Appendix 4: Aquatics Framework Public Consultation

Council have appointed a consultant to develop a new five year Aquatics Framework for the Borough for 2019-2024, which will focus on working together with key stakeholders to develop the whole area of aquatics, that simply refers to swimming pool related activities.

The Council is committed to its equality and good relations duties as set out under section 75 of the Northern Ireland Act 1998 and also has due regard for people living in rural areas under the Rural Neds Act (NI) 2016 and as part of this consultation we would like to ensure that you/your organisation has every opportunity to express its views on the proposal.

1. **Do you currently use our aquatic/swimming pool facilities?**

Yes/No

**If no, what would encourage you to use our aquatic/swimming pool facilities?**

1. More suitable timings
2. Child care facilities
3. Better accessibility
4. Reduced fees
5. Transport
6. Other, please specify
7. **What sort of aquatic/swimming pool related activities are most important to you?**
8. School swimming lessons
9. Children’s swimming lessons
10. Adult swimming lessons
11. Parent & baby swimming lessons
12. Disability swimming lessons
13. Lane swimming
14. Swim for a mile
15. Lounger to lengths
16. Fun sessions with inflatables
17. Fun session in a fun pool
18. Aquaerobics/Aqua Fit
19. Swimming Clubs
20. Outdoor swimming
21. Outdoor inflatables
22. Other, please specify

1. **Council is keen to target groups of people that are currently under-represented in participating in sport and physical activity in general. Please let us know if you are from one of these groups?**
2. Women
3. Have a disability
4. Low income/unemployed
5. Rural area
6. None of these
7. **Is there any other activities you would like to see in the Armagh City, Banbridge and Craigavon Borough swimming pools in the future?**