

London Borough of Hammersmith and Fulham Record of Officer Decision

The call-in has expired and this decision can be implemented.

- ❖ Draft Decision List published on: 13 July 2023
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1. **TITLE: Recommendation to enact provisional services to the Waste, Recycling & Street Cleansing contract**

2. **DECISION MADE BY:** Strategic Director for the Environment

3. **DECISION:**

1. To agree that Appendix 1 is not for publication on the basis that it contains information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information) as set out in paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).
2. That the Strategic Director of Environment approves the proposals for introducing wheeled bin domestic waste and recycling collections and garden waste collection services under the new waste, recycling, and street cleansing contract. The contract requires the introduction of food waste collections across the borough within its first two years and this paper recommends that wheeled bins (where space allows) and garden waste be implemented during the same period, through a phased approach, maximising recycling collected through the contract as early as possible. The indicative financial implications are contained in Appendix 1.
3. To approve the funding proposals detailed in Appendix 1.

4. **REASON FOR DECISION:**

The containerisation of domestic waste and recycling is likely to lead to cleaner streets, reduce the use of single use plastic sacks and reduce injuries to collection crews. The implementation of a garden waste service increases the number of waste streams that can be diverted into more environmentally friendly disposal methods and will increase the boroughs recycling rate.

5. **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED:**

Wheeled Bin Collection Service

Option 1 – To not enact the provisional service for wheeled bin collection.

Option 2 – To enact the provisional service for wheeled bin collection.
This is the recommended option.

**Garden waste collection service
Background**

Option 1 – To not implement the provisional service for garden waste collection.
Option 2 – To implement the provisional service for garden waste collection as
an additional paid for service.

Option 3 - To implement the provisional service for garden waste collection as a
free service. This is the recommended option.

6. **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DECLARED AND DISPENSATIONS GRANTED:**

None

Date of Decision
10 July 2023