

Case Study: LOCAL AUTHORITY

WHO

- Local authority based in the south east
- 49 elected members
- Represent 24 electoral wards

CHALLENGE

- Lots of unused real estate in environment costing the authority to maintain
- Experienced reduction in staff numbers
- Looking to downsize office and council buildings accordingly
- Experiencing financial challenges due to recent acquisition
- Necessity to reduce real estate used for datacentre and IT also
- Originally operating aging IBM infrastructure
- Other issues encountered with this including lack of failover resiliency

SOLUTION

- 20-days of consultancy
- Formulate plan and project manage delivery of solution
- Proposed virtualising datacentre infrastructure using Citrix
- Deployed on new host hardware including Dell EMC SAN and servers

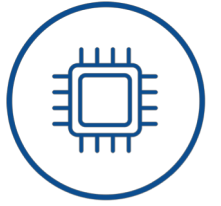
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BENEFITS

- 80% reduction in physical hardware estate needed
- Much less real estate needed to host datacentre infrastructure
- Associated cost savings from less power used, heat generated and cooling required
- By simplifying environment, massively reduced IT administration overheads
- Modern infrastructure more resilient and flexible
- All delivered on time, and on budget

WHY SERVIUM?

- Liked practical 'can do' attitude
- Came up with a good plan that met the challenge
- Ready to be implemented with short lead time
- Believed Servium would deliver on the benefits anticipated
- Compelling commercials
- Leveraged Services Ecosystem to ensure right expertise available



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