

## Summary Fair Treatment Assessment (FTA)

<b>Area for Assessment:</b>		
<b>Name of service or function etc</b>	Gypsy and Traveller Site Allocations Development Plan Document	
<b>Which Service does this affect?</b>	Policy and Spatial Planning Services	
<b>Is this a new, existing or revised function?</b>	New	
<b>Summary of findings:</b>		
<b>Main conclusions on the likely impact of the function on different equality groups (protected characteristics):</b>		
<p>Solihulls Sustainable Communities Strategy for 2008-18, <i>'One Borough: an Equal Chance for All'</i> sets out the shared vision for the Borough of the organisations within the Solihull partnership. This vision is that by 2018 <i>'everyone has an equal chance to be healthier, happier, safer and prosperous'</i>.</p> <p>The overarching challenge was set in the Solihull draft Local Plan as a <i>"A shortage of authorised Gypsy and Traveller sites in Solihull to meet identified needs and the need to maintain an appropriate level of supply"</i>.</p> <p>The Gypsy and Traveller Site Allocations Development Plan Document will help ensure the assessed needs as identified by the 2012 Solihull Gypsy and Traveller Accommodation Assessment are met by 2027. This will be a positive outcome for the Gypsy and Traveller community in Solihull. It will ensure they have the same opportunities and responsibilities as the settled community to secure a decent home which allows them to pursue and preserve their traditional way of life.</p> <p>This will also ensure that both the Gypsy and Traveller community and the settled community have security and certainty about their future and that of their local environment increasing social cohesion.</p>		
<b>Actions:</b>		
<b>Actions identified to address negative impacts identified or to better promote equality, human rights, cohesive and sustainable communities and safeguarding issues</b>		
<b>Action</b>	<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Timescale</b>
Monitor the number of pitches delivered through the Development Plan Document	Ensure that the need for pitches as outlined within the Development plan Document is met	Yearly
<b>Date Assessment Signed Off</b>	8 March 2013	