Equality Impact Assessment Form

Name of strategy, project or policy:
Strategic Review of Leisure
Officer completing assessment:
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What is the main purpose of the strategy, project or policy?
To understand better the leisure issues within the Borough and to ensure that services are provided which meet customer needs.
List the main activities of the project, policy (for strategies list the main policy areas)
Review leisure provision against national guidance
3. Who will be the main beneficiaries of the strategy, project or policy?
All customers of the Borough

4. Use the table below to tick:

- (a) Where you think that the strategy, project or policy could have a negative impact on any of the equality groups i.e. it could disadvantage them.
- (b) Where you think that the strategy, project, policy could have a positive impact on any of the groups or contribute to promoting equality, equal opportunities or improving relations within equality target groups.

		Positive Impact – it could benefit	Negative Impact – it could disadvantage	Reason
Gender	Women	✓ 🗆		
	Men	✓ 🗆		
Race	Asian or Asian British people	✓ □		
	Black or black British people	✓ □		
	People of mixed race	✓ □		
	Irish people	✓ _		
	White people	✓		
	Chinese people and other minority ethnic communities not listed above	~ _		
Disability	Physical/learning/me ntal health	✓ □		
Sexuality	Lesbians, gay men and bisexuals	✓ □		
Gender Identity	Transgender people	✓ □		
Age	Older people (60+)	✓ □		
	Younger people (17- 25), and children	✓ □		
Belief	Faith groups *	~ _		
Equal opportunities and/or improved relations eg Rural		•		

Notes:

Muslims, Buddhists, Jews, Christians, Sikhs, Hindus. Consider faith categories individually and collectively when considering positive and negative impacts.					
5 If you have indicated there is a negative impact on any group, is that impact:					
Legal? YES NO					
(i.e. it is not discriminatory under anti-discriminatory legislation)					
Intended? YES NO					
Level of impact HIGH LOW					
If the negative impact is possibly discriminatory and not intended and/or of high impact you must complete section two of this form. If not, complete the rest of section one below and consider if completing section two would be helpful in making a thorough assessment.					
6 a) Could you minimise or remove any negative impact that is of low significance?					
Explain how:					
a) Could you improve the strategy, project or policy's positive impact? Finals in hour.					
Explain how:					
You may wish to use the action sheet at the end of Section two.					
7 If there is no evidence that the strategy, policy or project promotes equality, equal opportunities or improved relations – could it be adapted so that it does?					
How?					
Please sign and date this form, keep one copy and send one copy to the Head of Human Resources.					
Human Resources.					

* Faith groups cover a wide range of groupings, the most common of which are