

Information Governance

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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI321167937

Thank you for your request for information relating to confidential waste contract.

Your request and our responses are shown below:

- 1. Has confidential waste being procured via tender or framework or another means?
- 2. If a framework, could you confirm the name of the framework please?
- 3. Actual contract values of each framework/contract (& any sub lots)
- 4. Start date & duration of contract
- 5. Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension?
- 6. Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed?

- 7. Who is the procurement officer responsible for this contract and could you provide their email address and phone number please?
- 8. Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract and could you provide their email address and phone number please?
- 9. Who is the current supplier?
- 10. If your current supplier is a Facilities Management/Waste Company, which subcontractor services your organisation?

For Questions 1 to 10, there is currently no contract in place for confidential waste. To advise and assist, the Council had a Kickstart Programme where shredding services were provided up to the end of Quarter 4 2020 by Smurfit Kappa. At the end of 2020, Smurfit Kappa were no longer in a position to provide the service but named one of their partner companies to offer this service for the Council on an interim basis.

The Council is in the process of reviewing this current arrangement and are looking to implement a new contract through a quotation exercise which is aimed to be completed by May 2021. This will be done through the Council's Procurement Team who can be contacted on the following email for further information:

Procurement.Services@coventry.gov.uk

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Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

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