

ANGUS COUNCIL

INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES COMMITTEE – 21 APRIL 2009

WASTE MANAGEMENT – SHREDDING AND SCREENING OF GREEN WASTE
CONTRACT

REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES

ABSTRACT

This report deals with the tender for the supply of specialist services required for Angus Council waste management operations.

1. RECOMMENDATIONS

1.1 It is recommended that the Committee agree:

- (i) To note tenders received in respect of shredding and screening green waste at the Council's licensed landfill site at Restenneth; and
- (ii) To accept the tender received from Keenan (Recycling) Ltd, New Deer, Turriff awarding the 33 week contract to 30 November 2009 to provide these services at a total price of £82,000.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1 In accordance with the Council's Financial Regulations and as agreed by committee (Report No 176/09) a tender process has been undertaken to award a short term contract for the shredding and screening of green waste, to allow decisions to be taken on whether the Council will undertake this work in-house.
- 2.2 The permit to operate the landfill site requires Angus Council to deal with the waste on the compost site timeously and this contract will comply. Tenders were invited from five contractors for this work.

3. TENDER DETAILS

3.1 Five contractors were invited to tender for this contract. Five contractors completed the tender documents:

	Tender Price	After Checking
Keenan (Recycling) Ltd	£82,000	£82,000
Delson Contracts	£303,400	£303,400
D J Laing (Contracts) Ltd	£296.750	£296.750
Geddes (Contracts) Ltd	£238,500	£238,500
Scottish Water	£184,148	£184,148

4. TENDER EVALUATION

- 4.1 Keenan (Recycling) Ltd, Turriff has submitted the lowest tender.
- 4.2 The lowest tenderer is a major company who specialises in compost production with considerable experience working for local authorities mainly in the north east. This Council has made use of the services of the company previously for shredding green wastes and has been fully satisfied with the quality of work. It is recommended that Keenan (Recycling) Ltd be awarded the contract.

5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 Costs of £60,000 were estimated for this work when the Implementation Plan was drafted, however the tender price of £82,000 exceeds this estimate. The total cost of £82,000 can however be met from Strategic Waste Fund provision with the 2009/10 Environmental and Consumer Protection Revenue Budget.

6. HUMAN RIGHTS

- 6.1 There are no Human Rights issues arising from this report.

7. EQUALITIES IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1 The issues dealt with in this Report have been the subject of consideration from an equalities perspective (as required by legislation). An equalities impact assessment is not required.

8. CONSULTATION

- 8.1 The Chief Executive, Director of Corporate Services, Head of Law and Administration and Head of Finance have been consulted on the contents of this report.

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No background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above report.

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