| ***Assessment No: 002*** |
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| **Activity:** | **Grass Cutting – Ride on Mower** | | | **Assessment by:** | **[Name]** | |
| **Activity** | **Hazards** | **Who might be harmed** | **Risk Level**  **(H, M, L)** | **Controls** | **Residual Risk Level**  **(H, M, L)** | **Comments** |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter – Mowing operations | Personal Injury | Operatives | H | Training  Correct PPE to be worn, First Aid Kit to be available in vehicle.  Strimmer never to be left unattended  Be aware of the general public.  Stop mowing if members of the public approach the working area. | M | Only use trained operatives |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter – Mowing operations | Steep Slopes/overturning of equipment | Operator/public | H | Do not use on slopes gradients over the manufacturers recommended limits.  Risk assess all operations  Ensure roll over protection system is place; wear seat belts at al times. | L | Use only trained operatives. |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter – Mowing operations | Flying Debris | Other operatives/public | M | Check before using mower and remove any loose debris.  Remain vigilant to the public at all times.  Eye protection at all times during this operation.  Ensure works are clearly signed for the benefit of the public. | L | Use only trained operatives. |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter – Mowing operations | Unauthorised use or theft. | Other operatives / public | M | Never leave vehicle unattended with keys in ignition. | L |  |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter –  Maintenance | Personal Injury | Operators | H | Ensure machine is switched off. Only trained operatives, fitters to carry out maintenance. Use correct tools. | L |  |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter –  Loading mower into vehicle | Personal Injury | Operators | H | Ensure mower is reversed into the vehicle. Trained key operatives only.  Ensure roll over protection system is in place, wear seat belts at all times. | L | Only Trained Key operators to perform this task |
| Ride-on Grass Cutter – Mowing operations | Noise | Operator | M | Hearing Protection to be worn at all times with all other appropriate PPE | L | Only Trained operators to use this equipment. |
| Fuel Filling | Personal Injury/Fire | Operator/Public | H | Refer to RA-033 – Re-fuelling of plant | L | Only Trained operators to use this equipment. |