

Title of proposed EIA	Selly Park Conservation Area Apraisal and Management Plan
Reference No	EQUA906
EA is in support of	New Policy
Review Frequency	No preference
Date of first review	01/07/2027
Directorate	Inclusive Growth
Division	Planning and Development
Service Area	City Design and Conservation
Responsible Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Julie Shaduwa
Quality Control Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Richard Woodland
Accountable Officer(s)	<input type="checkbox"/> Andrew Fuller
Purpose of proposal	PRESERVATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF THE CHARACTER OF THE CONSERVATION AREA
Data sources	Consultation Results; relevant reports/strategies
Please include any other sources of data	
ASSESS THE IMPACT AGAINST THE PROTECTED CHARACTERISTICS	Y
Protected characteristic: Age	Not Applicable
Age details:	
Protected characteristic: Disability	Not Applicable
Disability details:	
Protected characteristic: Sex	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:

Socio-economic impacts

Please indicate any actions arising from completing this screening exercise. None

Please indicate whether a full impact assessment is recommended NO

What data has been collected to facilitate the assessment of this policy/proposal? Analysis of the character of the Selly Park Conservation Area and drafting of the Selly Park Conservation Area Appraisal and Management Plan and existing boundry. The analysis has informed the key objective of the management of the historic environment and secondry objective of promoting best practice and positive intervention.

Consultation analysis All residents in the conservation area and those affected by the boundary amendments. Local residents groups and amenity socities including Birmingham Civic Society and Victorian Society, and stakeholders Historic England. The overall outcome of the consultation was positive support for the document and the boundary amendments.

Adverse impact on any people with protected characteristics. None identified.

Could the policy/proposal be modified to reduce or eliminate any adverse impact? None identified.

How will the effect(s) of this policy/proposal on equality be monitored? Monitoring and review will take place through the statutory monitoring of the Conservation Areas as required by the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservations Areas) Act 1990.

What data is required in the future? n/a

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 The purpose of the policy is to provide formal planning guidance in order to Protect and enhance the Selly Park Conservation Area. The Review proposes a Conservation Area Appraisal and Management Plan, revision to existing boundary and

associated policies that identify the unique architectural and historical character of the Conservation Area. The outcome of this review and recommendations is the prevention of the deterioration of the Conservation Area and development which contributes to the special character of the area.

The Review should have a positive affect on service users and the wider community by ensuring policies are in place which contribute to enhanced environments, better quality design and the protection of local heritage and culture.

A full EA is not required because it is not considered that the revisions proposed will disproportionately impact on any particular group. The revisions will contribute to equality of opportunity for all by providing a statutory planning guidance for change and development which respects the special character of the Conservation Areas.

Consulted People or Groups



Informed People or Groups

Summary and evidence of findings from your EIA

The assessment is that the Selly Park Conservation Area and Management Plan and proposed boundary amendments to the conservation area will not disproportionately affect any protected group. This finding has been tested through implementation of a robust consultation plan that involved representative groups and informed all affected residents. Consultation findings have been subsequently used to review the new policy document and the proposed amendments to the designated area.

QUALITY CONTORL SECTION

Submit to the Quality Control Officer for reviewing?	Yes
Quality Control Officer comments	
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	06/06/2022
Reasons for approval or rejection	This work will not disproportionately affect any protected group and is approved.
Please print and save a PDF copy for your records	Yes

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