

21 February 2024

Dear

## **ATISN 20127 - Confidential Waste Destruction Contract**

### **Information requested**

Thank you for your request which I received on 24 January 2024.

You requested:

Confidential Waste Destruction Contract for North Wales Credit Union.

The details I require are:

Could you confirm the names of all credit unions in Wales?

- Has confidential waste been procured via tender or framework or another means?
- If a framework, could you confirm the name of the framework please?
- Actual contract values of each framework/contract (& any sub lots)
- Start date & duration of contract
- Is there an extension clause in the framework(s)/contract(s) and, if so, the duration of the extension?
- Has a decision been made yet on whether the framework(s)/contract(s) are being either extended or renewed?
- Who is the procurement officer responsible for this contract and could you provide their email address and phone number please?
- Do you have a generic email address for your procurement department, for example [procurement@organisation.com](mailto:procurement@organisation.com), if so could you confirm this? Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for this contract and could you provide their email address and phone number please?
- Who is the current supplier?
- If your current supplier is a Facilities Management/Waste/Cleaning Company, which sub-contractor services your organisation? E.g., which company's staff actually collect your confidential waste?

### **Our response**

Following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you require on a Confidential Waste Destruction Contract for North Wales Credit Union is not held by the Welsh Government.

There are 13 Credit Unions in Wales currently, the names are:

Cambrian CU  
Celtic CU

Cardiff & Vale CU  
Smartmoney Cymru Community Bank  
Newport Credit Union  
Bridgend Lifesavers CU  
Llynfi Valley CU  
Merthyr Tydfil Borough CU  
Dragosavers CU  
SaveEasy CU  
Gateway CU  
St Therese CU  
Bargoed & District CU

Further information on the Credit Unions can be found at [Find Your Credit Union - search to find credit unions near you](#).

### **Next steps**

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or Email: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely