

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Executive Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Date:	18 April 2013
Title:	Corporate Procurement Update and Corporate Procurement and County Supplies Contracting Activity and Approvals for 2013/14
Reference:	4567
Report From:	Director of Culture, Communities and Business Services

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That the update on the Procurement Improvement Programme and further efficiency savings be noted.
- 1.2. That approval to procure and spend be given for the contracts valued over £1 million (over £250,000 for capital projects) in accordance with the County Council's Contract Standing Orders and Constitution as detailed in Appendices 1 and 2 of the report and the Schedule of five additional contracts tabled at the meeting on 19 March 2013.

2. Reason for the decision:

- 2.1. The corporate procurement initiatives do not link to the Corporate Priorities, but require a decision because they have a positive impact on the management of the County Council's resources and on the local economy; by promoting a strategic approach to procurement; and by developing the procurement skills of staff and improving capacity.

3. Other options considered and rejected: None

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:

Date:

18 April 2013

Executive Member for Policy and Resources
Councillor T K Thornber, CBE