COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2	COLUMN 3	COLUMN 4
(1) Topic (one sentence description of the decision being sought)(2) Who will take decision	(5) Principal Groups/Organisations to be consulted before decision is made	(7) Name of person(s) to whom representations can be made (e-mail/telephone)	(9) List background documents submitted to Cabinet/Cabinet Member in respect of the decision
(3) Give date or period within which decision is to be taken	(6) Method of consultation (external only [if applicable])	(8) When should they be made by (closing date)	(10) Is this information unrestricted or exempt?
(4) Directorate contact (include e-mail and telephone)	cy [appcas.c])	ay (closing date)	(11) Date first entered in Notice
KEY 44/22/23	(5) Not applicable (consultation to	(7) Frank Thompson, Head of	(9) Cabinet report and consultant's
	take place post decision)	Property Assets -	report
(1) To agree recommendations in respect		frank.thompson@dover.gov.uk	
of the new Council housing responsive repairs contract	(6) Not applicable.	;07740 561018	(10) Exempt
		Tim Goss, Principal Planned	(11) 28 April 2023
(2) Cabinet		Works Officer –	
(3) 5 June 2023		tim.goss@dover.gov.uk; 01304 872112	
(4) Roger Walton, Strategic Director (Place and Environment) – 01304 872420; roger.walton@dover.gov.uk		(8) 24 May 2023	

Brief Details of Item:

(Please provide information about the contents of this item and the reason for decision.)

Dover District Council has 4,363 properties and is required to provide a responsive repairs service to ensure that these properties are maintained to the highest possible standard to prevent them falling into a state of disrepair. The current responsive repairs contract also includes for void properties and planned works and expires on 31 March 2025 with no further options for extending. Given the scale and scope of the contract, a lengthy procurement timetable is required to ensure that all stakeholders are consulted, that the procurement process meets the requirements of Contract Standing Orders, and that a sufficient mobilisation period is allowed for.

DDC has commissioned a report by Faithorn Farrell Timms LLP to carry out an options appraisal on various delivery models of this type of contract and the reason for this decision is to approve the recommended route to enable the procurement process to commence in order to meet the necessary start date of 1 April 2025.

Deadline for Item:

(Please indicate the date and whether this is statutory, operational or to meet the requirements of another agency.)

It is necessary to agree the recommendations to ensure the consultation, procurement, selection and mobilisation periods can be carried out prior to the necessary start date of the new contract of 1 April 2025.