

West Lothian Council

Equality Impact Assessment Electronic Template

June 2008

1. Policy details	
Policy Title	TEN YEAR HOUSING CAPITAL INVESTMENT PROGRAMME 2008/09 TO 2017/18
Policy Lead Officer	Ann Gee
Date Relevance Assessment Conducted	2/12/2008
2. Discretion?	
YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	
3. Which groups of people do you think will be, or potentially can be, impacted upon by the implementation of this policy?	
People from black and minority ethnic communities and different racial backgrounds	<input type="checkbox"/>
Women and men (boys and girls)	<input type="checkbox"/>
People with disabilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Older people, children and young people	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lesbian, gay and bisexual people (including transgender people)	<input type="checkbox"/>
People of different religions or beliefs	<input type="checkbox"/>

4. Do you have evidence or reason to believe that this policy will, or may potentially:	
General Duties	Level of impact (high , medium or low)
Eliminate discrimination faced by particular groups	Low
Impact upon the promotion of equality of opportunity between particular groups	Low
Impact upon good relations between particular groups	Low
Promote positive attitudes towards different groups	Low
Increase participation of particular groups in public life	Low
Overall relevance to equality	Low
5. Equality impact assessment required? (N.B. All high and medium policies must be impact assessed)	
YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
6. Decision rationale	
<p>The ten year capital programme highlights where West Lothian Council intends to spend its capital receipts. The justification for this expenditure is on house condition as outlined by the Scottish Housing Quality Standard, New build council houses as well as other upgrades including externals and energy efficiencies. The capital programme does allow for funding for aids and adaptations to West Lothian Council's housing stock as determined by the health assessment process.</p> <p>This policy will have a low impact on equality and therefore does not need to move to a full Equality Impact Assessment.</p>	

1. Policy details	
Policy Title	
Policy Lead Officer	
Others Involved	
Date Assessment Completed	
2. Results of equality relevance process	
3. Aims of the policy	

4. What data, research or other evidence has been used to inform this assessment?

5. Details of consultation and involvement

6. Impact of policy on particular groups**6.1. Disability equality****6.2. Race equality**

6.3. Gender equality**6.4. Age equality**

6.5. Religion or belief equality**6.6. Sexual orientation equality**

6.7. Transgender equality**6.8. Crosscutting equality (multiple discrimination)**

7. Consultation and involvement feedback**8. Monitoring and review arrangements****9. Publication of assessment results**

10. Recommendations and implementation

Equality impact assessment completed

