

Committee Report No: 125-2021

Document Title: DUNDEE SPORTS PITCH STRATEGY – FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO COMMUNITY SPORTS HUB 3G PITCH CONSTRUCTION

Document Type: Strategy

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Document Description:
Implementation of pitch strategy actions S10 and S13

Intended Outcome:
Financial contributions to construction of 2 x 3G pitches at Charlotte Street (Dundee North West Community Sports Hub) and Fairfield Park (Fairfield Community Sports Hub).

How will the proposal be monitored?:
Completed 3G pitches

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A. Equality and Diversity Impacts:

Age:	Not Known
Disability:	Not Known
Gender Reassignment:	Not Known
Marriage and Civil Partnership:	Not Known
Pregnancy and Maternity:	Not Known

Race/Ethnicity:	Not Known
Religion or Belief:	Not Known
Sex:	Not Known
Sexual Orientation:	Not Known

Equality and diversity Implications:

This report recommends approval of financial contributions towards the costs of building 3G pitches at Charlotte Street and Fairfield Park. The 3G pitches will be constructed by Dundee North West Community Sports Hub (Charlotte Street) and Fairfield Community Sports Hub (Fairfield Park). When completed the pitches will be accessible by a wide variety of organisations for training and coaching purposes, as well as providing social impact for minority groups.

Proposed Mitigating Actions:

None

Is the proposal subject to a full EQIA? : No

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B. Fairness and Poverty Impacts:

Geography

Strathmartine (Ardler, St Mary's and Kirkton):	Positive
Lochee(Lochee/Beechwood, Charleston and Menzieshill):	Not Known
Coldside(Hilltown, Fairmuir and Coldside):	Not Known
Maryfield(Stobswell and City Centre):	Not Known
North East(Whitfield, Fintry and Mill O' Mains):	Positive
East End(Mid Craigie, Linlathen and Douglas):	Not Known
The Ferry:	Not Known
West End:	Not Known

Household Group

Lone Parent Families:	Not Known
Greater Number of children and/or Young Children:	Not Known
Pensioners - Single/Couple:	Not Known
Single female households with children:	Not Known
Unskilled workers or unemployed:	Not Known
Serious and enduring mental health problems:	Not Known
Homeless:	Not Known
Drug and/or alcohol problems:	Not Known
Offenders and Ex-offenders:	Not Known
Looked after children and care leavers:	Not Known

Carers:

Not Known

Significant Impact

Employment:

Not Known

Education and Skills:

Not Known

Benefit Advice/Income Maximisation:

Not Known

Childcare:

Not Known

Affordability and Accessibility of services:

Not Known

Fairness and Poverty Implications:

As both of the 3G pitches will be constructed in the Strathmartine and North East areas there will be direct benefits to these local communities. However, their location does not preclude access by local people from out with these areas.

Proposed Mitigating Actions:

None.

C. Environmental Impacts

Climate Change

Mitigating greenhouse gases:	Not Known
Adapting to the effects of climate change:	Not Known

Resource Use

Energy efficiency and consumption:	Not Known
Prevention, reduction, re-use, recovery or recycling waste:	Not Known
Sustainable Procurement:	Not Known

Transport

Accessible transport provision:	Not Known
Sustainable modes of transport:	Not Known

Natural Environment

Air, land and water quality:	Not Known
Biodiversity:	Not Known
Open and green spaces:	Not Known

Built Environment

Built Heritage:	Not Known
Housing:	Not Known

Is the proposal subject to Strategic Environmental Assessment

No further action is required as it does not qualify as a Plan, Programme or Strategy as defined by the Environment Assessment (Scotland) Act 2005.

Proposed Mitigating Actions:

None

Environmental Implications:

The purpose of the report is to recommend financial contributions to 2 3G pitches. Both will be located on areas of greenspace currently used for sporting purposes. The facilities will enable all year use. Although one of the pitches is located adjacent to the Dightly, potential biodiversity impacts have been mitigated for via the planning consent process.

D. Corporate Risk Impacts

Corporate Risk Implications:

The risk implications associated with the subject matter of this report are 'business as normal' risks. The subject matter is routine and has happened many times before without significant loss. There is comfort that the risks inherent within the activity are either transferred to another party, shared equally and fairly between the Council and another party or are negligible.

Corporate Risk Mitigating Actions: