Adoption statement
Waveney Local Plan

Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004
Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

The Waveney Local Plan was adopted by Waveney District Council on 20th March 2019.

The Waveney Local Plan covers the former Waveney Local Planning Authority area. The Local Plan sets out the level of growth which needs to be planned in the area and identifies where that growth should be located and how it should be delivered. The Local Plan sets out the planning policies which the Council will use to determine planning applications in the Waveney area. The Waveney Local Plan covers the period 2014-2036.

The Local Plan was subject to independent examination, including public hearing sessions, by a Government appointed Planning Inspector. The Inspector’s report was received on 1st March 2019. The Inspector recommended a number of main modifications were made to make the Plan sound. These modifications have been included in the adopted Local Plan. The Waveney Local Plan carries full weight in the consideration of planning applications and appeal decisions.

The Waveney Local Plan wholly supersedes the following documents which are no longer part of the development plan for the Waveney area:

- Core Strategy (adopted 2009)
- Development Management Policies (adopted 2011)
- Site Specific Allocations (adopted 2011)
- Lowestoft Lake Lothing and Outer Harbour Area Action Plan (adopted 2012)

Any person aggrieved by the Local Plan may make an application under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Act to the High Court on the grounds that the Plan is not within the appropriate powers and/or a procedural requirement has not been complied with. Any such application must be made within six weeks of the date of the 21st March 2019.

The Waveney Local Plan, Sustainability Appraisal and Sustainability Appraisal Adoption Statement are available on the Council’s website www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/localplan and can be inspected (free of charge) at the following locations:

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| Marina Customer Service Centre, Lowestoft NR32 1HH | Monday to Wednesday: 8.45am to 5pm  
Thursday: 9.30am to 5pm  
Friday: 8.45am to 5pm |
| Lowestoft Library, Clapham Road South, Lowestoft NR32 1DR | Monday/Wednesday/Friday: 9am to 6pm  
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| Oulton Broad Library, 92 Bridge Road, Oulton Broad NR32 3LR | Monday: 10am to 12pm  
Tuesday/Wednesday /Thursday: 10am to 1pm, 2pm to 5pm  
Friday 10am to 1pm, 2pm to 6pm  
Saturday: 10am to 1pm, 2pm to 5pm  
Sunday: 11am to 4pm |
| Kessingland Library, Marram Green, Hall Road, Kessingland NR32 7AH | Monday/Thursday: closed  
Tuesday: 2.30pm to 7pm  
Wednesday/Friday: 10am to 5pm  
Saturday: 9.30am to 1pm  
Sunday: 10am to 3pm |
| Beccles Library, Blyburgate, Beccles NR34 9TB       | Monday to Thursday & Saturday: 9.30am to 5pm  
Friday: 9.30am to 7.30pm  
Sunday: 10am to 4pm |
| Bungay Library, Wharton Street, Bungay NR35 1EL     | Monday: 9am to 2.30pm  
Tuesday to Saturday: 9am to 5pm  
Sunday: closed |
| Halesworth Library, Bridge Street, Halesworth IP19 8AD | Monday: 9am to 12pm  
Tuesday and Wednesday: 9.30am to 5.30pm  
Thursday: closed  
Friday: 9.30am to 6pm  
Saturday: 9.30am to 5pm  
Sunday: 10am to 3pm |
| Southwold Library, North Green, Southwold IP18 6AT  | Monday: closed  
Tuesday to Friday: 10am to 1pm, 2pm to 6pm  
Saturday: 9.30am to 1pm, 2pm to 5pm  
Sunday: 11am to 4pm |

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