

Appendix A - Integrated Impact Assessment Screening Form

Please ensure that you refer to the Screening Form Guidance while completing this form.

Which service area and directorate are you from?

Service Area: Planning & City Regeneration

Directorate: Place

Q1 (a) What are you screening for relevance?

- ☐ New and revised policies, practices or procedures
- ☐ Service review, re-organisation or service changes/reductions, which affect the wider community, service users and/or staff
- ☐ Efficiency or saving proposals
- ☐ Setting budget allocations for new financial year and strategic financial planning
- ☐ New project proposals affecting staff, communities or accessibility to the built environment, e.g., new construction work or adaptations to existing buildings, moving to on-line services, changing location
- ☐ Large Scale Public Events
- ☐ Local implementation of National Strategy/Plans/Legislation
- ☐ Strategic directive and intent, including those developed at Regional Partnership Boards and Public Services Board, which impact on a public bodies functions
- ☒ Medium to long term plans (for example, corporate plans, development plans, service delivery and improvement plans)
- ☐ Setting objectives (for example, well-being objectives, equality objectives, Welsh language strategy)
- ☐ Major procurement and commissioning decisions
- ☐ Decisions that affect the ability (including external partners) to offer Welsh language opportunities and services

(b) Please name and fully describe initiative here:

Preparation of a Local Economic Delivery Plan (LEDP) to complement the existing Regional Economic Delivery Plan (REDP). It will guide the implementation of the REDP in a local context and set out the Swansea-specific economic regeneration priorities and actions.

The South West Wales Regional Economic Delivery Plan is the strategic framework for economic regeneration at the regional and local level. It was adopted as Council policy in January 2022. The REDP was produced by the four local authorities in South West Wales in partnership with the Welsh Government. It sets out how we will build on our distinctive strengths and opportunities over the next ten years to develop a more prosperous and resilient South West Wales economy.

Preparation of the REDP included a thorough analysis of the evidence base on the region's economy, labour market and infrastructure to determine its strengths, weaknesses, opportunities and threats. Extensive consultation was undertaken with stakeholders across the region. Development of the plan also included consideration of national, regional and local policy context including the Wellbeing of Future Generations Act, decarbonisation and the achievement of net zero by 2050, technological and demographic change and Brexit.

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Q2 What is the potential impact on the following: the impacts below could be positive (+) or negative (-)

	High Impact		Medium Impact		Low Impact		Needs further investigation
	+	-	+	-	+	-	
Children/young people (0-18)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Older people (50+)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Any other age group	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Future Generations (yet to be born)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Race (including refugees)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Asylum seekers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gypsies & travellers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Religion or (non-)belief	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sex	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sexual Orientation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gender reassignment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Welsh Language	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poverty/social exclusion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Carers (inc. young carers)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community cohesion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marriage & civil partnership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pregnancy and maternity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Q3 What involvement has taken place/will you undertake e.g. engagement/consultation/co-productive approaches? Please provide details below – either of your activities or your reasons for not undertaking involvement

The REDP provides the strategic framework for the preparation of the Local Economic Delivery Plan. The evidence base for developing the Local Economic Delivery Plan will be drawn from the analysis and consultation undertaken for the preparation of the REDP and also the 2022 Assessment of Local Wellbeing in Swansea (which informed the Local Wellbeing Plan) and included widespread local consultation.

The REDP was prepared by the four local authorities in South West Wales in partnership with Welsh Government. In preparing the REDP, consultation took place with over 50 stakeholders from business, local authorities and Welsh Government, Universities, Further Education Colleges, leaders within the region's Enterprise Zones and local business partnerships, and the third sector.

Consultation during the preparation of the REDP included one-to-one consultations throughout the process; discussions at county-level economic partnership boards including Regeneration Swansea, the Regional Learning and Skills Partnership, and the Economic Strategy Group of the Swansea Bay City Deal; and a stakeholder consultation workshop which took place in June 2021.

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Q4 Have you considered the Well-being of Future Generations Act (Wales) 2015 in the development of this initiative:

- a) Overall does the initiative support our Corporate Plan's Well-being Objectives when considered together?
Yes ☒ No ☐
- b) Does the initiative consider maximising contribution to each of the seven national well-being goals?
Yes ☒ No ☐
- c) Does the initiative apply each of the five ways of working?
Yes ☒ No ☐
- d) Does the initiative meet the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs?
Yes ☒ No ☐

Q5 What is the potential risk of the initiative? (Consider the following impacts – equality, socio-economic, environmental, cultural, legal, financial, political, media, public perception etc...)

High risk

☐

Medium risk

☐

Low risk

☒

Q6 Will this initiative have an impact (however minor) on any other Council service?

☒

Yes

☐

No

If yes, please provide details below

The LEDP will sit alongside the REDP and provide strategic direction for economic regeneration activities undertaken by the Council

Q7 What is the cumulative impact of this proposal on people and/or communities when considering all the impacts identified within the screening and any other key decisions affecting similar groups/ service users made by the organisation?

(You may need to discuss this with your Service Head or Cabinet Member to consider more widely if this proposal will affect certain groups/ communities more adversely because of other decisions the organisation is making. For example, financial impact/poverty, withdrawal of multiple services and whether this is disadvantaging the same groups, e.g., disabled people, older people, single parents (who are mainly women), etc.)

The Local Economic Delivery Plan will complement the existing Regional Economic Delivery Plan and aim to create an economy that is resilient and sustainable; enterprising and ambitious; and balance and inclusive. It is expected that it will have a positive impact on people and communities in Swansea by improving economic performance and creating sustainable employment opportunities. In line with the Equality Act 2010 and Public Sector Equality Duty, due regard will be given to the impact on protected groups in the development of the LEDP. The LEDP will be subjected to a full IIA.

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Outcome of Screening

Q8 Please describe the outcome of your screening below:

- **Summary of impacts identified and mitigation needed (Q2)**

The impacts of the LEDP are expected to be positive and are low to medium in nature.

- **Summary of involvement (Q3)**

The LEDP will draw on the consultation and evidence bases produced for the REDP and the 2022 Local Assessment of Wellbeing in Swansea, and will be prepared in collaboration with Regeneration Swansea partnership.

- **WFG considerations (Q4)**

The Wellbeing of Future Generations Act was considered throughout the preparation of the REDP and this will be reflected in the LEDP. Annex B of the REDP sets out its contribution to the wellbeing goals.

- **Any risks identified (Q5)**

The preparation of the LEDP is expected to be low risk. In delivering the actions that flow from the Plan, any risks will be considered at a project level in the normal way.

- **Cumulative impact (Q7)**

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(NB: This summary paragraph should be used in the relevant section of corporate report)

☒ **Full IIA to be completed**

☐ **Do not complete IIA – please ensure you have provided the relevant information above to support this outcome**

NB: Please email this completed form to the Access to Services Team for agreement before obtaining approval from your Head of Service. Head of Service approval is only required via email.

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