

## Due Regard for Permanent/Experimental TROs

The Council has a duty to give 'due regard to' the following three aims of the public sector equality duty (section 149 of the Equality Act 2010) during the development of the 'policy'.<sup>1</sup>

- Eliminate discrimination, harassment and victimisation and any other conduct prohibited by the ACT;
- Advance equality of opportunity between people who share a protected characteristic and people who do not share it; and
- Foster good relations between people who share a protected characteristic

An initial assessment against each of the protected groups is provided below – any issues highlighted through the consultation process will be considered and reported at the end of the consultation period.

<b>Scheme name</b>	<b>Prohibition of Driving/Motor Vehicles, Various Roads, Forest of Dean</b>
<b>Protected group</b>	<b>Challenge or opportunity considered and what we did</b>
<b>Age(A)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Disability (D)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Sex (S)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Race (including Gypsy &amp; Traveller)(R)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Gender reassignment(GR)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Marriage &amp; civil partnership (MCP)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Pregnancy &amp; maternity (PM)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Religion and/or Belief (RAOB)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>
<b>Sexual Orientation(SO)</b>	<b>No negative or positive impact on this group has been identified at this time.</b>

<sup>1</sup> For 'policy': any new and existing policy, strategy, services, functions, work programme, project, practice and activity. This includes decisions about budgets, procurement, commissioning or de-commissioning services, service design and implementation.

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**Dated:** 6<sup>th</sup> February 2023



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Scheme Officer

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**Dated:** 9<sup>th</sup> February 2023



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### **Monitoring and Review**

Please identify any aspects that require reconsideration following the TRO process, identify any amendments made in relation to due regard and give reasoning.

As part of the numerous objections to the proposal on the Track from Newland towards Bircham Wood (50034) comments were received about the Prohibition of Motor Vehicles restriction preventing less able individuals from being able to access and enjoy the countryside. For the reasons given in the objection report, this proposal has been abandoned.

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