Initial equality impact assessment screening form

This form records an equality screening process to determine the relevance of equality to a proposal, and a decision whether or not a full EIA would be appropriate or proportionate.

Directorate	Environment				
Service area	Waste Management				
Proposal being screened	Changes to Services to be delivered by Yorwaste Ltd using the 'Teckal' Procurement Exemption				
Officer(s) carrying out screening					
What are you proposing to do?	To obtain approval to vary the Yorwaste Services Contract to add new Schedules for garden waste processing and DMR acceptance, transport and processing for Scarborough.				
Why are you proposing this? What are the desired outcomes?	To ensure continuity in service provision once the existing contracts end.				
Does the proposal involve a significant commitment or removal of resources? Please give details.	No				

Impact on people with any of the following protected characteristics as defined by the Equality Act 2010, or NYC's additional agreed characteristics

As part of this assessment, please consider the following questions:

- To what extent is this service used by particular groups of people with protected characteristics?
- Does the proposal relate to functions that previous consultation has identified as important?
- Do different groups have different needs or experiences in the area the proposal relates to?

If for any characteristic it is considered that there is likely to be an adverse impact or you have ticked 'Don't know/no info available', then a full EIA should be carried out where this is proportionate. You are advised to speak to your directorate representative for advice if you are in any doubt.

Protected characteristic	Potential impact	for adverse	Don't know/No info available	
	Yes	No		
Age		X		
Disability		X		
Sex		Х		
Race		X		
Sexual orientation		Х		
Gender reassignment		X		
Religion or belief		Х		
Pregnancy or maternity		Х		
Marriage or civil partnership		X		
People in rural areas		X		

People on a low income		Х			
Carer (unpaid family or friend)		Х			
Are from the Armed Forces Community		Х			
Does the proposal relate to an area	No	•	<u>.</u>		
where there are known					
inequalities/probable impacts (for					
example, disabled people's access to					
public transport)? Please give details.					
Will the proposal have a significant					
effect on how other organisations	No				
operate? (for example, partners,					
funding criteria, etc.). Do any of					
these organisations support people					
with protected characteristics?					
Please explain why you have reached					
this conclusion.					
Decision (Please tick one option)	EIA not		Continue to		
	relevant or	✓	full EIA:	No	
	proportionate:				
Reason for decision	This relates to a variation of an existing contract and has no impact on people with protected				
	characteristics				
Signed (Assistant Director or	Michael Leah				
equivalent)					
Date	08/02/2024				