

ROTHERHAM METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF OFFICER EXECUTIVE DECISION

Date of Decision:	17 June 2025
Title:	Decision to award contract reference 22- 306 for the provision of Domestic Abuse Safe Accommodation Service including the Refuge.
Decision Maker: (Including Job Title)	Ian Spicer, Strategic Director for Adult Care, Housing and Public Health.
Details of Specific Delegation or Delegation contained in the relevant Sub-Scheme of Delegation.	Under Section 4C3 of the Responsibilities for Functions document (Appendix 9 of the Council's Constitution) the Strategic Director of Adult Care, Housing and Public Health is authorised to discharge executive functions through the commissioning and provision of social services for adults and public health services for the whole population and delivery of housing for the Borough, including: - 3. Public Health (a) Commissioning and Quality (b) Health Improvement (c) Health Intelligence (d) Health Protection. Page 36 refers.
Decision:	To award the contract for the provision of Domestic Abuse Safe Accommodation Service including the Refuge to Hopian, formerly Rotherham Rise with a value of £250,000 per annum for four years (plus up to two years extension).
Reasons for the Decision:	The result of a competitive procurement process as agreed in the 20-Jan-2025 Cabinet Meeting , minute 101 refers. The successful supplier, after evaluation, was Hopian, formerly Rotherham Rise. The Tender Evaluation Report and award recommendation has been approved by the relevant parties.
Details of alternative options considered and rejected:	N/A .
Conflicts of interest declared by any	None

Cabinet Member consulted by the decision maker which relates to the decision:	
Dispensations Granted: (If any)	None
Conflicts of interest declared by the Decision Maker if they sit as a Cabinet appointed representative to an outside body which relates to the decision:	None
Dispensations Granted: (If any)	None
Reports or parts of reports considered	Tender Evaluation Report (including Social Value) 22-306 – Domestic Abuse Safe Accommodation Service including Refuge – Exempt.

I certify that this is a true record of the executive decision to: award the contract for the provision of Domestic Abuse Safe Accommodation Service including the Refuge to Hopian, formerly Rotherham Rise.

I confirm that in making this decision, due regard was given to the seven principles of public life.

Signed by the Decision Maker:



Dated: 17 June 2025

Name: Ian Spicer

Job Title: Strategic Director