

Appendix 2 Ambition Arnold

The main objective of		<p>The Ambition Arnold project main objective is to develop a town centre masterplan to support the long-term sustainability and prosperity of Arnold town centre.</p> <p>The project is intended to develop a framework for interventions that will enhance the town and ensure its long-term sustainability thereby supporting business, jobs, and access to services for the Arnold and wider Gedling communities. The masterplan will provide the basis to develop robust business cases for improvements and provide opportunities for the Council to leverage funding and investment into the town.</p> <p>Public consultation is to be undertaken during the summer to inform the development of the town centre masterplan.</p>			
<p>What impact will this have on the following groups? Please note that you should consider both external and internal impact:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • External (e.g. stakeholders, residents, local businesses etc.) • Internal (staff) 					
Please use only 'Yes' where applicable		Negative	Positive	Neutral	Comments
Gender	External		Yes		The masterplan is intended to provide a framework to support the long-term sustainability and prosperity of the borough's town centre. The masterplan identifies issues related to anti-social behaviour hot spots and "safety" within the town that may adversely impact upon all residents and/or particular groups. Therefore, the consultation will be promoted widely via press releases, the Council's Connect magazine, online presence and drop-in sessions across the town to provide residents an opportunity to engage.

	Internal			Yes	
Gender Reassignment	External			Yes	As above
	Internal			Yes	
Age	External		Yes		<p>The masterplan is intended to provide a framework to support the long-term sustainability and prosperity of the borough's town centre through a number of interventions that will meet the needs of both residents and the wider borough regardless of age. The consultation will include targeted engagement with both young people using the Youth Council and other existing networks and social media and with older people through the Seniors Forum. The consultation will provide residents and stakeholders the opportunity to access information and feedback to the project both digitally and through face-to-face drop-in sessions in the town centre. The consultation will provide opportunities for feedback to be submitted electronically or via a paper survey.</p> <p>A short film will also be made available via social media to promote the consultation exercise and an article will be published in the Council's Connect Magazine.</p>
	Internal			Yes	
Marriage and civil partnership	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
Disability					
	External		Yes		The masterplan is intended to consider the accessibility and connectivity of Arnold's town centre, which

					<p>includes the barriers to accessing the town particularly for those residents with a disability.</p> <p>The consultation will be promoted in the Council's Connect Magazine</p> <p>The consultation will provide residents with the option to either engage with the project through drop-in sessions or digitally via the Council's website. Feedback materials will be provided in different font sizes (large print) and where disability groups exist, they will be contacted directly by the Project Team.</p>
	Internal		Yes		As above
Race & Ethnicity	External			Yes	<p>Details of the masterplan consultation will be circulated across the Council's community group network to ensure communities within the Gedling area are able to engage through either drop-in session in the town or digitally.</p> <p>Upon request literature will be translated to ensure wide engagement with all communities across the borough.</p>
	Internal			Yes	
Sexual Orientation	External			Yes	Details of the masterplan consultation will be circulated across the Council's community group network that includes LGBTQ+ groups to encourage engagement through either drop-in sessions in the town or digitally.
	Internal			Yes	
Religion or Belief (or no Belief)	External			Yes	Details of the masterplan consultation will be circulated across the Council's community faith network to ensure faith communities within the Gedling area are able to engage through either drop-in sessions in the town or digitally.

	Internal			Yes	
Pregnancy & Maternity	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
Other Groups (e.g. any other vulnerable groups, rural isolation, deprived areas, low-income staff etc.). Please state the group/s:	External		Yes		The project aims to be of benefit and inclusive to all residents in Arnold and the wider borough. Details of the masterplan consultation will be circulated across the Council's community group and faith network to ensure communities within the Gedling area are able to engage through either drop-in sessions in the town or digitally.
	Internal			Yes	

Is there is any evidence of a high disproportionate adverse or positive impact on any groups?	No		The project aims to develop a masterplan to ensure the long-term prosperity of the town centre and address the issues of decline. These issues include a limited retail offer, public service buildings at end of life, poor pedestrian access and connectivity and anti-social behaviour hot spots and poor public realm. The masterplan will provide an opportunity to confirm the interventions that will impact positively and draw residents into the town to access facilities and services to serve their needs and provide a safe and accessible environment.
Is there an opportunity to mitigate or alleviate any such impacts?	No		If adverse impacts become known during consultation, then these will be incorporated into the project.
Are there any gaps in information available (e.g. evidence) so that a	No		No evidence but if gaps are later identified they will be included in the consultation approach.

complete assessment of different impacts is not possible?			
<p>In response to the information provided above please provide a set of proposed action including any consultation that is going to be carried out:</p>			
Planned Actions	Timeframe	Success Measure	Responsible Officer
<p>he feedback received from drop-in sessions, online feedback and through sessions with established groups will be reviewed during the consultation period.</p>	<p>Consultation 8th July – 18th August 2024</p>	<p>Consultation Feedback</p>	<p>Assistant Director of Housing, Growth and Regeneration</p>

Authorisation and Review

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