Operations Committee



Contracts awarded utilising delegated powers - for noting

Date of meeting 8 November 2024 Date of report 22 October 2024

Report by Head of Bus Strategy & Delivery

1. Object of report

To notify the Committee of subsidised local bus service contracts awarded utilising delegated powers.

2. Background to report

It has been necessary to permit the award of subsidised local bus service contracts as allowed for in the Scheme of Delegations. This has been done to maintain service continuity to the travelling public.

3. Outline of proposals

Appendix 1 details the subsidised local bus service contracts awarded since the last meeting of 23 August 2024.

4. Committee action

The Committee is recommended to note the subsidised local bus service contracts awarded utilising delegated powers, in accordance with established corporate governance, financial regulation and contract standing orders.

5. Consequences

Policy consequences In line with the Regional Transport Strategy and SPT's

framework for local bus services.

Legal consequences All contracts are awarded subject to SPT's conditions of

contract for transport services.

Financial consequences The award of the contract detailed in this committee

paper would reduce the current projected overspend by £19,863 in 2024/2025 when compared with current projections for the contract. The overspend will be managed within existing budget and as referenced in the Financial Implications paper, further mitigations will be

considered.

Personnel consequences None directly.

Equalities consequences The proposals support continued operation of local bus

> services or, where service changes have resulted in impacts, mitigate the impact of a reduced commercial

local bus services.

Risk consequences None directly.

Climate Change, Adaptation & Carbon consequences Supported bus services help reduce transport emissions through encouraging modal shift to more sustainable

travel.

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APPENDIX 1

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Contract	Service No	Description	Original Operator	Start / End	Remarks	Weekly Contract Cost	Total Contract Cost	Awarded to
W126T7	106	Shawhead - Coatbridge	United Coaches	21 July 2024 / 19 October 2024	Temporary contract due to changes in the commercial network by United Coaches to provide Monday to Saturday provision. Replaces the Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday elements of service 106, from terminated substantive contract W126D.	£1,400.00	£18,200.00	Hobson Travel