

Equality Impact Relevance Check Form



The Public Sector Equality Duty requires us to eliminate discrimination, advance equality of opportunity and foster good relations with protected groups. This tool will identify the equalities relevance of a proposal, and establish whether a full Equality Impact Assessment will be required.

What is the proposal?	
Name of the proposal	Update on Yeovil Refresh and change of powers
Type of proposal (new or changed Strategy, policy, project, service or budget):	Project progress update and change of powers
Brief description of the proposal:	Progress report and update the powers under which we operate yeovil market.
Name of lead officer:	Ian Timms

You should consider whether the proposal has the potential to negatively impact on citizens or staff in the following ways:

- Access to or participation in a service,
- Levels of representation in our workforce, or
- Reducing quality of life (i.e. health, education, standard of living)

A negative impact is any change that could be considered detrimental. If a negative impact is imposed on any citizens or staff with protected characteristics, the Council has a legal duty to undertake a full Equality Impact Assessment.

Could your proposal negatively impact citizens with protected characteristics? (This includes service users and the wider community)	NO
Could your proposal negatively impact staff with protected characteristics? (i.e. reduction in posts, changes to working hours or locations, changes in pay)	NO

Is a full Equality Impact Assessment required?	NO
If Yes, Please provide a brief description of where there may be negative impacts, and for whom. Then complete a full Equality Impact assessment Form	
If No, Please set out your justification for why not.	
The only changes in the report refer to updating the powers under which we operate Yeovil market. There is no proposal to change the way the market is run or to make any other operational changes. To this end there will be no negative impacts on people sharing protected characteristics and a full EIA is not required.	
Service Director / Manager sign-off and date	Natalie Fortt 17/02/23
Equalities Officer sign-off and date	Dave Crisfield 17 th February 2023