DECISIONS DELEGATED TO OFFICERS

Decision title:	Award of contract to ODS to undertake refurbishment works at Long Bridges Nature Park	
Decision date:	24 June 2024	
Source of delegation:	This decision is delegated to officers under Part 4.4 of the Constitution: all executive functions except those in Parts 4.5, 4.6 and 4.7 are delegated to officers in the senior management structure.	
What decision was made?	To make a direct contract award to ODS for a total value of £153k (£139k for remedial works and £14k for consultancy costs) as per Part 19.11 of the Council's Constitution: ' <i>Commissioning Oxford Direct Services Limited for one off capital schemes</i> '. The price for these works has been cost validated by an independent Quantity Surveyor (Burroughs). "(<i>We</i>) therefore confirm that we believe these prices fall into the acceptable level of pricing, on the basis that ODS will use Greenford's to carry out the works."	
Purpose:	The asset is in a poor state of disrepair and is in a well- used public green space. The work is necessary to bring the asset back to a good condition and will prevent further deterioration to the surrounding assets.	
Reasons:	The decision will also allow improvements to health and safety. The option selected provided the best value for money with the information provided.	
Decision made by:	Jane Winfield, Head of Corporate Property	
Other options considered:	The option not to undertake the works was rejected, as it would not allow the required improvements to be made. The option selected provided the best value for money.	
Documents considered:	None.	
Key or Not Key:	Not key.	
Wards significantly affected:	None.	
Declared conflict of interest:	None known.	
This form was completed by: Name & title: Date:	Michael Woods Oxford Waterways Coordinator Property Services 4 June 2024.	

Approval checklist

Name and job title	Date
Jane Winfield, Head of Corporate Property	24 June 2024
	Jane Winfield, Head of Corporate Property

Consultee checklist

Consultees	Name and job title	Date
Head of Financial Services	Nigel Kennedy, Head of Financial Services	13 June 2024
Head of Law and Governance	Emma-Louise Jackman, Head of Law and Governance	24 June 2024