



‘Managing the environment’

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Unknowns....

- HRA review – what will happen now
- Freeze on newbuild
- Cuts to national affordable housing programme
- Cuts to quangos



The challenge

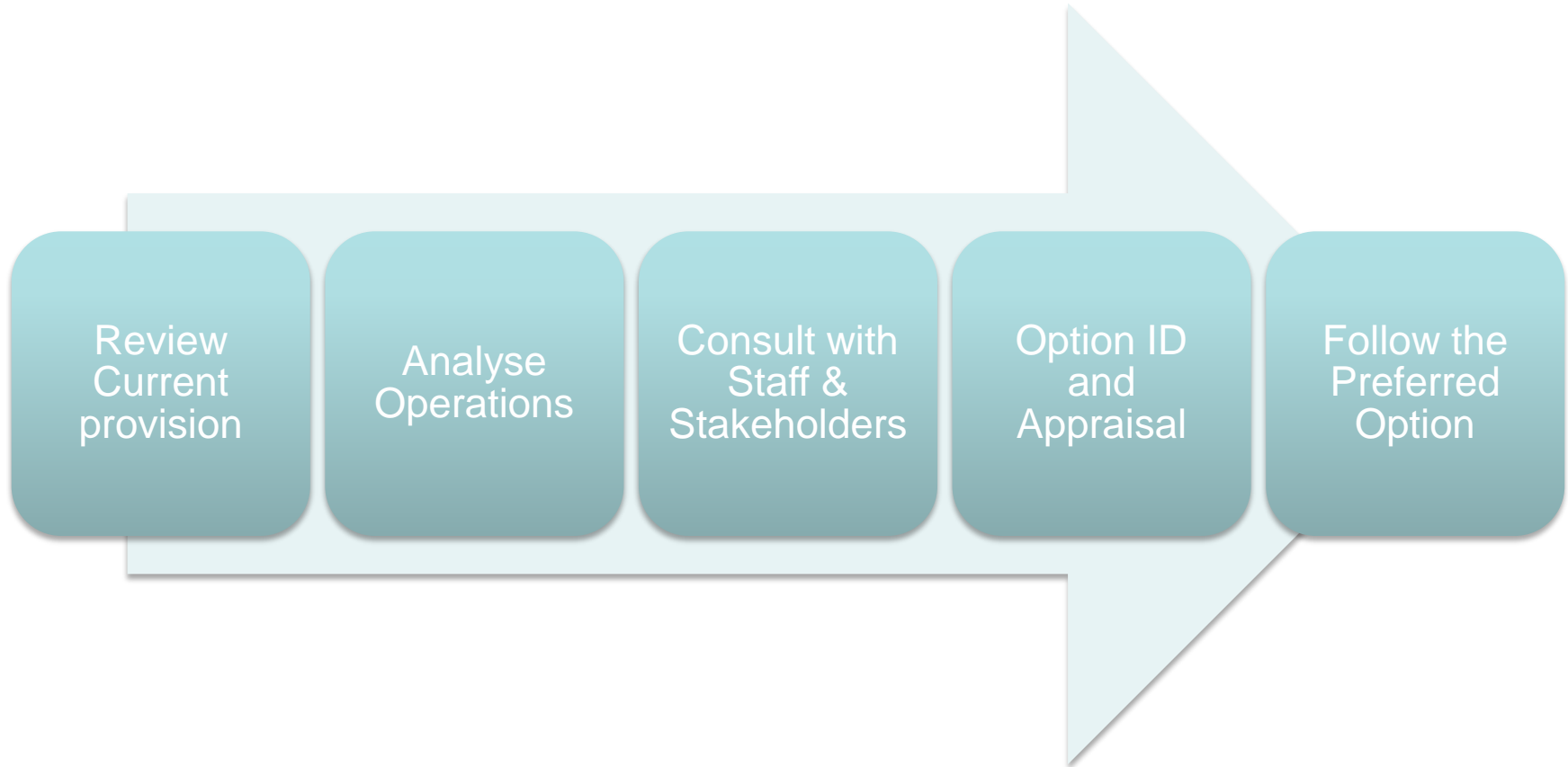
- Pressure on budgets
 - Cuts in services or;
 - Greater efficiency and smarter ways of working
- Impact of economic downturn
 - Pressure on services
 - Local economic issues

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Our Consultancy Approach



Case studies - examples



- Review of cleaning services
- Stores review
- Strategic Housing value for money review
- Housing grounds maintenance service
- CCTV rota review
- Work with UNISON

Review of cleaning services



Aims

- **Develop a detailed specification for block, communal & office cleaning**
- **Review current performance and benchmark current data**
- **Consult with service users**
- **Make recommendations for future service delivery**



Review of stores

Aims

- Consider efficiency and organisation of operations
- Comparison with other local authorities
- Through an options appraisal consider possible future deliver options



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