WEST MIDLANDS FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY

4 OCTOBER 2021

1. CONTRACT AWARDS SUMMARY FOR PERIOD TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2021

Report of the Chief Fire Officer

RECOMMENDED

1.1 THAT the Authority note the attached Appendix which summarises the contracts in excess of £250,000 that have been awarded since April 2021.

2. **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

2.1 This report provides a six-month summary of all contracts that have been awarded since April 2021.

3. BACKGROUND

- 3.1 At the Authority meeting on the 29 June 2015, Members approved a number of revisions to the Constitution. One of the revisions was that a retrospective twice yearly summary report of tender contract awards in excess of £250,000 be submitted to the Fire Authority for information purposes.
- 3.2 In accordance with the above requirement, a summary of those contracts awarded is attached as Appendix 1.

4. **EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT**

4.1 In preparing this report an initial Equality Impact Assessment is not required and has not been carried out. The matters contained in this report will not lead to a policy change.

5. **LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 The procurement processes that were followed for the procurement exercises detailed in the Appendix to this report were conducted in

accordance with the Authority's Procurement Standing Orders and the Public Contract Regulations 2015.

6. **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

6.1 These are contained in the attached Appendices.

7. **ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS**

7.1 There are no environmental implications arising from this report.

BACKGROUND PAPERS

Authority Meeting - 21 September 2015

Policy 1/8 – Procurement Procedures

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CHIEF FIRE OFFICER

APPENDIX 1

Contract Title	Winning Supplier	Approval Date	Contract Period (Including Extension Options)	Annual Contract value or Total Value for one off Purchase	Total Contract Value (including extension periods)	Budget PA	Basis of award e.g. Lowest Price or MEAT*	Date and Minute Number of Planned Tender Report	Any Other Relevant Information
Firefighter Pension System	Heywood Limited	9 July 2021	10 years	£90,400 per annum plus one-off cost of £85,000	£910,000	£90,400	MEAT	22 February 2021	
Uniform (Workwear)	Ballyclare Limited	18 May 2021	4 years	£62,500	£250,000	Part of a £161,000 budget for all uniform requirements	Direct award from Framework Agreement	18 February 2019	
Leadership and Development Programme	Coventry University	6 September 2021	4 years	£220,000	£880,000	n/a	Direct award from Dynamic Purchasing Agreement	22 February 2021	Funded from the apprenticeship levy
Emergency Response Equipment and Associated Services National Framework Agreement	Angloco Limited Angus Fire Ltd Avon Protection Systems Clan Tools & Plant Ltd CMT Flexibles Cold Cut Systems Delta Fire Draeger Safety UK Ltd Excelerate Technologies Ltd Fire Hosetech Ltd Fire Ladders & Equipment	10 June 2021	4 years	Unknown	£45 million (National value)	N/A	Bidders had to meet mandatory criteria to pass and be awarded onto the framework.	18 February 2019	

Godiva Pumps	
High Precision Motor	
Products	
Holmatro UK Ltd	
Max Fire	
MSA (Britain) Ltd	
Premier Hose Technologies Ltd	
Rosenbauer UK Ltd	
Scott Health & Safety Ltd	
Terberg DTS (UK) Ltd	
Venari Group	
Vimpex Ltd	
Weber Rescue UK	

^{*} Most Economically Advantageous Tender (MEAT)