Bolsover District Council

Executive

28th November 2016

Joint Procurement Strategy

Report of the Solicitor to the Council

This report is public

Purpose of the Report

• To seek approval of the draft Joint Procurement Strategy that has been developed.

1 <u>Report Details</u>

- 1.1 The Council has a Corporate Target to produce a Joint Procurement Strategy. The deadline for this has been extended to the end of November.
- 1.2 Over the last few months, a Joint Procurement Strategy for the Strategic Alliance has been developed. This is attached. This has been considered by SAMT, the Procurement Unit and the members of the Strategic Alliance Joint Committee.
- 1.3 Members are being asked to approve the Strategy.

2 <u>Conclusions and Reasons for Recommendation</u>

- 2.1 The Council should have a Procurement Strategy and has made this a corporate target.
- 2.2 The attached draft is the preferred format for this.
- 2.3 An Action Plan is attached to the Strategy. This includes proposals for training on procurement as well as the Strategy itself.

3 Consultation and Equality Impact

- 3.1 SAMT has been consulted as has the Procurement Unit.
- 3.2 An Equality Impact Assessment has been carried out.

4 <u>Alternative Options and Reasons for Rejection</u>

4.1 Various formats have been considered and this is the preferred one.

5 <u>Implications</u>

5.1 Finance and Risk Implications

5.1.1 There are no direct Finance consequences in relation to the Strategy. The Finance and risk implications will arise with each individual procurement rather than in relation to the Strategy.

5.2 Legal Implications including Data Protection

5.2.1 As in the draft Joint Procurement Strategy.

5.3 <u>Human Resources Implications</u>

5.3.1 None

6 <u>Recommendations</u>

- 6.1 That Joint Procurement Strategy is approved.
- 6.2 That delegated power is given to the Solicitor to the Council to make minor amendments to the Strategy.

7 <u>Decision Information</u>

Is the decision a Key Decision? (A Key Decision is an executive decision which results in income or expenditure to the Council of £50,000 or more or which has a significant impact on two or more District wards)	No
Is the decision subject to Call-In? (Only Key Decisions are subject to Call-In)	No
District Wards Affected	N/A
Links to Corporate Plan priorities or Policy Framework	Transforming our Organisation

8 <u>Document Information</u>

Appendix No	Title	
1 2	Joint Procurement Strategy Equality Impact Assessment	
Background Papers (These are unpublished works which have been relied on to a material extent when preparing the report. They must be listed in the section below. If the report is going to Cabinet (NEDDC) or Executive (BDC) you must provide copies of the background papers)		
Draft attached		
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