# **Water Retailer Contract Procurement**

**REPORT TO**; The Assistant Director, Strategic Resources (CYPS and Property)

**DECISION DATE**: 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022

**SUPPORTING ANNEX**; This report includes a supporting Annex which contains exempt information as described in paragraphs 1 and 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

### PROPOSED RECOMMENDATION

To procure a retailer for the supply of water, waste water for the corporate, including traded school & academy portfolios for the new council from 01 April 2023. The replacement contract will include the existing NYCC water meter points and the water meter points from the seven boroughs and districts which will be brought into the new supply contract as their existing contracts end.

### **BACKGROUND TO SUPPORT THE RECOMMENDATION**

The current NYCC water retailer contract is with Business Stream Scotland, provided via a framework contract with YPO, which expires on the 31 March 2023.

The new water retailer contract will commence from the 01 April 2023.

## **LEGAL AND GOVERNANCE COMPLIANCE**

A Gateway report will be considered in accordance with the Council's Procurement and Contract Procedure Rules.

This is a key decision. The water retailer contract was entered on the forward plan in July 2022.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

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