



BRECKLAND COUNCIL

DELEGATED DECISION RECORD

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Portfolio/Cabinet	Cabinet
Report Title (& Reference No.)	Provision of Dog Warden Service
Summary Background	To provide details of the outcome of the European Tender process for the provision of the Dog Control Service by private contractor.
Author/Contact Officer	Andrew Grimley, Team Leader (Environmental Protection)
Ward(s) Affected	All Wards
Urgent?	No
Key Decision?	Yes It is significant in terms of its effect on communities living or working in an area comprising two or more wards
In Forward Plan?	Yes
Date Decision Taken	Tuesday, 13 January 2015
Date Published	Thursday, 15 January 2015
Call-In Expiry	Thursday, 22 January 2015
Exempt Information?	Yes
Decision (Action Agreed)	That the Dog Warden Service Contract be awarded to the private contractor as stated in the report for a period of 3 years with the option to extend for two further periods of between 1 and 5 years.
Reasons(s)	The contract specifications and tender submission by the recommended contractor will ensure enhanced services to the Council and Breckland residents and represents best value, with a financial saving for the Dog Warden Service of just under £25,000 on the current budget provision.

Options	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Not extend the existing dog control contract and run the risk that there will be no provision after April 2015.2. Accept the recommended contractor to provide the Dog Warden Services to the Council over the next three years with an option to extend the contract for a further two years.
Further Information	Provision of Dog Warden Service3 (2) Proforma B ProvisionofDogWardenService2