APPENDIX FIVE

Proposed Procurement Action Plan to achieve Strategic Procurement Objectives for 2019/2020

Strategic Objective:	Planned Main action:	Performance Measures KPIs = Key performance indicators (These are provisional, subject to agreement of the Procurement Board); MI = Management information)
To develop procurement in the council from an operational process to a strategic activity.	 Embedding the recently adopted Procurement Code of Practice across the Council. Evaluating and if necessary refining our approach to contract management. Refining our approach to major projects to ensure the early engagement of procurement. Seeking out innovative procurement solutions to service delivery. Developing and implementing a KPI framework for procurement across the council. Continue to develop the strategic procurement relationship with Warwickshire County Council and maximise the opportunities from this. 	 KPIs: Zero legal challenges resulting in a change of contract award and/or financial penalties. % of suppliers on a procured contract where annual spend is > £5,000 Risk of contracts renewed past schedule start date.
Through procurement, support the council to deliver its wider social priorities and objectives.	 Reviewing and relaunching the Council's Corporate Responsible Procurement Policy. Embedding the Council's policy aspirations in this area into procurement process and practice. Supporting the Council to deliver its single use plastics policy. 	MI: • Social value procured within the tender process.
Ensuring that the council's officers and elected members have the necessary knowledge, skills, tools and support to undertake effective procurement.	 Developing and delivering a portfolio of training for officers and members. Reviewing all procurement related documentation and guidance. 	MI: • Number of employees successfully completing in house training

Maximising procurement opportunities through effective collaboration.	 Effective networking with the right people at the right time. Actively seeking collaborative opportunities both internally and externally to the Council. Maximising the opportunities to work jointly with Warwickshire County Council 	 KPI: Stakeholder Satisfaction with procurement (1 very poor to 5 excellent) MI: % of collaborative contracts
Maximising the opportunities from effective contract management.	 Considering the council's current approach to contract management. Ensuring effective contract management across the Council. Ensuring all contracts have an appropriate set of indicators that drive performance. Providing appropriate training and guidance for officers. 	KPI: • Contract management
Supporting the council to meet its commercial objectives.	 Exploring new and innovative methods for providing services, goods and works. Ensuring that specifications and contracts are written with a commercial slant. Through effective contract management ensuring that value for money and outcomes are achieved and contract performance is high. 	 MI: % of early strategic procurement involvement Contract value achieved
Through procurement, seek to maximise the trading opportunities for local businesses and SME's and support a thriving voluntary and community sector.	 Being plugged into and aware of the relevant networks and forging effective relationships with them. Facilitating early engagement events and having constructive dialogue with the sectors. Promoting the benefits of local supply and a thriving voluntary and community sector through procurement training and procurement guidance. Simplification of the process of procurement. 	 KPI: Number of local suppliers and SMEs registered on csw-jets. MI: Number of local suppliers and SMEs bidding for WDC contracts – upwards trend from base date 01/04/2019

Embedding the use of electronic tendering across the	
council.	