



Decision Ref. No.

B016/20

DECISION RECORD ¹

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Subject:

The Bishops Stortford High School – Stage 2 Design – Pre-Construction – Award of contract
HCC Contract Reference: HCC1911768
Forward Plan Reference: B016/20

Staff Contact: Jackie Aldridge

Executive Member: Ralph Sangster

Tel: 01992 588138

Portfolio: Resources

1. **Decision**

- 1.1 That the Assistant Director for Property; has determined that Annex A to this Decision Record should not be disclosed to the public as it contains exempt information as defined by Section 100 of the Local Government Act 1972, Schedule 12A, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighing the public interest in disclosing that information;
- 1.2 Subject to 1.1 above, awards the contract for the provision of The Bishops Stortford High School – Stage 2 Design – Pre-Construction to the preferred supplier set out in Annex A and approves the signing of the contract.

2. **Reasons for the decision**

Following procurement analysis the decision was taken based on timescales and the need for delivery of the school for March 2022.

3. **Alternative options considered and rejected ²**

4. **Consultation**

- (a) Comments of Executive Member ^{3 4}
no Comments
- (b) Comments of other consultees ⁵

5. **Following consultation with, and the concurrence of the Executive Member, I am proceeding with the proposed decision.**

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Date: 28-Apr-2020

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6. Copies of agreed document to:

- All consultees
- Chairman, and Vice-Chairmen of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee
- hard & electronic copy (for public inspection both at County Hall and on Hertsdirect) Democratic Services Manager - Room 213 County Hall.

¹ for guidance see Chief Legal Officer's note "Taking Decisions"

² details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the officer at the time the decision was made

³ record any conflict of interest declared by any Executive Member consulted. If an Executive Member declares a conflict of interest DO NOT PROCEED without seeking advice from the Chief Legal Officer

⁴ If the matter has general significance for the Council and/or is, or is likely to be, controversial, then the officer shall consult the appropriate Executive Member before proceeding. In some cases it will be necessary to consult more than one Executive Member, and in some cases the Leader of the Council will need to be consulted

⁵ If the matter has local significance, but no general significance for the Council and no controversial aspects, the officer shall consult or inform the local member in writing (or by e mail) and proceed. It is essential that all officers responsible for delivering services ensure that local members are kept well briefed on issues affecting their areas.