

**Officer Decision**  
**Taken under the Scheme of Delegation**

This decision has been taken in accordance with the county council's Scheme of Delegation to Officers, as set out in section 9 of the [Constitution](#).

<b>Decision taken on behalf of the:</b>	Director of Environment and Planning
<b>Officer taking the decision:</b>	Marcus Hudson, Head of Planning & Transport, 01772 530696, <a href="mailto:marcus.hudson@lancashire.gov.uk">marcus.hudson@lancashire.gov.uk</a>
<b>Service Area:</b>	Environment and Planning

**Key Details**

<b>Waiving Standing Orders to Procure Love To Ride Lancashire</b>	
<b>Decision Date:</b>	02/09/2024
<b>Part I or Part II:</b>	Part I
<b>Reason for Part II: (if applicable)</b>	N/A
<b>Divisions Affected:</b>	(All Divisions);

**The Decision**

<b>Background</b>		
Love to Ride operate a national cycling behaviour change programme, which LCC have engaged with for over 10 years and we want to continue this relationship.		
	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>Is this a decision made under a specific delegation from Full Council, Cabinet or another committee?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>If so, does this discharge the delegation in full?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Did the delegation require you to consult with a Cabinet Member(s) or specific officer(s) prior to taking the decision?</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>If so, specify the names of the Cabinet Member(s)/officer(s) you have consulted with:</b>		
N/A		
<b>The Decision</b>		
Marcus Hudson, Head of Planning & Transport, on behalf of the Andrew Mullaney,		



Director of Environment and Planning took a decision to approve the waiver of Procurement Rule 9 (ie. three quotes) and procure Love to Ride through via direct award.

**Were any other options considered and, if so, what were they and why were they discounted?**

Officers considered going through a standard (ie. three quotes) procurement process but as Love to Ride offer a unique product, it was seen to be more efficient and effective to progress with a direct award.

**Background Papers**

None

**Declaration**

		Yes	N/A
In taking this decision, I confirm that I have taken into consideration and kept a record of all relevant advice from the following services:		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Where appropriate, consultation with the relevant Cabinet Member(s) has been completed.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Where appropriate and where the decision impacts on a particular locality, the relevant councillor(s) for the electoral division(s) have been consulted.		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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