REPORT TO: HOUSING, DUNDEE CONTRACT SERVICES AND

**ENVIRONMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE - 22nd MARCH 2010** 

REPORT ON: PURCHASE OF END-OF-LEASE VEHICLES AND PLANT

REPORT BY: HEAD OF WASTE MANAGEMENT

**REPORT NO:** 177-2010

#### 1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 To authorise the purchase of a number of end-of-life vehicles and items of plant for use in operations within Waste Management.

## 2.0 RECOMMENDATIONS

2.1 It is recommended that approval is given to purchase 9 vehicles, 4 items of plant and a range of workshop equipment at a total cost of £100,583.

## 3.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

3.1 The total cost of the vehicles and plant is £100,583. Provision for this expenditure has been made in the Waste Management Department's Capital Budget for 2009/10 (£26,410) and the remainder in 2010/11.

## 4.0 MAIN TEXT

4.1 A total of 9 vehicles, 3 items of plant and a range of workshop equipment whose leases expire in financial years 2009/10 and 2010/11, are normally replaced, however all items are well maintained and can provide a further year of service. The most cost effective method is to buy out the residual lease fee, allow the items to continue in service for a further year, and then trade the residual value against their eventual replacements (refer to appendix 1).

## 5.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 This report has been screened for any policy implications in respect of Sustainability, Strategic Environmental Assessment, Anti-Poverty, Equality Impact Assessment and Risk Management.
- 5.2 There are no major issues.

## 6.0 CONSULTATION

6.1 The Chief Executive, Depute Chief Executive (Support Services) and Director of Finance have all been consulted in relation to this report.

## 7.0 BACKGROUND PAPERS

7.1 Schedule of vehicles and plant (below).

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# Appendix 1 - Schedule of End-of-Lease (March 2010) Vehicles and Plant

Item No	Description	Purchase Price Each (est)	Total Price (est)
1	JCB 530-70 Telehandler (2)	£9,500	£19,000
2	Workshop Equipment		£16,348
3	Mercedes Norba RCV (2)	£10,600	£21,200
4	LDV Tipper (2)	£2,200	£4,400
5	Ford Ranger Pick-Up (5)	£2,260	£11,300
6	Applied Sweeper		£1,925
7	Hammel Shredder		£26,410
		<u>Total:</u>	£100,583

Date: 5th March 2010