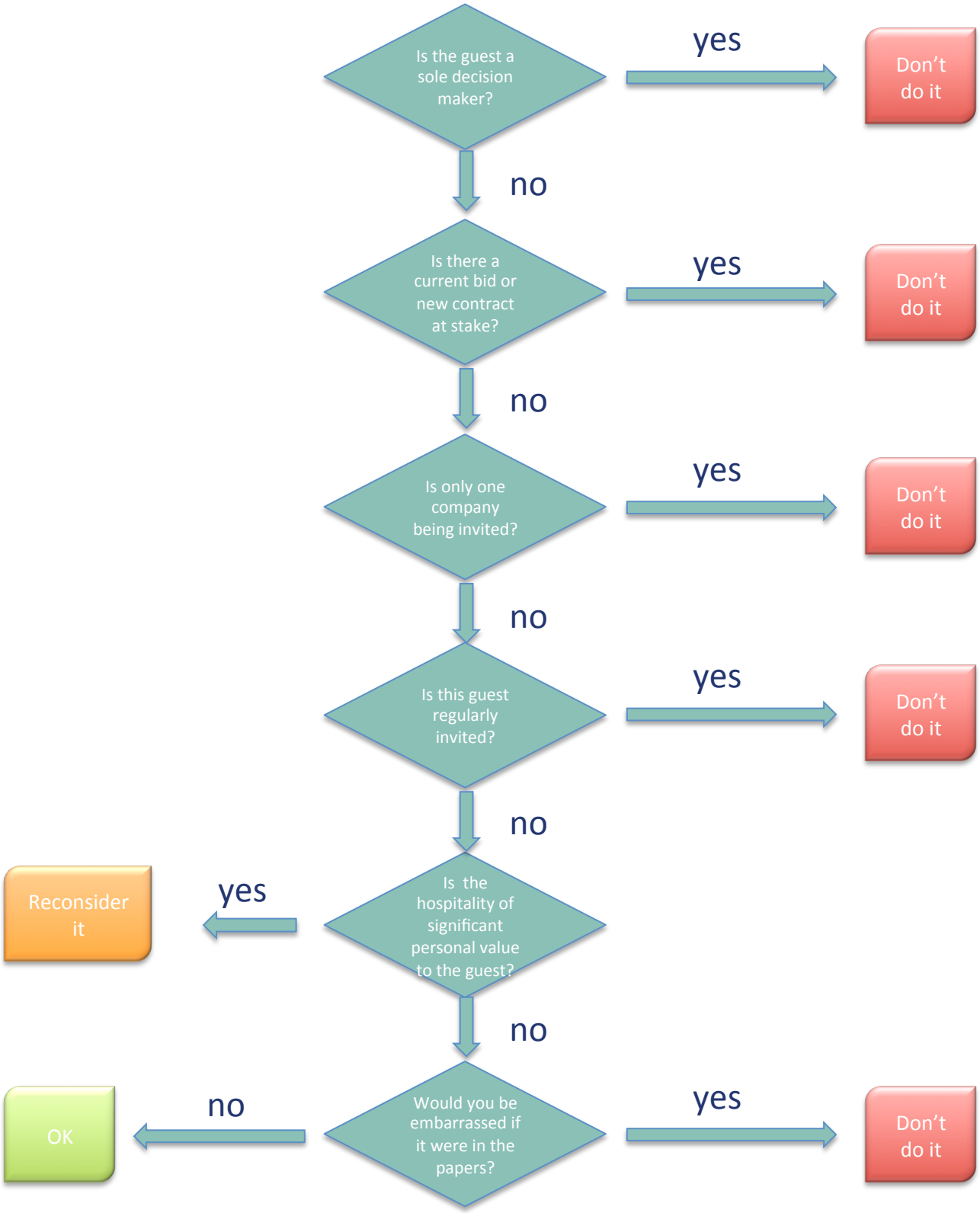To invite or not to invite?