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For the attention of: Mr D Powell

Dear Mr Powell

**Request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

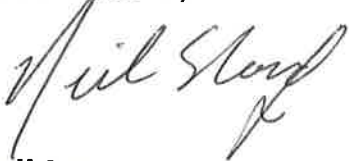
In response to your request for information regarding current consultants for Transportation Services, Civil Engineering Services, Landscape Architecture Services and Environmental Services, Bury Council is happy to supply the information below.

- Transport Services do not have any agreements in place with external providers.
- Civil Engineering Services do not currently retain any Consultants and provide everything in-house, hence, there are no contracts in place. Any Consultant based services we procure are on a project-by-project basis via open tendering through The Chest
- Landscape Architecture Services currently do not currently have any external arrangements. All related Services are completed by internal resources.
- Environmental Services do not employ 'Consultants' in on long term contracts. We have in the last 12 months employed Parsons Brinckerhoff on a specific Contaminated Land project. Animal Wardens Limited are contracted to provide a Stray Dog Warden Service and the contract has just expired.
- Waste management also do not employ any consultants.

For transparency purposes, it is now the Council's policy to advise on the costs of dealing with each Freedom of Information request. Please note that to deal with this request it has cost the Council £25.00.

Should you have any queries regarding this, please contact me on the number above.

Yours sincerely



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