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

#### Which service area and directorate are you from?

Service Area: Cultural Services

Directorate: Place

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	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
$\Box$	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
П	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)
Π	Major procurement and commissioning decisions
	Decisions that affect the ability (including external partners) to offer Welsh language opportunities and
	services
	Other

### (b) Please name and fully <u>describe</u> initiative here:

The Climate Change and Nature Scrutiny Performance Panel has requested a briefing on environmental tourism in the area, including an update on progress with issues highlighted in the letter from the Scrutiny Programme Committee meeting 17 August 2021, and the Cabinet Member response.

The report includes a summary of activity conducted by the Tourism Team, including destination marketing, tourism development and business support surrounding the theme of 'environmental tourism'.

It will be of interest to the Panel in the context of Swansea Council's Climate Change and Nature Strategy 2022-2030 and our commitment to achieve a Net Zero Carbon Swansea by 2050.

The importance of tourism to the local economy continues to grow and the most recent set of data from Scarborough Tourism Economic Activity Monitor (STEAM) suggests that this has reached record levels with £510M contribution towards the local economy as a result of 4.2M visitors supporting 5,200 direct and indirect jobs.

The aim of the tourism team isn't about volume and more about value, where we very much focus our marketing priorities around tackling the need to encourage visits during the shoulder season. In terms of value, we continue to work with businesses to encourage investment in their business so that they can encourage growth, whist becoming more economic and environmentally sustainable.

All the activity is underpinned by the Destination Management Plan 2023-2026, which was approved by Cabinet in October 2023 and which highlights our relationship with both internal and external partners along with the key priorities for the destination.

Q2 What is the poter (+) or negative (-)	-	n the following	: the impact	s below could b	e positive
(i) oi nogativo ()	High Impact	Medium Impact	Low Impact	Needs further Investigation	No Impact
	+ -	+ -	+ -		
Children/young people (0-18)			$\boxtimes \Box$		
Older people (50+)			$\overline{\boxtimes}\overline{\sqcap}$	П	$\Box$
Any other age group			$\square$	П	П
Future Generations (yet to be a	oorn) 🗍 🗍		$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Disability			$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Race (including refugees)			$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Asylum seekers			$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Gypsies & travellers			$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Religion or (non-)belief			$\overline{\boxtimes}$		
Sex			$\boxtimes \square$		
Sexual Orientation			$\boxtimes \square$		
Gender reassignment			$\boxtimes \square$		
Welsh Language			$\boxtimes \square$		
Poverty/social exclusion			$\boxtimes \square$		
Carers (inc. young carers)			$\boxtimes \square$		
Community cohesion			$\boxtimes \square$		
Marriage & civil partnership			$\boxtimes \square$		
Pregnancy and maternity			$\boxtimes \Box$		

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

All our activity is underpinned by the new Destination Management Plan 2023-2026, which was approved by Cabinet on 19 October 2023 and informed by 3 key pieces of research:

- Visitor Survey 2022: 1,000 face-to-face interviews at 7 sampling points
- Tourism Trade Survey: 125 tourism and hospitality businesses surveyed online or via telephone
- Hotel Demand Study for the City Centre: currently at tender stage

Human Rights

Colleagues from other Place departments have been consulted in this report and requested to give updates on their area of work.

This project has low visibility to the general public and does not require engagement from the protected groups above.

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

a)	Overall does the initiation together?	ive support our Corporate Pla	n's Well-being Objectives when considered
	Yes 🖂	No 🗌	
b)	Does the initiative cons Yes ⊠	sider maximising contribution No	to each of the seven national well-being goals?
c)	Does the initiative appl Yes ⊠	y each of the five ways of wo No	rking?
d)	Does the initiative mee generations to meet the Yes ⊠	-	hout compromising the ability of future
Q5	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		Consider the following impacts – equality, , financial, political, media, public
	High risk	Medium risk	Low risk
Q6	Will this initiative h	ave an impact (however	minor) on any other Council service?
[	☐ Yes ⊠ N	o If yes, please pro	vide details below
Q7	Will this initiative r	esult in any changes ne	eded to the external or internal website?
[	Yes 🖂 N	o If yes, please pro	vide details below
	considering all the	impacts identified within	osal on people and/or communities  the screening and any other key  made by the organisation?

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 report includes a summary of activity conducted by the Tourism Team, including destination marketing, tourism development and business support surrounding the theme of 'environmental tourism'.

By supporting environmental tourism and encouraging responsible visitor behaviour, our activity has a positive impact on the destination as a whole. This in turn supports the visitor economy and overall prosperity across the City and County of Swansea.

#### **Outcome of Screening**

- Q9 Please describe the outcome of your screening using the headings below:
  - Summary of impacts identified and mitigation needed (Q2)
  - Summary of involvement (Q3)

- WFG considerations (Q4)
- Any risks identified (Q5)
- Cumulative impact (Q7)

The report includes a summary of activity conducted by the Tourism Team, including destination marketing, tourism development and business support surrounding the theme of 'environmental tourism'.

It also includes an update on progress with issues highlighted in the letter from the Scrutiny Programme Committee meeting 17 August 2021, and the Cabinet Member response.

The report has low visibility to the general public and does not require engagement from protected groups. There are no environmental, political, financial or cultural risks associated with it.

The Well-being of Future Generations Act (Wales) 2015 has been fully considered in the development of the DMP, which supports its goals and objectives.

By supporting environmental tourism and encouraging responsible visitor behaviour, our activity has a positive impact on the destination as a whole. This in turn supports the visitor economy and overall prosperity across the City and County of Swansea.

(NB: This summary paragraph should be used in the section of corporate report)	ne 'Integrated Assessment Implications'
Full IIA to be completed	

X	Do not complete IIA – please ensure you have provided the relevant information above to support this
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	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.

Screening completed by:	
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Job title: Tourism and Marketing Manager	
<b>Date:</b> 14-11-2023	
Approval by Head of Service:	
Approval by Head of Service: Name: Tracey McNulty	
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