

NOTIFICATION OF KEY DECISION TO BE TAKEN

GENERAL EXCEPTION NOTICE

DETAILS OF DECISION	
Title of Report	Gateway 1 – Procurement Strategy Approval Supported Travel Service for Children’s and Adults’ Services
Description/Nature of matter requiring Key Decision	Procurement of taxi services through a framework arrangement
Decision taker	Cabinet
Date by which Key Decision must be taken	20 November 2012
Reason why it was impracticable for decision to be on the Forward Plan	The decision was listed on the forward plan as Gateway 1 procurement strategy approval for school transport contract. To enable an integrated procurement process to take place across children’s and adults’ services, the report decision has been amended accordingly and the service must be implemented for 1 September 2013 to ensure a continued service for the start of the school year.
Reason why the decision cannot wait for inclusion in the next Forward Plan	The timetable for this procurement relies on approval to proceed by 20 November 2012, the service is essential to enable the council to continue to deliver statutory services for children, young people and adults with special educational needs and disabilities.
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