

## Golden Mile Scoring Framework

Score	Scoring Description	Definition
3	Large Positive	Major positive impacts resulting in substantial and long-term improvements or enhancements of the existing environment.
2	Medium Positive	Moderate positive impact, possibly of short-, medium- or long-term duration. Positive outcome may be in terms of new opportunities and outcomes of enhancement or improvement.
1	Slight Positive	Minimal positive impact, possibly only lasting over the short term. May be confined to a limited area.
0	Neutral	Neutral - no discernible or predicted positive or negative impact
-1	Slight Negative	Minimal negative impact, possibly only lasting over the short term, and definitely able to be managed or mitigated. May be confined to a small area.
-2	Medium Negative	Moderate negative impact. Impacts may be short, medium or long term and are highly likely to respond to management actions.
-3	Large Negative	Impacts with serious, long-term and possibly irreversible effect leading to serious damage, degradation or deterioration of the physical, economic, cultural or social environment. Required major rescope of concept, design, location and justification or requires major commitment to extensive management strategies to mitigate the effect.

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