



RYDE TOWN COUNCIL OFFICER REPORT

Committee:	Finance and Community Resources
Date:	18 th June 2024
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Report Title:	Changing Places Contract

1. SUMMARY

As part of the councils ongoing accessibility project, we will be hiring a temporary changing places provision on Eastern Garden for the next two summers.

A Changing Places Toilet is like a Disabled Toilet but with more equipment such as a changing bench, a hoist and often a shower. People may be limited in their own mobility so need equipment to help them to either get on the toilet or to have their continence pad changed. Changing Places are slightly larger than usual Accessible Toilets to accommodate a wheelchair user and their carer.

The hoist in the seasonal Changing Place we're hiring will be crucial in helping dependent users transfer from their own chair into the beach or sea wheelchairs we will be providing. They will also be useful after using the sea wheelchair for carers to wash off any sand and salty water off their clients and dress them.

2. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Following the Councils procurement rules, three quotes were sought for this contract and the details are as follows:

Bigloo

<u>Hire Period</u>	<u>Cost</u>
01/07/2024-30/08/2024	£7,995
15/05/2025- 30/09/2025	£9,775
Total 2-year cost	£17,770

Portakabin

<u>Hire Period</u>	<u>Cost</u>
01/07/2024-30/08/2024	£16,359
15/05/2025- 30/09/2025	£12,985
Total 2-year cost	£29,344

AMP Hire

<u>Hire Period</u>	<u>Cost</u>
01/07/2024-30/09/2024	£10,670
15/05/2025- 30/09/2025	£9,920
Total 2-year cost	£20,590

The cost of this provision is being funded from the beach accessibility funds raised.

3. OFFICER RECOMMENDATION

The officer recommendation is for the contract award to be given to AMP Hire for a total of £20,590, as we have an established working relationship with them, they are the only island-based company who quoted and have been very flexible with on hire dates with no extra costs.

4. APPENDICES

Appendix A – Changing places plans



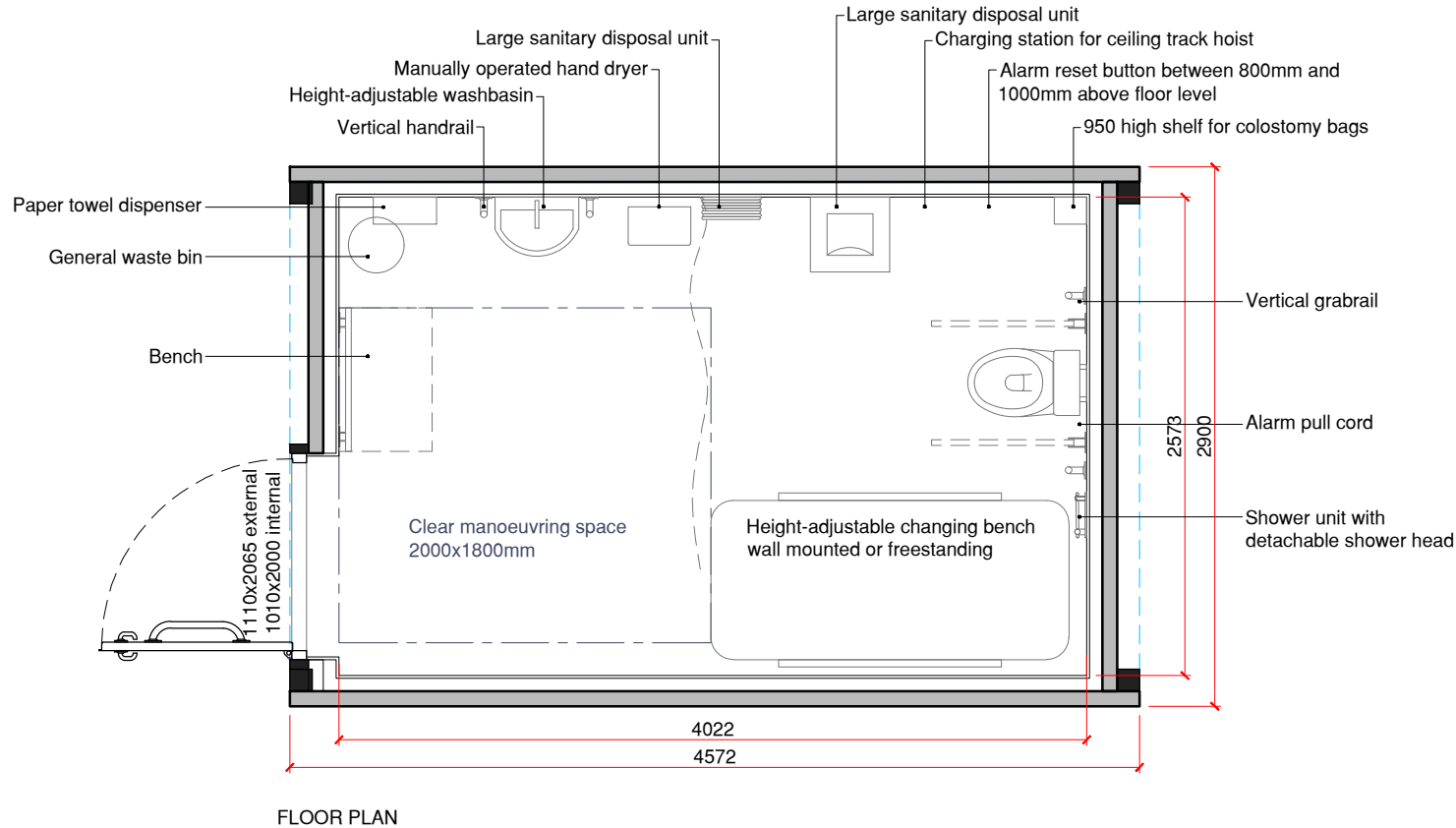
Hoist



Changing Table



SCHEMATIC DESIGN



APPROVED BY:
SIGNATURE:
DATA:
PRODUCT NUMBER: 9ft x 15ft DDA Toilet
CUSTOMER:
DRAWING NUMBER: VERSION #1
DATA ISSUED: 30/05/2024



It is important to note that any alterations or modifications required subsequent to signing will be subject to a £500 + vat fee, which is intended to defray the expenses involved. Manufacturing activities will commence only upon the receipt of the approved and signed drawings. We appreciate your understanding and compliance with these procedural requirements, which are vital to ensuring the accuracy and efficiency of our project execution.

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