

#### **Equality Screening Assessment**

The Equality Screening Assessment form must be completed to evidence what impact the proposal may have on equality groups within our community or workforce. Any proposal that identifies a negative impact must have a full Equality Impact Assessment completed before the proposal progresses further.

#### 1: Proposal

Requirement	Detail
Title of proposal	Procurement of contract for the treatment of collected organic
	waste.
Type of proposal: new policy / change to policy / new service / change to	Procurement activity.
service / removal of service / project / event/ budget	
What is the objective of this proposal?	Procure legally compliant disposal arrangements for collected
	organic material
Has there been/when will there be consultation on this proposal?	No
(List all the groups / communities, including dates)	
Did the consultation on this proposal highlight any positive or negative impact	Not applicable.
on protected groups? (If yes, give details)	
What processes are in place to monitor and review the impact of this proposal?	Material tonnages are monitored and reported as part of the
	wider organisational and national performance indicators.
Who will approve this proposal?	Committee

Requirement	Detail
(Committee, CLT)	

## 2: Equality Consideration

In turn, consider each protected group to ensure we meet our legal obligations of the Equality Act (2010).

Protected	General Equality Duty Considerations	Changes	Impact
Groups	<ul> <li>Include factual evidence of how people in this group may be affected.</li> <li>Consider the outcomes and processes.</li> <li>Does this seek to eliminate discrimination?</li> <li>Does this promote fostering good relations?</li> </ul>	What changes can be made to mitigate any negative impact?     Are there opportunities to remove possible barriers or disadvantages that a group may face?	Delete as appropriate. There can be more than one answer per protected group.
Age Different age groups that may be affected by the proposal in different ways.	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents. Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		Neutral
Sex Is one sex affected more than another or are they affected the same?	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.  Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		Neutral
<b>Disability</b> It is likely to have an effect on a particular type of disability? Why?	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.  Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		Neutral
Gender Reassignment Will there be an impact on trans males and/or trans females?	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents. Where residents have mobility or other accessibility		Neutral

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	suitable adjustments where required.		
Race Are people from one ethnic group affected more than people from another ethnic group?	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.  Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		Neutral
Sexual Orientation	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.		Neutral
Are people of one sexual orientation affected differently to people of another sexual orientation?	Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		
Marriage & Civil	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.		Neutral
Partnership Are people in a Marriage or Civil Partnership treated less favourably?	Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		
Pregnancy & Maternity	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.		Neutral
Are people who are pregnant, or have a baby of 6 months old or younger, effected by this proposal?	Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		
Religion or Belief	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.		Neutral
Does the proposal effect people differently depending on whether they	Where residents have mobility or other accessibility		

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have or do not have a religion or a belief?	needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		
Health & Wellbeing  1. Health behaviours (E.g. diet, exercise, alcohol, smoking)  2. Support (E.g. community cohesion, rural isolation)  3. Socio economic (E.g. income, education).  4. Environment (E.g. green spaces, fuel poverty, housing standards).	Garden Waste services are offered to all residents.  Where residents have mobility or other accessibility needs, we offer alternative arrangements and suitable adjustments where required.		Neutral

# 3: Equality Impact

Question	Response
What overall impact does the proposal have on the protected groups?	No Impact / Positive Impact / Negative Impact
If a negative impact is identified anywhere in section 2, the response will be Negative Impact.	
Does an Equality Impact Assessment need to be completed?	Yes / No
(Yes, if any negative impact is found.)	
	If yes, this Equality Screening Assessment must be adjoined to the
	Equality Impact Assessment.
Copy attached to relevant report?	Yes / No
Is this document going to be published with the relevant report?	Yes / No

## 4: Ownership

Question	Response
Directorate	Place and Economy
Service area	Waste Services
Lead officer's name	Charlotte Tompkins
Lead officer's job title	Waste Services Manager
Lead officer's contact details	Charlotte.tompkins@northnorthants.gov.uk
Lead officer's signature	Souphin
Date completed	07 Feb 2022

Completed forms must be sent to <a href="mailto:Equalities@northnorthants.gov.uk">Equalities@northnorthants.gov.uk</a>