



**Glasgow City Council**

**Contracts and Property Committee**

**Report by Director of Legal and Administration**

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**Item 2**

**19th March 2026**

**The Supply & Delivery of 4 Wheeled Bins (Galvanised)**

**Tender Reference :- GCC006578CPU**

**Purpose of Report:**

To submit details of the tenders received for the supply & delivery of 4 wheeled bins (galvanised) and recommend acceptance of the most economically advantageous tender as detailed in this report.

**Recommendations:**

The Contracts and Committee is requested to approve the award of a contract for the supply & delivery of 4 wheeled bins (Galvanised) to the supplier listed below.

Storm Environmental Limited  
Companies House Number - 006684647

Ward No(s):

Citywide: ✓

Local member(s) advised: Yes  No  consulted: Yes  No

## **1 Background and Tender**

- 1.1 Glasgow City Council's ("the council's") budget for the supply & delivery of 4 wheeled bins (Galvanised) is £576,000.
- 1.2 Since Glasgow's Resource and Recycling Strategy 2020-30 was approved in February 2021, Neighborhood's, Regeneration & Sustainability (NRS) has been working closely with Zero Waste Scotland to improve Glasgow's recycling rates for all collection streams. To support this work, the Waste Resource and Recycling team has reviewed and considered alternative collection arrangements from flatted and tenemental properties to increase recycling performance and to reduce the operational challenges associated with servicing these property types.
- 1.3 Following on from the success of the June 2023 bin hub pilot within 4 areas of the city, the aim of this contract is to introduce bin hubs and new bins to support waste and recycling servicing in tenemental properties and other challenging flatted properties across the city.
- 1.4 The council require to procure 1,600 4-Wheeled Bins (galvanised) as part of the council's twin stream approach for residents living in flatted properties.
- 1.5 A commodity team consisting of stakeholders from the Corporate Procurement Unit (CPU) and NRS was formed to develop the sourcing strategy and deliver a new contract.
- 1.6 In line with the effective and efficient objective within the council's Sustainable Procurement Strategy 2023-2027, which can be located [here](#), and to support the national agenda in utilising national collaborative frameworks, it was agreed that a mini-competition process from Lot 2 of Scotland Excel's (SXL) framework for Recycle and Refuse Containers, reference 07-21, would be the most appropriate method to deliver this contract.
- 1.7 The duration of the contract is 12 months with the option to extend for a further period of up to 12 months.
- 1.8 The contract will be utilised by NRS.

## **2 Evaluation**

- 2.1 All 7 suppliers appointed to Lot 2 of the framework were invited to bid. Of the 7, 2 submitted a bid. Of the 5 suppliers that failed to respond, 2 cited that they do not make steel bins and 1 cited that they do not have the capacity due to other commitments. 2 suppliers failed to provide a reason for not submitting a bid.
- 2.2 The evaluation was based on the following award criteria and weightings:-

Lot	Price	Quality (SXL framework criteria)	Quality Sub Criteria
2	75%	25%	End of Life / Take Back Schemes (6%)
			Fair Work Practices (5%)
			Sustainability (5%)
			Additional Guarantee Period (4%)
			Community Benefits (5%)

2.3 The evaluation score of the supplier which has been recommended for award is shown in the table below:-

Description	Supplier	Total Evaluation Score	Rank
Supply & Delivery of 4 Wheeled Bins (Galvanised)	Storm Environmental Limited Companies House Number - 006684647	89.26	1

A summary of the unsuccessful tender evaluation results can be found at Appendix A.

### 3 Contract implementation and Supplier Management

- 3.1 The bins will be delivered in a phased approach. All goods shall remain at the sole risk of the supplier until delivered and accepted by an authorised signature representative from the council. The first bin orders will be placed approximately 4 weeks following the start of the contract. NRS will work with the successful supplier and order bins in line with the successful suppliers lead times.
- 3.2 The outcome of our Contract Management Assessment Tool (CMAT) has deemed this contract to be categorised as a low. The supplier will be monitored in line with our contract and supplier management process which includes tracking the supplier's performance against the key performance indicators and working collaboratively to identify opportunities of improvement and innovation.
- 3.3 The agreed community benefit outcome commitments will be monitored via Cenefits which is a web-based monitoring tool. We will also capture sustainable commitments within the CPU Sustainable Register.

### 4 Policy and Resource Implications

**Resource Implications:**

*Financial:* The contract value is within NRS's £576,000 capital budget.

The contract value has been removed from the report as this has been deemed commercially sensitive.

*Legal:* The report raises no new legal issues.

The Director of Legal and Administration will be responsible for concluding the contract.

*Personnel:* No direct personnel implications.

*Procurement:* Please see section 1.6 of the report.

**Council Strategic Plan:** This supports Grand Challenge 3, Mission 2 and Grand Challenge 4, Mission 1

**Equality and Socio-Economic Impacts:**

*Does the proposal support the Council's Equality Outcomes 2025-29* Yes - the Sustainable Procurement Duty requires that before a contracting authority buys anything, it must think about how it can improve the social, environmental and economic wellbeing of the area in which it operates, with a particular focus on reducing inequality.

*What are the potential equality impacts as a result of this report?* An EQIA was not required for this contract as there is no impact.

*Please highlight if the policy/proposal will help address socio economic disadvantage.* Fair Work First was evaluated as part of the SXL framework.

The supplier recommended for award, Storm Environmental Limited, has confirmed the following 7 policies within its tender submission:

- Payment of at least the Real Living Wage
- Provide appropriate channels for effective workers voice
- Investment in workforce development
- No inappropriate use of zero hour contracts

- Action to tackle the gender pay gap and create a more diverse and inclusive workforce
- Offer flexible and family friendly working practices for all workers from day one of employment
- Oppose the use of fire and rehire practice

Community Benefits was included as part of the tender process. The supplier recommended for award, Storm Environmental Limited, has confirmed the following outcomes:

- 9x Community Engagement – Financial Support (£9k).

**Climate Impacts:**

*Does the proposal support any Climate Plan actions? Please specify:*

Yes – action 18 - Enable and encourage all households in Glasgow to minimize waste arisings and to repair, reuse and recycle. This is supported via this contract and this contract will improve access to recycling for residents in tenements and flats, working towards parity of waste collection streams across all residential properties; reviewing communal and public recycling points; and working across the council to address backcourt waste issues in tenemental properties, including Houses in Multiple Occupation (HMO) and high-rise properties.

Yes - 43 - Introduce appropriate resourcing dedicated to monitoring and enforcement of kerbside waste recycling in the city in line with the new Resource and Recycling Strategy and Scottish Government Circular Economy Bill This is supported via this contract and is a key part of delivering the bin hubs project to the people of Glasgow.

*What are the potential climate impacts as a result of this proposal?*

Additional supply of recycling bins will contribute to greater recycling, a more sustainable city, cleaner streets and cleaner backcourts

*Will the proposal contribute to Glasgow's net zero carbon target?*

Yes, as above. The key mitigations are as follows:

Providing residents with recycling bins will help to reduce waste and increase recycling.

The framework requires suppliers to keep their fleets within the parameters of acceptable emission regulations to help reduce Scotland's and Glasgow's carbon footprint. The council will also be using bulk delivery and a controlled distribution schedule to minimize vehicle movement which will reduce the amount of fuel and emissions. This will contribute to Glasgow's net zero goal.

**Privacy and Data  
Protection impacts:**

Are there any potential data protection impacts as a result of the report  
Y/N

No

If Yes, please confirm that a Data Protection Impact Assessment (DPIA) has been carried out

N/A

**5 Recommendations**

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**Appendix A – Unsuccessful supplier**

<b>Supplier</b>	<b>Score</b>
Egbert H Taylor & Company Limited Companies House No. 00718441	74.65