

REPORT TO: HOUSING, DUNDEE CONTRACT SERVICES AND ENVIRONMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE - 25th APRIL 2011

REPORT ON: PURCHASE OF WHEELED BINS AND CONTAINERS

REPORT BY: HEAD OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

REPORT NO: 185-2011

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To authorise the purchase of the annual quantity of replacement wheeled bins and containers which are estimated to be required during 2011/12.

2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

- 2.1 It is recommended that approval be given to purchase the following estimated quantities:

<u>Type</u>	<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Total Estimated Cost</u>
140 litre	2000	£26,000
240 litre	6500	£117,000
Recycling Boxes	850	£4,250
Commercial/Street Eurobins	350	£78,750

3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1 The total estimated expenditure on new and replacement containers is estimated at £226,000. This will be met from the Department's Capital Budget.

4.0 MAIN TEXT

- 4.1 The Waste Management Department provides a domestic and commercial waste collection and recycling service to over 70,000 properties within the city of Dundee. New or replacement containers require to be issued where new routes are introduced; or to new commercial customers; or to householders and traders who wish to participate in recycling schemes or where containers have been damaged. Where possible, refurbished containers will be provided by the Department, however new containers require to be added to the Council's stock to meet demands.
- 4.3 All containers will be supplied via pre-tendered Frameworks from Scotland Excel.

5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 This report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti-Poverty, Equality Impact Assessment and Risk Management.

5.2 There are no major issues.

6.0 CONSULTATION

6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Director of Finance and Assistant Chief Executive have been consulted in relation to this report.

7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 None.

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Date: 21st March 2011