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	<p>Your Procurement Strategy plan reads as 2013-2016. I am seeking the latest updated document.</p> <p>I am seeking the latest updated Procurement Strategy Plan.</p>	<p>The Council does not have a current updated Procurement Strategy.</p> <p>This is a work in progress due to events such as the European Union (Withdrawal Agreement) Act 2020, and the subsequent Green Paper Consultation (Transforming Public Procurement – December 2020), which has resulted in the Procurement Act 2023 coming into legal effect in October 2024. The healthcare Provider Selection Regime (PSR) will come into legal effect on 1<sup>st</sup> January 2024.</p> <p>Both pieces of new legislation require a fundamental revision of the Council's Constitution and Contract Procedure Rules. An updated Procurement Strategy that is relevant and fit for purpose will then follow.</p> <p>Some elements of a procurement strategy have been incorporated within the Council's Community Wealth Building programme. Details can be found <a href="#">Here</a></p> <p>Other elements of a procurement strategy have been incorporated into the Wigan Deal. Details can be found <a href="#">Here</a></p>