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Policy details

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Directorate	PCC Culture Leisure and Regulatory Services
Service	Cultural Development and Projects
Title of policy, service, function	Heritage Strategy
Type of policy, service, function	New
What is the aim of your policy, service, function, project or strategy?	The Heritage Strategy aims to bring together PCC and our partner's work around heritage, and advocate for the potential has to support a wide range of policy objectives. It also supports the Imagine Portsmouth vision.
Has any consultation been undertaken for this proposal?	yes
What were the outcomes of the consultations?	Stakeholder consultation with a range of heritage organisations, groups and partners in the city and national sector bodies. This shaped the Strategy in a number of ways, including the need for collaboration and networking, the desire for PCC to co-ordinate its work around heritage, the way in which heritage and culture are intertwined and the potential for heritage to inspire culture and creativity.
Has anything changed because of the consultation?	no
Did this inform your proposal?	yes
Please provide details	Various objectives in the Strategy were shaped by feedback from the consultation, as well as the narrative sections of the document.

Equality & diversity - will it have any positive/negative impacts on the

protected characteristics?

With the above in mind and following data analysis, who is the policy, service, function, project or strategy going to benefit or have a detrimental effect on and how?	The Strategy includes an aspiration to make heritage more relevant to more people, for example from all kinds of different backgrounds, and in different parts of the city.
Will any of those groups be affected in a different way to others because of your policy, project, service, function, or strategy?	No
If you are directly or indirectly discriminating, how are you going to mitigate the negative impact?	n/a
Who have you consulted with or are planning to consult with and what was/will be your consultation methodology?	We consulted with a wide range of organisations and partners, including local heritage groups.
How are you going to review the policy, service, project or strategy, how often and who will be responsible?	The Strategy runs from 2024 to 2034.

Crime - Will it make our city safer?

<p>Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?</p>	<p>Taking better care of the city's heritage will help to prevent against crime, for example vandalism or other forms of damage or misuse.</p>
<p>How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?</p>	<p>The Strategy will be monitored by a PCC officer group, and any issues around crime related to heritage assets will be addressed if they emerge.</p>

Housing - will it provide good quality homes?

<p>Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?</p>	<p>Although the policy references the Local Plan and other planning documents such as Conservation Areas, it does not make any changes in these areas.</p>
<p>How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?</p>	<p>n/a</p>

Health - will this help promote healthy, safe and independent living?

<p>Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?</p>	<p>Engagement with heritage has been proved to have a positive impact on health and wellbeing, and by better understanding and sharing the city's heritage we will be able to share those benefits more widely.</p>
<p>How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?</p>	<p>Officers monitor wider research on the impact of heritage on health and wellbeing.</p>

Income deprivation and poverty - will it consider income deprivation and reduce poverty?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	n/a
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	n/a

Carbon emissions - will it reduce carbon emissions?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	Potential re-use of heritage assets makes use of embedded carbon.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	These will be monitored as schemes progress.

Energy use - will it reduce energy use?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	Heritage assets are often not as energy efficient as they could be, and the need to adapt them while respecting their provenance and context is referenced in the strategy.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	Any individual schemes would be regulated through the planning process in terms of their heritage, and the viability of adaptations would be part of any business case.

Climate change mitigation and flooding - will it proactively mitigate against a changing climate and flooding?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	Climate change has been included as a potential threat in the Strategy. There are a number of potential impacts on heritage, including coastal flooding and adverse weather causing other kinds of damage.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	Any impacts of merging threats will be monitored by PCC officers, working with partners.

Natural environment - will it ensure public spaces are greener, more sustainable and well-maintained?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	The Strategy references natural heritage as one of three strands of heritage, as per the UNESCO definition.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	The Strategy does not make any proposals for natural environments, and this would be measured through the appropriate mechanisms.

Air quality - will it improve air quality?

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Transport - will it make transport more sustainable and safer for the whole community?

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Waste management - will it increase recycling and reduce the production of waste?

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Culture and heritage - will it promote, protect and enhance our culture and heritage?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	The Strategy aims to support Portsmouth's rich and diverse heritage. It also references the important relationship between heritage and culture.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	The delivery of the Strategy will be monitored by a PCC Officer group, and the Cabinet Member for Culture, Regeneration and Economic Development will receive progress reports.

Employment and opportunities - will it promote the development of a skilled workforce?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	Heritage supports a wide range of jobs the city, and has potential to support qualifications, skills and training through relevant employment sectors.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	The Strategy will be monitored by a PCC officer group.

Economy - will it encourage businesses to invest in the city, support sustainable growth and regeneration?

Please expand on the impact your policy/proposal will have, and how you propose to mitigate any negative impacts?	Heritage supports the visitor economy in the city.
How are you going to measure/check the impact of your proposal?	The Strategy will be monitored by a PCC officer group.

Social value

Please explain how your policy, service, function, project or strategy delivers Social Value	The Strategy includes a mechanism for prioritising support for heritage projects. This formula includes a scoring for potential social impact.
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Involvement

Who was involved in the Integrated impact assessment?	James Daly
Name of the person completing this form	James Daly
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