

Report to the Deputy Leader of the County Council**Report submitted by: Head of Service, Public and Integrated Transport****Date: 15 December 2015****Title of Report:** Procurement of Service Providers to a Framework Agreement for the Provision of Local and School Bus Services in Lancashire**Brief Description:**

This report sets out a recommendation, following completion of a tender process conducted in accordance with the County Council's standing orders, domestic and EU procurement law, to approve the award of a contract to set up a framework agreement for the supply of Local and School Bus Services in Lancashire.

This is deemed to be a Key Decision and the provisions of Standing Order No. 25 have been complied with.

Recommendation:

The Deputy Leader of the County Council approved the recommendation as set out in the full report.

The full report is not available for publication as it contains exempt information as defined in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972. The report contains information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information). It is considered that in all the circumstances of the case the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

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