

ROTHERHAM METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

RECORD OF OFFICER EXECUTIVE DECISION

Date of Decision:	23 rd December, 2025
Title:	Whiston Brook Flood Alleviation Scheme - Contractor Procurement - Contract Award
Decision Maker: (Including Job Title)	Sam Barstow – Assistant Director Community Safety and Street scene
Details of Specific Delegation or Delegation contained in the relevant Sub-Scheme of Delegation.	<p>Delegated powers to Assistant Director of Community Safety and Street Scene:</p> <p>Sub Scheme of Delegation - Strategic Director of Regeneration and Environment</p> <p>Page 3 refers:</p> <p>Each to act in relation to matters within their remit unless absent in which case any other Assistant Director may act ...</p> <p>3. In respect of procurement, contract administration and best value:</p> <p>In accordance with Financial and Procurement Procedure Rules, matters relating to the specification for works, goods and services, the seeking of estimates, quotations and tenders, the evaluation of the same and acceptance of tenders relating to contracts for works, goods and services in accordance with approved budgets or supplementary estimates.</p>
Decision:	To approve the tender exercise 22-197 to appoint an external contractor to carry out the construction of Whiston Brook Flood Alleviation Scheme (FAS). Scheme estimated value of £4.2 million
Reasons for the Decision:	To allow Highways and Flood Service to progress the delivery of the Whiston FAS.
Details of alternative options considered and rejected:	<p>No alternative options considered.</p> <p>No capacity to use inhouse team for construction due to the scale and specialist nature of the work</p>

Conflicts of interest declared by any Cabinet Member consulted by the decision maker which relates to the decision:	None
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 relevant to the decision being taken:	Procurement Business Case 22-197 Whiston Brook Flood Alleviation Scheme Works only – exempt. Tender Evaluation Report 24-197 Whiston Brook Flood Alleviation Scheme – exempt.

I certify that this is a true record of the executive decision to:

To approve the tender exercise 22-197 to appoint an external contractor to carry out the construction of Whiston Brook Flood Alleviation Scheme (FAS) with an estimate scheme value of £4.2 million.

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

Signed by the Decision Maker:



Dated: 23rd December, 2025

Name: Sam Barstow

Job Title: Assistant Director, Community Safety & Street Scene