

## Equality Impact Assessment

Name of project, policy, function, service or proposal being assessed:		Permanent Closure of Wood Street Public Conveniences			
The main objective of Permanent Closure of Wood Street Public Conveniences EIA:		To assess the impact of the closure on external and internal groups which are being recommended to close due to continued anti-social behaviour.			
<p>What impact will this Closure of Wood Street Public Conveniences have on the following groups? Please note that you should consider both external and internal impact:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• External (e.g. stakeholders, residents, local businesses etc.)</li> <li>• Internal (staff)</li> </ul>					
Please use only 'Yes' where applicable		<b>Negative</b>	<b>Positive</b>	<b>Neutral</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Gender</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Gender Reassignment</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Age</b>	External	Yes			Some users may find the KGV-A toilets slightly more difficult to access as they are further away (0.3 miles). However, these are equipped with better equipment and the overall facilities are in a lot better condition.
	Internal			Yes	

<b>Marriage and Civil Partnership</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Disability</b>	External	Yes			Closure of Wood Street would mean people have to travel further to use alternative facilities (0.3 miles) however Wood Street toilets do not offer a full range of facilities for disabled users. The newly built King George V toilets are available to use and include a Changing Place provision, therefore, making them more equipped and suitable for disabled users.
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Race &amp; Ethnicity</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Sexual Orientation</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Religion or Belief (or no Belief)</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	
<b>Pregnancy &amp; Maternity</b>	External			Yes	
	Internal			Yes	

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<b>Other Groups</b> (e.g. any other vulnerable groups, rural isolation, deprived areas, low income staff etc.)  Please state the group/s:	External				
	Internal				

Is there is any evidence of a high disproportionate adverse or positive impact on any groups?		No	
Is there an opportunity to mitigate or alleviate any such impacts?		No	
Are there any gaps in information available (e.g. evidence) so that a complete assessment of different impacts is not possible?		No	

In response to the information provided above please provide a set of proposed action including any consultation that is going to be carried out:

Planned Actions	Timeframe	Success Measure	Responsible Officer

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**Authorisation and Review**

<b>Completing Officer</b>	<b>Connor Disney</b>
<b>Authorising Head of Service/Director</b>	<b>Fran Whyley</b>
<b>Date</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025</b>
<b>Review date ( if applicable)</b>	