## **Eco Impact Checklist**

Title of report: Highways Maintenance Works - Additional Pothole Funding

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Anticipated date of key decision 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2023

## **Summary of proposals:**

This EIC is to accompany a Decision Pathway report which seeks approval to spend an additional £989,940 on existing highways maintenance priorities as described in the report.

The government are investing an extra £200m into repairing roads (Pothole Fund). WECA has been allocated £2.8m of the investment. Bristol's allocation from this 2.8m is £989,940.

Will the proposal impact on	Yes/ No	+ive or -ive	If Yes		
			Briefly describe impact	Briefly describe Mitigation measures	
Emission of Climate Changing Gases?	Y	+ve	Road Maintenance does unfortunately add to carbon emissions, due to the transportation used and the materials required to carry out the work.	The work will be procured through the existing framework contract, where contractors have considered and mitigated where possible against the impact of the work. Mitigation is by means of using greener vehicles and machinery and through the materials which are used, ie warm mix tarmacs. The mitigation was a factor in awarding the work.	
Bristol's resilience to the effects of climate change?	N	n/a			
Consumption of non-renewable resources?	N	n/a			
Production, recycling or disposal of waste	Υ	-ive	Construction works will generate waste	Contractors to create a waste management	

				plan and follow the waste hierarchy
The appearance of the city?	Υ	+ive	Improved road surfaces	Will improve experience for all road users
Pollution to land, water, or air?				
Wildlife and habitats?	N	n/a		

Consulted with: n/a

## Summary of impacts and Mitigation - to go into the main Cabinet/ Council Report

Construction works will emit climate changing gases through works and travel. Emissions will be mitigated by means of using greener vehicles and machinery and through the materials which are used, ie warm mix tarmacs and will be considered during the procurement process.

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