

**REPORT TO:** HOUSING, DUNDEE CONTRACT SERVICES & ENVIRONMENT  
SERVICES COMMITTEE - 11th MAY 2009

**REPORT ON:** PURCHASE OF CONTAINERS

**REPORT BY:** HEAD OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

**REPORT NO:** 266-2009

## **1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 To authorise the purchase of skips and containers for use in the collection and recycling operations within the Waste Management Department.

## **2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS**

- 2.1 It is recommended that the offers detailed from the suppliers below are accepted.

5 - of	32cu/yd	Sellers Engineering Ltd, Oldham	£16975
5 - of	40cu/yd(split)	" "	£19150
6 - of	14cu/yd	" "	£7482
6 - of	8cu/yd	" "	£4098

## **3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

- 3.1 The total cost of the containers is £47,705. Provision for this expenditure has been made in the Waste Management Department's Capital Budget for 2009/10.

## **4.0 MAIN TEXT**

- 4.1 These containers are used in various sections of the collection and recycling operations within the Waste Management Department and are now beyond economic repair and in need of replacement.
- 4.2 A tender was issued to a number of container suppliers and a summary of the tenders is attached.

## **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.

(a) Sustainability

The actions outlined within this report have implications on the “waste management” sustainability policy principle.

- They will improve resource efficiency through re-use and recycling and will maximise economic opportunities arising from waste.

(b) Strategic Environmental Assessment

The Report has been screened by an SEA representative and it has been concluded that a Strategic Environmental Assessment is not required on this occasion.

(c) Anti-Poverty

None.

(d) Equal Opportunities Implications

Suppliers are required to complete and return a questionnaire to ensure that their business complies fully with the Race Relations Act 1976. All companies listed comply fully with the Act.

## 6.0 CONSULTATION

- 6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services), Depute Chief Executive (Finance) and Head of Finance have all been consulted in relation to this report. There have been no issues arising from the consultation.

## 7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

### 7.1 Summary of Tenders (ref WMD/09/01)

Company Name & Address	8 cu/yd open	14 cu/yd closed	25 cu/yd open	35 cu/yd open	40 cu/yd open	40 cu/yd split	32 cu/yd closed	comments
Sellers Engineering, Oldham.	£683	£1247	£3151	£3497	£3795	£3830	£3395	RECOMMENDED
Skip Units, Derbyshire	£655 *	£965 *	£3175	£3515	£3620	£3875	£4125	* delivery extra
Randalls Fabr' Kinsley	£690 *	£1030 *	£3288	£3623	£3788	£4098	£4573	* delivery extra

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