

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**Executive Decision Record**

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Environment and Transport
Date:	5 March 2013
Title:	Procurement following Commercial Deregistration of local bus services 41, Farnborough and Ash, and 94, Petersfield and Buriton Village.
Reference:	4695
Report From:	Director of Economy, Transport and Environment

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That approval be given to procure a bus service, service 41, under the Dynamic Purchasing System. The resulting contract will be of up to 2 years 7 months duration with an estimated value of £60,468 per annum of which £35,616 is related to Hampshire County Council.
- 1.2. That approval be given to procure a bus service, service 94, under the Dynamic Purchasing System. The resulting contract will be of up to 1 year 1 month duration with an estimated value of £72,625 to be funded by Hampshire County Council

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1 The provider of the 41 and 94 bus services, RJB(UK) Ltd, went into liquidation on the afternoon of Friday 18 January 2013. To provide continuity of service, emergency contracts for these services were issued on Monday 21 January. These contracts will expire on 21 April 2013.
- 2.2 Full tenders were issued to comply with current Procurement legislation.
- 2.3 Approval to award these tenders will continue to give access to employment, education, health, retail, and leisure facilities for the widest section of the community whilst reflecting the current financial environment.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. Options for Community Transport solutions have been considered, however passenger data shows that the number of passengers recorded on the majority of individual journeys would exceed the capacity of Community Transport alternatives.

3.2. Withdrawing funding from these contracts would leave local residents in the areas affected without access to vital local services.

4. Conflicts of interest:

4.1. Conflicts of interest declared by the decision-maker: None.

4.2. Conflicts of interest declared by other Executive Members consulted: None.

5. Dispensation granted by the Conduct Advisory Panel: none.

6. Reason(s) for the matter being dealt with if urgent: not applicable.

7. Statement from the Decision Maker:

Approved by: ----- Executive Member for Environment and Transport Councillor M J Kendal	Date: 5 March 2013
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