

Equality Impact Assessment Screening Tool

1	Lead officer contact details: SALMAN AZIZ/JAMAINE BROWN			
2	Date:			
3	Summary of the proposal: PSPO to enable the gating of Dovecote Avenue			
	Response to Screening Questions	Yes	No	Please explain your answer.
a) Type of proposal				
4.	Is this a new proposal or a significant change to a policy or service, including commissioned service?		✓	The proposal is for approval to consult on the implementation of a Public Spaces Protection Order to enable the council to gate a public right of access where there has been anti-social behaviour and nuisance. There are no policy or service or impact on staffing arrangements
5.	Does the proposal remove, reduce or alter a service or policy?		✓	
6.	Will there be a restructure or significant changes in staffing arrangements? Please see the restructure pages for guidance for restructure EqlAs .		✓	
7.	If the service or policy is not changing, have there been any known equality issues or concerns with current provision. For example, cases of discrimination or failure to tackle inequalities in outcomes in the past?		✓	
b) Known inequalities				
8.	Could the proposal disproportionately impact on any particular communities, disadvantaged or vulnerable residents?		✓	The area to be gated is a public right of way, however it is not generally used by the public as a short cut to access any provision. The area is however subject to significant fly tipping and

9.	<p>Is the service targeted towards particular disadvantaged or vulnerable residents?</p> <p><i>This can be a service specifically for a group, such as services for people with Learning Disabilities. It can also be a universal service but has specific measures to tackle inequalities, such as encouraging men to take up substance misuse services.</i></p>		✓	<p>loitering with nuisance, which present an unsafe environment for residents in particular. Residents and businesses requiring access will be given access, as the gate will be fitted with a key pad entry lock, which will be provided to legitimate residents and businesses.</p>
10.	<p>Are there any known inequalities? For example, particular groups are not currently accessing services that they need or are more likely to suffer inequalities in outcomes, such as health outcomes.</p>		✓	
11	<p>If you have answered yes to at least one question in both sections a) and b), Please complete an EqIA.</p>			<p>A full EqIA, is not required at this time as</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The proposal is likely to have no/minimal impact on groups that share the protected characteristics or other disadvantaged groups • This proposal is for approval to consult on a proposed PSPO. Should the consultation give rise to any issues of inequality not yet identified then a full EQIA can be completed in advance of seeking approval for the actual PSPO to enable the installation of the gate. • The gating of the alley way is likely to have a positive impact on residents living in the locality and staff working in and around the location; in making the area cleaner and safer.