

## Equality Impact Assessment Form

### screeintip-sectionA

#### 1. Document Control

##### 1. Control Details

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#### 4. Glossary of Terms

Term	Description

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### 2. Assessment

#### 1. Brief description of proposal / policy / service being assessed

Extension to the four Public Spaces Protection Orders across the City of Nottingham in respect of Dogs.

1. Nottingham City Council Dogs on Leads by Direction Public Spaces Protection Order 2016
2. Nottingham City Council Dogs on Leads Public Spaces Protection Order 2016
3. Nottingham City Council Dogs Exclusion Public Spaces Protection Order 2016
4. Nottingham City Council Fouling of Land by Dogs and Requirement to Produce Device for or Other Suitable Means of Removing Dog Faeces Public Spaces Protection Order 2016

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#### 2. Information used to analyse the effects on equality:

Consultation will commence on the proposed extension to the Public Spaces Protection Orders which have been in place now for three years without any adverse effect on equality having been identified to date. The

proposals are to extend the Orders for a further three years.

**3. Impacts and Actions:**

<a href="#">screentip-sectionD</a>	Could particularly benefit X	May adversely impact X
People from different ethnic groups.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Men	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Women	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trans	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disabled people or carers.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Pregnancy/ Maternity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People of different faiths/ beliefs and those with none.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lesbian, gay or bisexual people.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Older	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Younger	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (e.g. marriage/ civil partnership, looked after children, cohesion/ good relations, vulnerable children/ adults).	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

***Please underline the group(s) /issue more adversely affected or which benefits.***

<p><b>How different groups could be affected</b> (Summary of impacts)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><a href="#"><u>screeintip-sectionE</u></a></p>	<p><b>Details of actions to reduce negative or increase positive impact</b> (or why action isn't possible)</p> <p style="text-align: right;"><a href="#"><u>screeintip-sectionF</u></a></p>
<p>Provide details for impacts / benefits on people in different protected groups.</p> <p>The proposals are to extend the Public Spaces Protection Orders (PSPOs) across the administrative area of Nottingham.</p> <p>PSPO 1 allows dogs to be exercised freely on parks and open spaces. This has had no identified adverse impact on any group to date</p> <p>PSPO 2 ensures dogs are kept on leads at all times within the urban areas of Nottingham including on streets, public footpaths and in town centres. This has had no identified adverse impact on any group to date</p> <p>PSPO 3 prohibits dogs from entering children's play areas, school grounds and special areas of scientific interest. There have been no identified adverse effects on disabled members of the community however there are special exemptions in the Order in respect of disabled people with assistance dogs</p> <p>PSPO 4 is in respect of dog fouling and having the means to pick up after a dog has fouled. There have been no identified adverse effect on disabled</p>	<p><b>1 Actions will need to be uploaded on Pentana.</b></p> <p>Continue on separate sheet if needed (click and type to delete this note)</p> <p>The proposed extensions to the Orders will continue to positively impact all members of the community by increasing public safety, health and well-being through providing the tools and powers to ensure that dogs are kept under proper control throughout Nottingham.</p> <p>Consultation will commence on the proposed extension to the Public Spaces Protection Orders on 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019 and will conclude on 17<sup>th</sup> June 2019</p>

<p>members of the community and there are special exemptions in the Order in respect of disabled people and assistance dogs.</p>	
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**4. Have you considered the impact of any change on the Citizen’s experience? Work through the flowchart attached.**



EIA flowchart  
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**5. Outcome(s) of equality impact assessment:**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No major change needed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adjust the policy/proposal
<input type="checkbox"/>	Adverse impact but continue	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stop and remove the policy/proposal

**6. Arrangements for future monitoring of equality impact of this proposal / policy / service:**

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**7. Approved by (manager signature) and Date sent to equality team for publishing:**

<p><b>Approving Manager: Jennifer Guiste, 101 ext 3110020</b>  <a href="mailto:jennifer.guiste@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk">jennifer.guiste@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk</a></p>	<p><b>Date sent for scrutiny: 21<sup>st</sup> March 2019</b>                  Send document or Link to:  <a href="mailto:equalityanddiversityteam@nottinghamcity.gov.uk">equalityanddiversityteam@nottinghamcity.gov.uk</a></p>
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The assessment must be approved by the manager responsible for the service/proposal. Include a contact tel & email to allow citizen/stakeholder feedback on proposals.	
<b>SRO Approval:</b>	<b>Date of final approval: 21 March 2019 Adisa Djan</b>

**Before you send your EIA to the Equality and Community Relations Team for scrutiny, have you:**

1. Read the guidance and good practice EIA's  
<http://intranet.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/media/1924/simple-guide-to-eia.doc>
2. Clearly summarised your proposal/ policy/ service to be assessed.
3. Hyperlinked to the appropriate documents.
4. Written in clear user-friendly language, free from all jargon (spelling out acronyms).
5. Included appropriate data.
6. Consulted the relevant groups or citizens or stated clearly, when this is going to happen.
7. Clearly cross-referenced your impacts with SMART actions.