Title of proposed EIA Disposal of Surplus Properties

(February 2020)

Reference No EQUA453

EA is in support of New Function

Review Frequency Six Months

Date of first review 16/07/2020

Directorate Inclusive Growth

Division Birmingham Property Services

Service Area Property Development & Sales

Responsible Officer(s)

Quality Control Officer(s) Eden Ottley

Accountable Officer(s) ■ Eden Ottley

Purpose of proposal The continued review of the Council's

land and property portfolio for individual property interests as being

surplus to requirements

Data sources Consultation Results; relevant

reports/strategies

Please include any other sources of data

ASSESS THE POTENTIAL IMPACT AGAINST THE PROTECTED CHARACTERISTICS

Protected characteristic: Age

Not Applicable

Age details:

Protected characteristic: Disability

Not Applicable

Disability details:

Protected characteristic: Gender Not Applicable

Gender details:

Protected characteristics: Gender Reassignment Not Applicable

Gender reassignment details:

Protected characteristics: Marriage and Civil Partnership Not Applicable

Marriage and civil partnership details:

Protected characteristics: Pregnancy and Maternity

Not Applicable

Pregnancy and maternity details:

Protected characteristics: Race Not Applicable

Race details:

Protected characteristics: Religion or Beliefs

Not Applicable

Religion or beliefs details:

Protected characteristics: Sexual Orientation Not Applicable

Sexual orientation details:

Please indicate any actions arising from completing this screening exercise.

Please indicate whether a full impact assessment is recommended

What data has been collected to facilitate the assessment of this policy/proposal?

Consultation analysis

Adverse impact on any people with protected characteristics.

Could the policy/proposal be modified to reduce or eliminate any adverse impact?

How will the effect(s) of this policy/proposal on equality be monitored?

What data is required in the future?

Are there any adverse impacts on any particular group(s)

If yes, please explain your reasons for going ahead.

Initial equality impact assessment of your proposal

NO

No

The continued review of the Council's land and property portfolio as identified as Bournbrook & Selly Park, Bromford & Hodge Hill and Ward End, Moseley, Newtown and Lozells, Yardley East and Yardley West & Stechford as being surplus to Council requirements.

It is proposed that these property interests form part of an agreed schedule of land property sales to be implemented during the financial years 2019/2020 - 2020/21.

The disposal of surplus properties will provide opportunities for individuals and groups to regenerate the area. The disposals will be through auction and on an open market disposal basis, with the opportunity to purchase made available through market process releases.

No direct external consultation is necessary for the disposal of these sites and members of the community have not been disadvantaged or denied access.

Consulted People or Groups

Informed People or Groups

Summary and evidence of findings from your EIA

The Leader of the Council if fully supportive of the report proceeding to

an executive decision. The report has been considered and cleared by the Property and Assets Board. Relevant officers from Inclusive Growth Directorate have been involved in the preparation of this report and support its proposals. The relevant Ward Members for each property have also been consulted.

The Property Strategy takes a medium to long term strategic approach to how we utilise our unique asset base and will ensure a balance delivery of maximised commercial and social returns. Re-aligning the Council's property will provide a catalyst for development and underpin the social fabric of communities across the City.

The disposals will be through auction and on an open market basis so all members of the community will have an opportunity to purchase the assets available.

There has been ongoing consultation with members of their respective constituency who have as representation been consulted on issues of relevance.

There have been no issues raised which impact the wider community negatively, therefore a full equality assessment is not required at this stage.

Yes

Yes

QUALITY CONTORL SECTION

Submit to the Quality Control Officer for reviewing?

Quality Control Officer comments

Decision by Quality Control Officer Proceed for final approval

Submit draft to Accountable Officer?

Decision by Accountable Officer Approve

Date approved / rejected by the Accountable Officer 20/01/2020

Reasons for approval or rejection

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Yes

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