

Date of Cabinet	Report Title	Cabinet Decision	Recommendation/Decision Request	Written Response
18 Oct 2022	Call In of Cabinet Decision: Recycling and Waste Service Post 2024	Cabinet considered the recommendations of the Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee as outlined in paragraph 4.1 of the report and agreed to provide a written response to the Committee.	<p>COSC on 30 June 2022 made the following Recommendation:</p> <p>Following consideration and detailed discussion with Officers and the Executive, the Committee agreed by majority that it would not refer the matter back to Cabinet for further consideration but to send a report to a future Cabinet meeting recommending the following:</p> <p>a) That any future consideration of the Waste contract be presented to the Corporate Overview and Scrutiny Committee at a suitable time so as to enable pre-decision scrutiny and effective input into any forthcoming decision. The Committee requested that this incorporate any specialist advice that is commissioned for the future waste service model, before referring on to Cabinet, as mentioned at paragraph 9.5 of the Cabinet report;</p> <p>b) That going forward, contingency measures as well as a deeper look at other possible options for waste service provision is fully and openly considered and deliberated;</p> <p>c) That the other options that were considered in order for Cabinet to arrive at the current decision for a short-term waste contract from 2024 to 2026, be published in the public domain to ensure full openness and transparency.</p>	<p>A) This recommendation is accepted and once a feasibility report has been concluded on the proposed options for the delivery of the waste service post 2026, this can be discussed with COSC prior to any Cabinet decision. The proposed timescale for this is early Autumn 2023.</p> <p>B) This is a similar request to point A above and a commitment is made to discuss all waste service options with Scrutiny Pre-Cabinet decision.</p> <p>C) The only feasible option for the interim waste contract, that is 2024 to 2026, was to tender the contract commercially. This was because of the limited timescales surrounding the decision points and the fact that the service is not being changed at this point in time. The same collection methodology and plant and vehicles are being used, for the two-year period. For the waste services delivery from 2026 however, there will be an opportunity to look at all viable delivery options, including a commercial tender, arm's length company and also the possibility of bringing the service back in house. This work will commence in tandem with the interim contract award and as stated in point A above can be discussed later this year with Scrutiny.</p>