COLUMN 1		COLUMN 2		COLUMN 3		COLUMN 4
 Topic (one sentence description of the decision being sought) Who will take Decision Give Date or Period within which Decision is to be taken Directorate Contact	(5)	Principal Groups/Organisations to be Consulted before Decision is made Method of Consultation	(7) (8)	Name of person(s) to whom representations can be made ⊠ [®] When should they be made by (closing date)	(9)	List background documents submitted to Cabinet/Cabinet Member(s) in respect of the Decision. Is this information unrestricted or exempt) Date first entered in Notice
KEY 25/18/19	(5)	Not applicable.		Paul Neagle – vironmental Protection	(9)	Cabinet-style report
(1) Pest Control	(6)	Not applicable.		nager aul.neagle@dover.gov.uk	(10) 1 June 2018
(2) Decision to be taken by Portfolio Holder for Property Management and				t: 2291)		
Environmental Health			(8)	13 August 2018		
(3) September 2018						
(4) Paul Neagle – Environmental						
Protection Manager						
(paul.neagle@dover.gov.uk; Ext: 2291)						

Brief Details of Item:

The Council currently has an agreement with Cannon Pest Control whereby the company is listed on the Council's website as a preferred contractor. In return they offer pest control treatment at competitive prices to residents and businesses in Dover, Thanet and Folkestone & Hythe. The agreement was reached through a joint procurement exercise with Thanet District Council and Shepway District Council (as it was then known). In addition, the contractor treated for mosquitoes at Sandwich & Pegwell Bays and Brown-tail moths at Greatstone free of charge.

Users of the service are effectively setting up their own agreement with Cannon, and the Council does not pay Cannon any money. There is no statutory requirement for local authorities to provide a pest control service. The Cabinet report seeks a decision from Cabinet on tendering for a new agreement with a pest control company or ceasing to have such a service. The agreement expires on 30 June 2018.

Deadline for Item:

There is no statutory requirement for local authorities to provide a pest control service so there is no set deadline.