



IPSWICH
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Equality Impact Assessment

ECO external Wall Insulation

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What is the report trying to achieve?:

The ECO external wall insulation scheme will allow major improvements to the energy efficiency of the Council's solid wall homes. It will not only improve the thermal efficiency and reduce carbon emissions of these homes but will also improve weatherproofing, sound resistance, fill cracks and gaps in brickwork or render, increase the life of the walls by protecting the brickwork and reduce condensation on internal walls, as well as, help tenants save money on their heating bills. The report is being submitted to obtain executive approval to let the contract.

What evidence/data is being used to support this equality analysis?:

n/a

Supporting documents (if available):

n/a

Is there potential for positive or negative impact on any of the protected characteristics?

- **Age:** *Positive*
- **Disability:** *Positive*
- **Marriage & Civil Partnership:** *No Impact*
- **Race:** *No Impact*
- **Pregnancy & Maternity:** *No Impact*
- **Religion or Belief:** *No Impact*
- **Gender Reassignment:** *No Impact*
- **Sex:** *No Impact*
- **Sexual Orientation:** *No Impact*

If 'No Impact' explain why

Apart from age or disability which could have a positive impact from the external wall insulation, the report is blind to the other protected characteristics

If you have identified any negative impacts (above) how can they be minimised or removed?

n/a

The report helps us to 'eliminate unlawful discrimination, harassment & victimisation' in the following way(s):

n/a

The report helps us to 'advance equality of opportunity...' in the following way(s): n/a

The policy helps us to 'foster good relations...' in the following way(s): n/a