered a report on the establishment of a Framework agreement for the provision of Liquid Fuel.

The current national Framework for the supply of liquid fuel will end on 30 September 2013. A new Framework agreement is being developed by the Government Procurement Service (GPS). This will provide the Council with access to suppliers for the bulk delivery of diesel and fuel. The Framework Agreement will provide for call-off contracts which will be established through competition and will be in place by the end of September.

The total estimated cost of the call-off contract for the period 10 October 2013 – 30 September 2015 would be approximately £4,000,000. Approval was sought to delegate authority to the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services to accept the contracts in order to meet the required timescales.

Decision

The Executive agreed:-

- 1) to authorise the Director of Corporate and Neighbourhood Services to enter into the Government Procurement Service Framework and award call-off contracts under the agreement for the provision of liquid fuels at a cost of approximately £4,000,000 for the period 1 October 2013 to 30 September 2015; and**
- 2) that the outcome of the call-off process will be reported in the next Information Bulletin.**