

Decision Log

Decision Title: Retrofit West Business Support - approval to allocate funding
Decision Date: 19th March 2024
Decision Reference Number: ENV_2024_0012
<p><u>Decision Taken</u></p> <p>That:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Retrofit West CIC be awarded £997,499 of Green Recovery Fund grant funding to deliver the Retrofit West Business Support project as detailed in their bid.
<p><u>Reasons for the Decision</u></p> <p>Retrofit West CIC submitted the first bid in response to our grant call for the Retrofit West Business Support project. They lead a consortium of seven partners who specialise in retrofit and training in our region. Their bid was evaluated and their offer was considered strong and to provide good value for money by the Retrofit West evaluation panel.</p>
<p><u>Authority for the decision</u></p> <p>The funding for the retrofit supply chain project was approved in outline by the West of England Combined Authority Committee on 8th April 2022 and delegated full business case approval to the West of England Combined Authority Chief Executive (CEO) in consultation with the CEOs of the constituent unitary authorities (the project was known at that point as the Retrofit Accelerator Phase IIa). The Full Business Case was approved by the West of England Combined Authority Chief Executive in consultation with the unitary authority Chief Executives on 8th March 2023, Decision Notice: Decision reference number: 04.03.23.</p> <p>On 10th January 2024, the West of England Combined Authority Chief Executive Officer (CEO), delegated authority to the West of England Mayoral Combined Authority's Director of Environment, in consultation with the Directors of Environment within the constituent unitary authorities to allocate funding for Retrofit West Community Interest Company's (RWCIC) bid for a Green Recovery Fund grant of £997,499 to deliver Retrofit West Business Support, part of the Retrofit West scheme. Decision notice: Decision Reference Number: CEO 2024 0001.</p>
Decision-Taker

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In Consultation with:

The West of England unitary authorities.