



Policy Review and Performance Scrutiny Committee

Procurement Strategy 2020 – 2023

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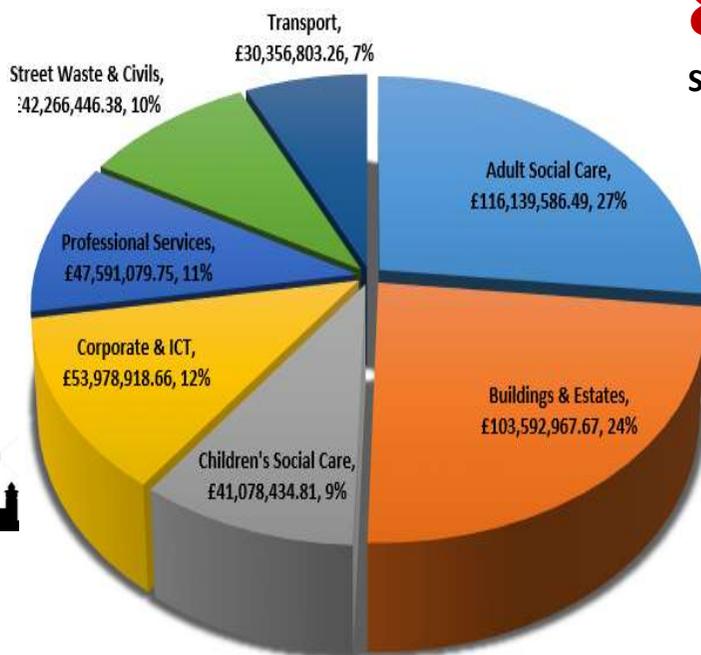


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Background



£435m
annual external spend



8,751

Suppliers used



55%

spend in Cardiff region

SME

Spend

58%



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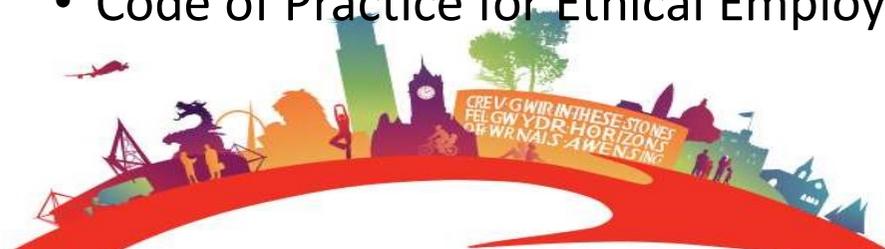
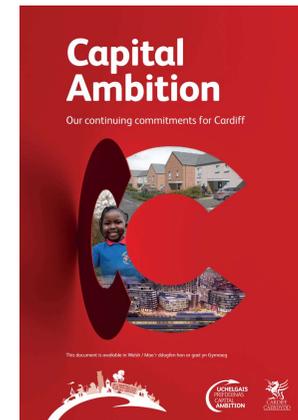
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New strategy influenced by



- Review of current strategy – what has gone well – and not so well!
- Capital Ambition, Corporate Plan and Budget priorities
 - Real Living Wage
 - Social & Community Value
 - Foundational Economy
 - Fair Work practices
- One Planet Strategy
 - Decarbonisation
 - Circular Economy
- Wellbeing of Future Generations Act
- Statutory Procurement Strategy guidance (WG)
- Code of Practice for Ethical Employment in Supply Chain



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What we think Cardiff want from procurement



Value for Money and Efficiency

- Evidence value for money through competition – price, quality, added value
- Ensure Whole Life Costing is reflected within commercial and procurement considerations
- Manage demand – ensure organisation aware of what it is spending its money on
- Ensuring the processes and systems for the acquisition, management and payment for goods, services and works is efficient

Governance and Risk Management

- Provide corporate oversight and assurance – contract management
- Ensuring Openness, Transparency, Equality, Fairness, Probity, Accountability, Compliance
- Managing risk – service failure, reputational (e.g. modern slavery), legal, health & safety, fraud and corruption

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What we think Cardiff want from procurement



Innovation

- Awareness of good practice from market / other public sector organisations
- Challenging the status quo – ‘we have always done it this way’
- Supporting development of new ways of doing things
- Focus on solving problems and awarding contracts that deliver outcomes

Economic, Social, Environmental and Cultural Wellbeing

- Seeking added value through Community Benefits – Targeted training and employment
- Supporting use of local suppliers where practicable – Foundational Economy
- Minimising negative impacts of procurement decisions – de-carbonization / circular economy
- Supporting adoption of the *Wellbeing of Future Generations Act* – challenging decisions which could have a long-term detrimental impact

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Any Questions?



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