

Equality Impact Assessment

Name of project/proposal Runways End Outdoor Centre's Campsite Development
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Description of Service / Policy

Runways End Outdoor Centre (RWE) is the newest of the Hampshire Outdoor Centre located in Aldershot. RWE provides a range of adventurous activities and residential accommodation for school, youth and community groups and scout/guides groups from Hampshire and beyond.

Geographical impact* All Hampshire

Description of proposed change

RWE does not currently provide families with the opportunity to use its accommodation facilities and it is this extension to our service provision that we are now proposing. The project aims to improve the security and parking-capacity at the Runways End Outdoor Centre, which is vital to ensuring the safeguarding of all client groups who currently use the site including HCC schools. The improved security and parking capacity will allow the campsite to be used by the general public.

Engagement and consultation

Has engagement or consultation been carried out? Yes

We have regular feedback from customers who have difficulty finding a car parking space within our current car park. There are on-going discussions at the Management Advisory Group (MAG) meetings with our scouting partners to maximise use of the campsite area.

Impacts of the proposed change

This impact assessment covers Service users

Statutory considerations

Impact

Age Impact	Positive A small positive impact on people of all ages who will have the opportunity to camp here, which will also enable access to the activity drop in sessions to live healthier and more active lives.
Disability	Neutral
Sexual Orientation	Neutral
Race	Neutral
Religion and Belief	Neutral
Gender Reassignment	Neutral

Gender Neutral

Marriage and civil partnership Neutral

Pregnancy and Maternity Neutral

Other policy considerations

Poverty Positive

Impact A small positive impact resulting from more affordable accommodation resource at the centre for families on low incomes.

Rurality Neutral

Additional Information