## Appendix VIII

Mid Kent Waste Partnership Tender Project Timeline		
No.	Description	Date(s)
1	Consultant report - Waste Service Options	July 2020
2	Initial Informal Cabinet Discussion	July 2020
3	Member working group creation	September 2020
4	Initial working groups discussions on Mid Kent Partnership / Delivery Model / Service options	18 Sept 2020, 16 October 2020, 20 November 2020
5	Member Waste Working group	March and May 2021
6	Initial Cabinet Committee Decision	9 June 2021
7	Creation of tender documents	June 2021 - November 2021
8	Member Waste Working group	Sept and November 2021
9	Advertising and Release of tender documents	November 2021
10	Project Initiation Document (tender) – to SBC Senior Management Team	December 2021
11	Member Waste Working group	January and February 2022
12	Tender Phase 1 - PQQ and Shortlisting	10 January 2022
13	Tender Phase 2 - Invitation to Submit Detailed Solutions	14 January 2022 to 25 March 2022
14	Tender Dialogue sessions	March / April 2022
15	Tender Phase 3 - Invitation to Submit Refined Solutions	25 April 2022 - 10 June 2022
16	Member Waste Working group	July 2022
17	Tender Dialogue sessions	July and August 2022
18	Tender phase 4 - Issue of Final Tender documentation	August / Sept 2022
19	Tender Evaluation Period	October and November 2022
20	All Member Briefings	7 and 14 November 2022
21	Tender award decision Swale - Environment Committee	19 December 2022
22	Tender award decision Swale – to Policy & Resources Committee	4 January 2023
23	Contract Completion and Mobilisation phase	January 2023 - March 2024
24	Member Waste Working group	April 2023 and Sept 2023
25	All Member Briefing	25 September 2023
26	All Member Briefing	26 February 2024
27	Contract Start date	24 March 2024