

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:

Location	Opening Hours
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 Tuesday/Thursday: 9am to 6pm Saturday: 9am to 5pm

Location	Opening Hours
	Sunday: 10am to 4pm
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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