

MAIDSTONE BOROUGH COUNCIL

NOTICE OF (POSSIBLE) PRIVATE MEETING AND SPECIAL URGENCY

Pursuant to the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012, Regulation 5 and Regulation 11.

Date of Notice: 12 August 2022

Notice is hereby given that the Lead Member for Environmental Services, Maidstone Borough Council, intends to make a key decision in respect of the matter outlined below. It is possible that the Lead Member may need to enter into closed session during the consideration of the item.

As the 28 days' notice required by Regulations 5 and 9 of the above Regulations, alongside the rules for General Exemption under Regulation 10 of the above Regulations, are impracticable to be complied with for the reasons set out below. Therefore, notice is hereby given that the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has agreed that the making of the decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred.

Mid Kent Waste Contract Extension

Details of the Decision to be made

Decision Maker	Lead Member for Environmental Services
Decision Due and expected date of Decision	Due by: 19 August 2022 Expected Date of Decision: 17 August 2022
Classification	Public Report with an Exempt Appendix by virtue of Paragraph 3 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972: Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person, including the authority holding that information.
Consultation	Due to urgency, the Policy Advisory Committee will not review the report ahead of the decision being taken.
Description	Proposal to extend the existing waste contract until March 2024 to enable the completion of the new contract procurement.

REASON THAT COMPLIANCE WITH REGULATION 5 IS IMPRACTICABLE

The Council cannot proceed to the Final Tender stage of the waste contract procurement without agreeing an extension to the existing contract. The Council

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need to provide a response to the Mid Kent Partnership by 19 August 2022, and so the decision must be made by this date.

APPROVAL

I, the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee have been consulted and agree that the making of the decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred.

Signed (original copy held on file): **Councillor Clive English**

Date: **Friday 12 August 2022**

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This notice complies with Rule 11.6, Special Urgency, Part C4 of the Council's constitution and has been given prior approval by the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee.

This notice is available at on the Council's website and is displayed at its main office.

Further details on the matter will be available in the report to the Lead Member for Environmental Services, ahead of their decision-making meeting.