#### **Section 3 Integrated Impact Assessment Checklist**

This checklist does not form part of the IIA report but is intended to inform the group discussion. The boxes may help you to write your ideas down before discussion within the group. For further support see the IIA guidance and supporting information.

#### 1. Before going through the checklist, consider:

What do you think will change as a result of this proposal?

The proposed footbridge is located within the new Greendykes housing development, at the west corner of area AH2. The bridge crosses the Niddrie Burn approximately 200m upstream of the crossing below Pringle Drive / Greendkyes Road roundabout.

The existing community of residents living on south bank of Niddrie Burn will have a direct link to proposed future development. Two communities will be connected with this footbridge.

#### 2. Now consider impacts on different populations.

- Which groups will be affected? Beneficial to all groups.
- Go through the checklist below to identify how different people could be affected differentially, and possible areas of impact.

Population Groups	Differential impacts (how may each group be affected in different ways?)
People with protected characteristics	
Older people and people in their middle years	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
<ul> <li>Young people and children</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups;
<ul> <li>Men (including trans men), Women (including trans women) and Non-binary</li> </ul>	providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
people (Include issues relating to pregnancy and maternity including same sex parents)	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
<ul> <li>Disabled people (includes physical disability, learning disability, sensory impairment, long-term medical conditions, mental health problems)</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
<ul> <li>Minority ethnic people (includes Gypsy/Travellers, migrant workers, non-English speakers)</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
Refugees and asylum seekers	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.

Population Groups	Differential impacts (how may each group be affected in different ways?)	
<ul> <li>People with different religions or beliefs (includes people with no religion or belief)</li> <li>Lesbian, gay, bisexual and heterosexual people</li> <li>People who are unmarried, married or in a civil partnership</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.  Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
Those vulnerable to falling into poverty:  • Unemployed	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul><li>People on benefits</li><li>Single parents</li></ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul> <li>Vulnerable families eg young mothers, people experiencing domestic abuse, children at risk of statutory measures</li> <li>Pensioners</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul> <li>Looked after children and young people</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul> <li>Those leaving care settings (including children and young people and those with illness)</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
Homeless people	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul> <li>Carers (including young carers and carers with protected characteristics)</li> <li>Those involved in the criminal justice system</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul> <li>Those living in the most deprived communities</li> </ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
People with low literacy/numeracy	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
<ul><li>People misusing substances</li><li>Others e.g. veterans and students</li></ul>	Providing an access to all groups; providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.	

Population Groups	Differential impacts (how may each group be affected in different ways?)
Geographical communities  • Rural/ semi rural communities	Providing an access to all groups;
<ul> <li>Urban communities</li> <li>Coastal communities</li> </ul>	providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
Business community	
Staff	
Full-time	Providing an access to all groups;
Part-time	providing a link over the Niddrie Burn.
Shift workers	
<ul> <li>Staff with protected</li> </ul>	
characteristics	
Staff vulnerable to falling into poverty	

3. Consider how your proposal will impact on each of the following from both an equalities and human rights perspective.

Objectives	Positive/negative impacts		
Equality and Human Rights			
Eliminate discrimination and harassment	N/A		
Advance equality of opportunity e.g. improve access / quality of services	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.		
Foster good relations within and between people with protected characteristics	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.		
Enable people to have more control of their social/work environment	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.		
Reduce differences in status between different groups of people	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.		
Promote participation, inclusion, dignity and control over decisions	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.		

Objectives	Positive/negative impacts
Build family support networks, resilience and community capacity	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.
Reduce crime and fear of crime including hate crime	N/A
Protect vulnerable children and adults	N/A
Promote healthier lifestyles including:	
<ul> <li>diet and nutrition,</li> <li>sexual health,</li> <li>substance misuse</li> <li>physical activity</li> <li>lifeskills</li> </ul>	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.
Environmental	
Reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions (including carbon management)	Timber deck bridge structure was considered but discounted as principle concern being future maintenance / high risk of vandalism.  The proposed precast concrete bridge deck has been proposed to mirror a similar pedestrian/cyclist bridge structure recently constructed approximately 200m upstream of the Niddrie Burn.
Plan for future climate change	Structure forms part of a new residential development.
Pollution: air/ water/ soil/ noise	Contractor to ensure all works take place during working hours agreed with City of Edinburgh Council to minimise the disruption to members of the public.  Contractor to ensure that the pollution prevention measures are in place to protect Niddrie Burn.
	Contractor to ensure that the mitigation measures are costed for within the tender fee and put in place for:
Protect coastal and inland waters	<ul> <li>ecological value of the site;</li> <li>potential presence of protected and notable species and invasive species along with the legal implications;</li> <li>Niddrie Burn should not be lit at night. Lighting should be directed</li> </ul>

Objectives	Positive/negative impacts
	away from the burn to avoid impacts on otters and foraging bats;
Enhance biodiversity	The design life of the structure is to be 120 years.
Encourage resource efficiency (energy, water, materials and minerals)	N/A
Public Safety eg:	Contractor to implement procedure measures and storage of materials, along with proposed storage areas.
<ul><li>minimise waste generation</li><li>infection control</li><li>accidental injury</li></ul>	All materials will be stored within the site compound. The Principal Contractor shall identify storage areas for plant, materials or soil heaps and any storage restrictions for above in agreement with the Client.
fire risk	The Principal Contractor shall include in the Construction Phase H&S Plan details of fire precautions.
Reduce need to travel and promote sustainable forms of transport	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.
Improve the physical environment e.g.	
<ul><li>housing quality</li><li>public space</li><li>access to and quality of green space</li></ul>	Improving access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.
Economic	
Maximise income and /or reduce income inequality	N/A
Help young people into positive destinations	N/A
Support local business	N/A
Help people to access jobs (both paid and unpaid)	N/A

Objectives	Positive/negative impacts
Improve literacy and numeracy	N/A
Improve working conditions, including equal pay	N/A
Improve local employment opportunities	N/A
Improve quality of and access to services	N/A

#### 4. As a group agree:

- A summary of the impacts identified
- Is further evidence needed to understand these impacts and make any recommendations? If so complete an interim report and agree a timescale to complete a final report.
- What recommendations should you make to mitigate negative impacts and enhance positive impacts?

This checklist has now been completed and the findings provide the basis for the summary report (Section 4).

## **Section 4 Integrated Impact Assessment**

## **Summary Report Template**

Each of the numbered sections below must be completed

Interim report	Final report	V	(Tick as appropriate)

#### 1. Title of plan, policy or strategy being assessed

New Greendykes Footbridge design and built.

#### 2. What will change as a result of this proposal?

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New footbridge will improve access over the Niddire Burn, providing a link between communities.

#### 3. Briefly describe public involvement in this proposal to date and planned

The awarded Contractor is required to notify nearby residents four weeks prior to works commence. The Project Manager should be kept informed of all communications with statutory consultees and other third parties regarding any developments that effect the works.

A Consultation Plan will be provided to the Locality, and circulated to Local Members, Community Groups, Neighbourhood Alliance, East Locality Environmental Forum and local Police.

#### 4. Date of IIA

10/10/2018

# 5. Who was present at the IIA? Identify facilitator, Lead Officer, report writer and any partnership representative present and main stakeholder (e.g. NHS, Council)

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#### 6. Evidence available at the time of the IIA

Evidence	Available?	Comments: what does the evidence tell you?
Data on populations in need	No	
Data on service uptake/access	Yes	This link fulfils a community requirement to provide a link over the Niddrie Burn.
Data on equality outcomes	N/A	
Research/literature evidence	N/A	
Public/patient/client experience information	N/A	
Evidence of inclusive engagement of service users and involvement findings	N/A	
Evidence of unmet need	N/A	
Good practice guidelines	Yes	
Environmental data	Yes	Ecological Report carried out and findings are included in Tender documents.

Evidence	Available?	Comments: what does the evidence tell you?
Risk from cumulative impacts	N/A	
Other (please specify)		
Additional evidence required		

# 7. In summary, what impacts were identified and which groups will they affect?

Equality, Health and Wellbeing and Human Rights	Affected populations
Positive	
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This link fulfils a community requirement to provide a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
Negative	
Not known	

Environment and Sustainability Positive	Affected populations
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This link fulfils a community requirement to provide a	
link over the Niddrie Burn.	
Negative	
Not known	

Economic	Affected populations
Positive	
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This link fulfils a community requirement to provide a link over the Niddrie Burn.	
Negative	
Not known	

8. Is any part of this policy/ service to be carried out wholly or partly by contractors and how will equality, human rights including children's rights, environmental and sustainability issues be addressed?

Yes. It will be through Tender Quality process by assessing the Tenderers on theirs tender submission.

9. Consider how you will communicate information about this policy/ service change to children and young people and those affected by sensory impairment, speech impairment, low level literacy or numeracy, learning difficulties or English as a second language? Please provide a summary of the communications plan.

The awarded Contractor is required to notify nearby residents four weeks prior to works commence. A Consultation Plan will be provided to the Locality, and circulated to Local Members, Community Groups,

No.				
11. Additional Information and Ev	ridence Required			
If further evidence is required appropriate, mark this report once further evidence has been	as interim and subi	_		
It is not required.				
12. Recommendations (these should be drawn from 6 – 11 above)				
No recommendations.				
13. Specific to this IIA only, what actions have been, or will be, undertaken and				
by when? Please complete:  Specific actions (as a result of	Who will take	Deadline for	Review	
the IIA which may include	them forward	progressing	date	
financial implications, mitigating actions and risks of	(name and			
cumulative impacts)	contact details)			

10. Does the policy concern agriculture, forestry, fisheries, energy, industry, transport, waste management, water management, telecommunications, tourism, town and country planning or land use? If yes, an SEA should be completed, and the impacts identified in the IIA should be included in this.

# 14. How will you monitor how this policy, plan or strategy affects different groups, including people with protected characteristics?

I will monitor via public consultation.

### 15. Sign off by Head of Service/ Project Lead

Name

**Richard Berry** 

**Bridges Team Leader** 

Date 12 Oct 18

#### 16. Publication

Send completed IIA for publication on the relevant website for your organisation. See Section 5 for contacts.