ED2. EXECUTIVE DECISIONS BY A CABINET MEMBER OR AN OFFICER

A. Report Title: Grays Magistrates Court

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C. Decision Maker: Steve Cox

D. Position held: Assistant Chief Executive

E. Key decision: Key

F. Delegation ref: 01104291 19th March 2014

G. Is the decision urgent? The decision is being taken in line with the delegation given by Cabinet on 19 March 2014

H. If yes, state why.

I. DECISION (strike out whichever does not apply):

- 1. Lagree the recommendations in the attached report for the reasons given in the report: OR
- 2. *My decision is:

To award contract for the refurbishment of Grays Magistrates Court to Beardwell Construction Limited. The contract period agreed with the contractor is 39 weeks therefore the works will be complete in spring 2015, with the opening of a new business centre summer 2015.

*The reason for my decision is:

On 19th March 2014 Cabinet agreed to approve decision 01104291to the requirement for rapid delivery, to authorise a tender process and to delegate authority to the Assistant Chief Executive, in consultation with the Portfolio Holder for Regeneration, Highways and Transportation, to appoint a contractor for the refurbishment works, subject to budget provision. In line with the Council's procurement procedures a two stage competitive procurement process (PQQ and ITT) selected Beardwell Construction as the contractor with the highest quality and value for money score.

* Continue overleaf or on an additional sheet if necessary.

Signed:

Date: 23/7/14

URGENCY

Democratic Services will arrange for the completion of the following: