

Title of proposed EIA	Ward End Park Lakeside Renewal Project
Reference No	EQUA488
EA is in support of	New Function
Review Frequency	No preference
Date of first review	01/12/2022
Directorate	Neighbourhoods
Division	Street Scene
Service Area	Parks
Responsible Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Robert Churn
Quality Control Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Karen Huxtable
Accountable Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Darren Share
Purpose of proposal	The restoration of the Dolphin Centre and environmental enhancements to Ward End Park
Data sources	Consultation Results; relevant reports/strategies
Please include any other sources of data	Multiple Deprivation indices
ASSESS THE POTENTIAL IMPACT AGAINST THE PROTECTED CHARACTERISTICS	
Protected characteristic: Age	Service Users / Stakeholders; Wider Community
Age details:	The proposals will serve all ages including women of working age and young children
Protected characteristic: Disability	Service Users / Stakeholders; Wider Community
Disability details:	The proposals will improve access for people with disabilities to the park and Dolphin Centre facilities
Protected characteristic: Gender	Service Users / Stakeholders; Wider Community
Gender details:	The Dolphin Centre improvements will enhance services provided to women from the local community
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.

The proposals include measures to provide access to the first floor of the building and the installation of a lift will be relevant to later phases of the project.

The park improvements will attract new visitors to the park from previously hard to reach members of the local community as the site will feel safer and cleaner.

Please indicate whether a full impact assessment is recommended

NO

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)

No

If yes, please explain your reasons for going ahead.

Initial equality impact assessment of your proposal

Consulted People or Groups

Informed People or Groups

Summary and evidence of findings from your EIA

The project will deliver benefits to the whole community and improve access for people with disabilities into the building and around the park. The services provided by the Dolphin Centre are directed primarily towards women and the expansion of the space to provide training facilities and a cafe will help local women to access employment opportunities in the East Birmingham and North Solihull corridor.

## QUALITY CONTORL SECTION

Submit to the Quality Control Officer for reviewing?

No

Quality Control Officer comments

Following a conversation with Robert Churn today at 10.00am. I confirm that I approve this report. Bob will attach the consultation documents and all documents that he referes to in this assessment to the final document that will be included in the Cabinet Report.

Decision by Quality Control Officer

Proceed for final approval

Submit draft to Accountable Officer?

Yes

Decision by Accountable Officer

Approve

Date approved / rejected by the Accountable Officer

06/03/2020

Reasons for approval or rejection

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Yes

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