LONDON BOROUGH OF BROMLEY

STATEMENT OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

The Portfolio Holder for Environment and Community Services, Councillor William Huntington-Thresher has made the following executive decision:

FUTURE MAINTENANCE OF THE WINTER SERVICE FLEET

Reference Report:

Future maintenance of the Winter Service Vehicle Fleet, 01/09/2021 Environment and Community Services Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee

Decision:

The Portfolio Holder agreed that the maintenance and management of the Council's winter service fleet continued to be incorporated into the Highway Minor Works Contract provided by Riney via a variation to the contract at an estimated cost of $\pounds 83,000$ p.a. for the remaining 5 years of the Contract.

Reasons:

The Portfolio Holder decided that Riney should continue to provide the future maintenance of the winter service fleet because of the business case outlined in the relevant report. Riney exercised direct control over the winter service fleet that they insured and utilised. Maintenance arrangements had operated well during the previous two years. This had included both scheduled and non-scheduled maintenance for the gritting equipment, and resulted in additional benefits to the service, with breakdown cover and spare part availability provided on a direct basis, thereby reducing vehicle down time and improving service performance.

The proposed decision was scrutinised by the Environment and Community Services PDS Committee on 1st September 2021 and the Committee supported the proposal.

Councillor William Huntington-Thresher Portfolio Holder for Environment and Community Services

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Date of Decision: 25 October 2021 Implementation Date (subject to call-in): 3 November 2021 Decision Reference: ECS 21007