West Yorkshire Combined Authority | Tracy Brabin Mayor of West Yorkshire

Our Reference: 3570

11/05/2026

Freedom of Information Act 2000 Enquiry: Social Value Management

Thank you for contacting West Yorkshire Combined Authority ('the Combined Authority') with your request for information, which was received on 17/04/2026.

Your request was:

- *"Please could you inform me if you have a person responsible for managing social value?*
- *If you do, who are they are?*
- *If you do not, who is managing your social value?*
- *Please could you inform me if you are using a social value platform?*
- *If you are using a platform, which platform are you using, and when does the current contract come to an end?*
- *If you are not, how are you managing your social value?"*

This request was handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, and I can confirm that the Combined Authority holds the information covered by your request:

- *Please could you inform me if you have a person responsible for managing social value?*
- The overall responsibility for Social Value sits with our Head of Commercial

- *If you do, who are they are?*
- The head of the Commercial Team - commercialteam@westyorks-ca.gov.uk
- *If you do not, who is managing your social value?*
- N/A
- *Please could you inform me if you are using a social value platform?*
- Yes – Social Value Management Software.
- *If you are using a platform, which platform are you using, and when does the current contract come to an end?*

- 30/06/27 – this information is also available on our website; contract information is proactively published on our Contracts Register as part of our Governance and Transparency publications: Transparency and Freedom of Information contracts-register-as-at-end-of-march-2026.xlsx
- *If you are not, how are you managing your social value?*
- N/A

If you believe that your request for information has not been handled properly, you can ask for an internal review of our decision. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of this letter.

If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Telephone: 0303 123 1113
Website: www.ico.gov.uk

For your information, there is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours sincerely,
Information Governance Officer
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