Buckingham Town Councilwants to meet the aims and commitments set out in its equality policy. This includes not discriminating under the Equality Act 2010, and building an accurate picture of the make-up of the workforce in encouraging equality and diversity.

The organisation needs your help and co-operation to enable it to do this, but filling in this form is voluntary.

The information you provide will stay confidential, and be stored securely and limited to only some staff in the organisation’s Human Resources process.

**Gender** Man [ ]  Woman [ ]  Non-binary [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

If you prefer to use your own term, please specify here

**Are you married or in a civil partnership?** Yes [ ]  No [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

**Age** 16-24[ ]  25-29 [ ]  30-34 [ ]  35-39[ ]  40-44 [ ]  45-49 [ ]  50-54 [ ] 55-59 [ ]  60-64 [ ]  65+ [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

**What is your ethnicity?**

Ethnic origin is not about nationality, place of birth or citizenship. It is about the group to which you perceive you belong. Please tick the appropriate box

***White***

English [ ]  Welsh [ ]  Scottish [ ]  Northern Irish [ ]  Irish [ ]

British [ ]  Gypsy or Irish Traveller [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

Any other white background, please write here:

***Mixed/multiple ethnic groups***

White and Black Caribbean [ ]  White and Black African [ ]  White and Asian [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

Any other mixed background, please write here:

***Asian/Asian British***

Indian [ ]  Pakistani [ ]  Bangladeshi [ ]  Chinese [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

Any other Asian background, please write in:

***Black/ African/ Caribbean/ Black British***

African [ ]  Caribbean [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

Any other Black/African/Caribbean background, please write in:

***Other ethnic group***

Arab [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]  Any other ethnic group, please write here:

**Do you consider yourself to have a disability or health condition?**

Yes[ ]  No [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

What is the effect or impact of your disability or health condition on your ability to give your best at work?

Please write in here:

*The information in this form is for monitoring purposes only. If you believe you need a ‘reasonable adjustment’, then please discuss this with your manager, or the manager running the recruitment process if you are a job applicant.*

**What is your sexual orientation?**

Heterosexual [ ]  Gay woman/lesbian [ ]  Gay man [ ]  Bisexual [ ]

Prefer not to say [ ]  If you prefer to use your own term, please specify here:

**What is your religion or belief?**

No religion or belief [ ]  Buddhist [ ]  Christian [ ]  Hindu [ ]  Jewish [ ]

Muslim [ ]  Sikh [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]  If other religion or belief, please write here:

**What is your current working pattern?**

Full-time [ ]  Part-time [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]

**What is your flexible working arrangement?**

None [ ]  Flexi-time [ ]  Staggered hours [ ]  Term-time hours [ ]

Annualised hours [ ]  Job-share [ ]  Flexible shifts [ ]  Compressed hours [ ]

Homeworking [ ]  Prefer not to say [ ]  If other, please write here:

**Do you have caring responsibilities? If yes, please tick all that apply**

None [ ]  Primary carer of a child/children (under 18) [ ]

Primary carer of disabled child/children [ ]

Primary carer of disabled adult (18 and over) [ ]  Primary carer of older person [ ]

Secondary carer (another person carries out the main caring role) [ ]

Prefer not to say [ ]

Please return the completed form in an envelope marked ‘Strictly confidential’ addressed to:

**Estates Admin, Buckingham Town Council, Buckingham Centre, Verney Close, Buckingham, Bucks MK18** **1JP**