



# Authority Monitoring Report

## 2019/2020

### AMR update (21<sup>st</sup> January 2021)

The council has issued this revised version of the 2019/20 AMR due to a change in circumstances resulting from the publication of the national Housing Delivery Test results (19<sup>th</sup> January 2021). The Housing Delivery Test results mean that the appropriate buffer to be applied in the assessment of housing land supply in Kirklees is now 5% (previously 20%). This change only affects the indicator LP3i (Demonstration of a five year supply of deliverable housing capacity) (page 14) and means the five year supply in Kirklees is now 5.88 years (previously reported as 5.15 years).

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# 1 Introduction

The Council is required to produce an Authority Monitoring Report (AMR) by Section 113 of the Localism Act. Detail of what must be included is set out by Regulation 34 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012. The AMR must be published at least annually and show progress with Local Plan preparation, report any activity relating to Duty to Cooperate and show how the implementation of policies in the Local Plan is progressing<sup>1</sup>.

This AMR differs from previous years as it reports on the monitoring indicators set out in Appendix 2 of the Kirklees Local Plan (Adopted February 2019).

## 2 Assessing progress against the Local Development Scheme

A revised Kirklees Local Plan Local Development Scheme (LDS) was adopted by Cabinet on 3rd December 2019. The Local Development Scheme sets out specific planning documents that are being prepared by the Council:

- Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) – Charging Schedule
- Revised Statement of Community Involvement
- Huddersfield Blueprint Supplementary Planning Document
- Huddersfield Area Action Plan
- Dewsbury Area Action Plan
- Highway Design Supplementary Planning Document
- Hot Food Take-away Supplementary Planning Document
- Open Space Supplementary Planning Document
- Residential Design Supplementary Planning Document
- Interim Affordable Housing Update
- Affordable Housing/Mix Supplementary Planning Document

The revised Statement of Community Involvement (SCI) was adopted by the Council on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 and replaces the version adopted in September 2015. The SCI sets out how we will work with local communities and stakeholders to develop planning policy documents such as the Kirklees Local Plan or guidance on specific issues. An SCI addendum was issued in September 2020 in relation to consultation processes taking place during the pandemic.

### 2.1 Local Plan

The Kirklees Local Plan<sup>2</sup> was adopted on 27<sup>th</sup> February 2019 and is the statutory development plan for Kirklees. It includes a Strategy and Policies document, an Allocations and Designations document and a Policies Map showing land allocations and designations. Appendix 2 of the Local Plan Strategy and Policies Document sets out the Monitoring Framework for the policies within the Local Plan.

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1 <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/plan-making> (Paragraph 073)

2 [www.kirklees.gov.uk/localplan](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/localplan)

## 2.2 Community Infrastructure Levy – Charging Schedule

**TABLE 1 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME - COMMUNITY INFRASTRUCTURE LEVY TIMETABLE AND MILESTONES**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
Consultation	2015-2016
Submission to Secretary of State	April 2017
Statement of Modifications Consultation	May 2019
Examination	Summer 2019
Adoption	Was anticipated for 2020 (see update below)

Following revisions to the National Planning Policy Framework, National Planning Practice Guidance and Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) Regulations, the council consulted on revised evidence and modifications to the draft charging schedule in May 2019 (Draft Charging Schedule Statement of Modifications). An Examination in Public hearing session took place on 16<sup>th</sup> September 2019. The council received the Examiner’s Report (Inspector’s Report) in January 2020 and was planning on adopting the CIL Charging Schedule in Summer 2020.

The government has announced its intention to abolish CIL and replace it with a nationally-set infrastructure levy. As such, the Kirklees Council Cabinet is not proposing to adopt the Kirklees Community Infrastructure Levy at this stage. The final decision on this will be taken by the Cabinet on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2021.

The decision not to adopt CIL also takes into account a change in the planning rules which now allow contributions from developers to be pooled together and used to help fund infrastructure proposals to reduce the impacts of developments. The council will also continue to seek funding from the West Yorkshire Combined Authority to fund large scale infrastructure improvements.

The council may seek to re-visit CIL in future, should the government stance change. Were that to be the case, the council would again consult the community and update its evidence to determine the most appropriate approach to support the economic recovery of the district.

## 2.3 Infrastructure Funding Statement

The council published an Infrastructure Funding Statement on 17<sup>th</sup> December 2020<sup>3</sup>. This document shows the money the council has received from developers through the planning applications process to fund infrastructure improvements. This also sets out how this money has been spent or is proposed to be spent.

## 2.4 Supplementary Planning Documents (SPDs)

These documents provide further guidance and information relating to one or more specific policies or proposals set out in the Local Plan and once adopted they are material considerations when determining planning applications. There are currently five Supplementary Planning Documents outlined in the council’s Local Development Scheme. The Highway Design Guide Supplementary Planning Document<sup>4</sup> was adopted October 2019.

The role of the Residential Design Supplementary Planning Document will now be accommodated within two SPDs (Housebuilder Design Guide SPD and the House Extensions and Alterations SPD). All the SPDs relate to the council’s objective of creating “quality places”.

<sup>3</sup> [www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/infrastructure-funding-statements.aspx](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/infrastructure-funding-statements.aspx)

<sup>4</sup> [www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/highway-design-guide-spd.aspx](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/highway-design-guide-spd.aspx)



The revised list of SPDs is as follows:

1. Huddersfield Blueprint Supplementary Planning Document
2. Hot Food Takeaway Supplementary Planning Document
3. Open Space Supplementary Planning Document
4. Housebuilder Design Guide Supplementary Planning Document
5. House Extensions and Alterations Supplementary Planning Document
6. Affordable Housing/Mix Supplementary Planning Document

In addition, the council published a draft Biodiversity Net Gain Advice Note for consultation on 19<sup>th</sup> October 2020. The draft Biodiversity Net Gain Technical Advice Note provides clarity for applicants on how to achieve biodiversity net gain through development within Kirklees and supports national and local legislation. It sets out clear guidance on how biodiversity should be considered throughout the development process, including the utilisation of Defra's Biodiversity metric to demonstrate a 10% net gain in biodiversity which is due to be mandated by the Environment Bill.

### 2.4.1 Huddersfield Blueprint SPD

**TABLE 2 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – HUDDERSFIELD BLUEPRINT SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	2018 – 2019
<b>Consultation</b>	January - February 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	February – March 2020

The Huddersfield Town Centre Blueprint SPD was adopted on 24<sup>th</sup> June 2020. Following a legal challenge, the council revoked the adoption of the SPD on 27<sup>th</sup> October but will continue to promote the Huddersfield Blueprint as the council's vision for the town centre.

### 2.4.2 Hot Food Takeaway SPD

**TABLE 3 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – HOT FOOD TAKEAWAY SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	September 2019 – January 2020
<b>Consultation</b>	February – March 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	August 2020

Consultation was planned to start early in 2020. Following announcements by the Government that restaurants can provide takeaway food without the need for planning permission, it was decided to put this work on hold and review this position in 2021 following further guidance and a review of the Kirklees health evidence.

### 2.4.3 Open Space SPD

**TABLE 4 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – OPEN SPACE SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	September 2019 – May 2020
<b>Consultation</b>	February – March 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	August 2020

There was a delay to the timetable with the consultation starting in October 2020. This was to undertake further engagement and to seek a range of views on the document. It is anticipated that the revised date for adoption of this document will be late April 2021.

## 2.4.4 House Extensions and Alterations Supplementary Planning Document

**TABLE 5 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – HOUSE EXTENSIONS AND ALTERATIONS SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	September 2019 – May 2020
<b>Consultation</b>	June 2020 – July 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	December 2020

There was a delay to the timetable with the consultation starting in October 2020. This was to undertake further engagement and to seek a range of views on the document. It is anticipated that the revised date for adoption of this document will be late April 2021.

## 2.4.5 Housebuilders Design Guide Supplementary Planning Document

**TABLE 6 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – HOUSEBUILDER DESIGN GUIDE SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	September 2019 – May 2020
<b>Consultation</b>	June 2020 – July 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	December 2020

There was a delay to the timetable with the consultation starting in October 2020. This was to undertake further engagement and to seek a range of views on the document. It is anticipated that the revised date for adoption of this document will be late April 2021.

## 2.4.6 Affordable Housing/Mix SPD

**TABLE 7 - LOCAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – AFFORDABLE HOUSING SPD**

<b>Timetable and Milestones</b>	<b>Dates (as detailed in the LDS, Dec 2019)</b>
<b>Preparation</b>	December 2019 – May 2020
<b>Consultation</b>	June – July 2020
<b>Adoption</b>	December 2020

The evidence relating to this document is currently being reviewed. It is anticipated that public consultation will occur in Summer 2021.

Further progress on the Supplementary Planning Documents will be reported in the next Authority Monitoring Report.

## 2.5 Area Action Plans

There are currently two Area Action Plans being produced. There have been delays with the preparation of the Huddersfield and Dewsbury Area Action Plans since the previous AMR. The main reason for this is the focus on the progressing the Huddersfield and Dewsbury Blueprints and the associated Huddersfield Blueprint SPD. In the current circumstances, the council is currently considering the most appropriate approach to facilitate regeneration of town centres in the district.

## 2.6 Neighbourhood Development Plans

In Kirklees, there are currently five areas of the district that have had a Neighbourhood Area approved for the purposes of producing a Neighbourhood Development Plan. A map showing the coverage of each area can be found on the Council's website<sup>5</sup>. The Holme Valley Neighbourhood Plan Area includes part of the Peak District National Park. The Peak District National Park Authority (PDNPA) is the planning body for this area and has also approved the Holme Valley Neighbourhood Area.

There are several key stages in the production of a Neighbourhood Development Plan following approval of a Neighbourhood Area. These include pre-submission consultation and publicity on the draft plan, submission to Kirklees Council, independent examination of the plan and then a referendum in the Neighbourhood Plan Area or wider dependant on the decision of the examiner on whether the plan should be made and become part of the statutory development plan. Progress on Neighbourhood Development Plans is set out below and further details can be found on the Neighbourhood group's website.

**TABLE 8 - NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN PROGRESS**

Area	Neighbourhood Group	Date Neighbourhood Area Approved	Progress
<b>Newsome</b>	Newsome Ward Community Forum	12 August 2014	The designation of Newsome Ward Community Forum for the purposes of preparing a neighbourhood plan expired on the 12 <sup>th</sup> August 2019. The council has not received an application for re-designation as a qualifying body.
<b>Holme Valley</b>	Holme Valley Parish Council	27 January 2015 (Kirklees Council) 13 February 2015 (PDNPA)	Holme Valley Parish Council submitted its Submission plan to Kirklees Council and Peak District National Park in June 2020 for publicity and consideration by an independent examiner. Publicity on the submitted Plan is from 8 <sup>th</sup> December 2020 until 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 2021. The council will send all representations received to an independent examiner for consideration.
<b>Kirkheaton</b>	Kirkburton Parish Council	8 March 2016	Kirkheaton Future are a steering group progressing the Neighbourhood Plan for the Kirkheaton area on behalf of Kirkburton Parish Council. They are preparing a draft plan.
<b>Mirfield</b>	Mirfield Town Council	19 December 2016	A steering group is producing a Neighbourhood Plan on behalf of the Town Council. They are preparing a draft plan.
<b>Lepton</b>	Kirkburton Parish Council	18 September 2018	Lepton Vision are the steering group producing a Neighbourhood Plan for the Lepton area on behalf of Kirkburton Parish Council. They are at the evidence gathering/early engagement stage.

An application has been made for a neighbourhood forum and neighbourhood development area for the Nethererton and Crosland. This is currently being considered by the council.

<sup>5</sup> [www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/neighbourhood-planning.aspx](http://www.kirklees.gov.uk/beta/planning-policy/neighbourhood-planning.aspx)

### 3 Duty to Cooperate

The Duty to Co-operate (DtC) is set out in section 110 of the Localism Act 2011 and section 33A of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004. Paragraph 24 of the National Planning Policy Framework states that “*local planning authorities...are under a duty to cooperate with each other, and with prescribed bodies, on strategic matters that cross administrative boundaries*”. It further states at paragraph 27 “*in order to demonstrate effective and on-going joint working, strategic policy-making authorities should prepare and maintain one or more statements of common ground, documenting the cross-boundary matters being addressed and progress in cooperating to address these. These should be produced using the approach set out in national planning guidance and be made publicly available throughout the plan-making process to provide transparency*”.

The Local Authorities sharing a boundary with Kirklees are:

- Calderdale Council
- City of Bradford MDC
- Leeds City Council
- Wakefield Council
- Barnsley Council
- Oldham Council
- Peak District National Park Authority

The District also shares a boundary with High Peak Borough Council, however the responsibility for planning functions in the area adjacent to Kirklees rests with the Peak District National Park Authority. The Duty also applies to other prescribed public bodies.

Kirklees forms part of the Leeds City Region Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) and Kirklees is one of the authorities forming the West Yorkshire Combined Authority (WYCA).

The council continues to attend regular meetings and work with adjoining authorities and other public bodies to discuss strategic cross-boundary issues. The council is also committed to ongoing Duty to Co-operate discussions through the plan making processes. During 2019/20, a revised Leeds City Region Statement of Common Ground was produced (March 2020) which sets out how the local authorities within the Leeds City Region will work together in accordance with the Duty to Co-operate. Kirklees Council has also worked in partnership with Calderdale Council during 2019/20 to ensure a joined up approach to the area of North Huddersfield and South East Calderdale where significant areas of growth are proposed through the adopted Kirklees Local Plan and emerging Calderdale Local Plan.

### 4 Achieving sustainable development

#### LP1A PRESUMPTION IN FAVOUR OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Monitored through other indicators in the Authority Monitoring Report

### 5 Place shaping

**TABLE 9 - LP2A PERCENTAGE OF PLANNING APPEALS AGAINST REFUSALS DISMISSED**

Number of appeals determined by the Planning Inspectorate	Number of appeals dismissed	Percentage of appeals dismissed	Number of appeals resulting in a split decision	Percentage of appeals with split decisions
84	64	76%	2	2%

## 6 Delivering growth and sustainable development

**TABLE 10 - LP3A AMOUNT OF POTENTIAL EMPLOYMENT LAND AVAILABLE (HA) - ALLOCATIONS WITHOUT PLANNING PERMISSION**

	Brownfield	Greenfield	Mixed	Total
Local Plan Employment / Mixed use Allocation (Ha)	12.6	26.6	35.0	74.2
Vacant land within Priority Employment Areas (Ha)	17.1	14.4	30.6	62.1

**TABLE 11 – LP3B TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL FLOOR SPACE ON PREVIOUSLY DEVELOPED LAND BY TYPE**

2019/20	B1a	B1b	B1c	B2	B8	Total
Gross additional floorspace (Sqm)	4,024	1,131	1,722	19,390	12,037	38,304
Previously developed	2,858	280	1,380	10,827	2,241	17,586
% on previously developed land	71.0%	24.8%	80.1%	55.8%	18.6%	45.9%

**TABLE 12 – LP3C TAKE-UP OF EMPLOYMENT LAND**

	2019/20
Land brought into Employment Use (Ha)	10.1

**TABLE 13 - LP3D AMOUNT OF POTENTIAL EMPLOYMENT LAND AVAILABLE (HA) WITH PLANNING PERMISSION**

	Brownfield	Greenfield	Mixed	Total
Amount of potential employment land available (Ha)	35.4	4.8	0.1	40.3

**TABLE 14 – LP3E TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT FLOOR SPACE (SQM) – BY TYPE**

Use class	B1a	B1b	B1c	B2	B8	Total
2013/14	7,933	0	210	13,691	4,544	26,378
2014/15	1,787	570	1,065	8,679	9,064	21,165
2015/16	2,060	734	2,002	25,472	10,913	41,181
2016/17	2,998	0	12,047	14,945	7,783	37,773
2017/18	5,379	404	11,242	10,165	12,035	39,225
2018/19	4,567	1,820	7,452	18,575	10,863	43,277
2019/20	4,024	1,131	1,722	19,390	12,037	38,304

**TABLE 15 – LP3F GROSS DWELLING COMPLETIONS BY WINDFALL AND ALLOCATIONS**

	2019/20	Percentage
Windfall	478	39%
Local Plan Allocations*	756	61%
Total	1,234	

\*Allocations for housing are: Housing, Mixed Use and the Land at Storthes Hall.

**TABLE 16 – LP3G NET ADDITIONAL DWELLINGS**

	2019/20
Net additional dwellings	1,131

**TABLE 17 – LP3H NEW AND CONVERTED DWELLINGS ON PREVIOUSLY DEVELOPED LAND**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Gross completions</b>	1,234
<b>Gross completions on previously developed land</b>	481
<b>Percentage on previously developed land</b>	39.0%

**LP3I DEMONSTRATION OF A FIVE YEAR SUPPLY OF DELIVERABLE HOUSING CAPACITY**

National planning policy requires local planning authorities to demonstrate five years supply of specific deliverable housing sites against their housing requirement. This includes consideration of sites with full planning permission as well as sites with outline permission or allocated in the Local Plan where there is clear evidence to justify their inclusion in the supply.

National policy also states that calculations must include a buffer of 5% to allow for choice and competition in the market for land or 20% where there is “significant under delivery of housing”. The Housing Delivery Test results (2020) published by the government on 19<sup>th</sup> January 2021 determined that Kirklees is required to include a 5% buffer in the five-year supply calculations.

The assessment of the required housing within the five year period (including taking account of under-delivery since the Local Plan base date and a 5% buffer) compared to the deliverable housing capacity, windfall allowance, lapse rate and demolitions allowance shows the current land supply position in Kirklees is 5.88 years supply.

**TABLE 18 – LP4A AMOUNT OF S106/CIL MONIES RECEIVED AND SPENT**

	<b>2019/20 Received</b>	<b>2019/20 Spent</b>
<b>Amount of Section 106 monies received and spent</b>	£2,190,343	£526,582

Kirklees Council has not adopted the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)

**TABLE 19 - LP5A NUMBER OF MASTER PLANS RECEIVED (2019/20)**

	<b>No of Applications where masterplan is appropriate and feasible</b>	<b>No of Masterplans received</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Approved planning applications where a masterplan (or masterplanning approach) is appropriate and feasible</b>	1	1	100%

**TABLE 20 – LP6A DEVELOPMENT ON SAFEGUARDED LAND**

	<b>2019/20 (Ha)</b>	<b>Percent</b>
<b>Safeguarded land lost through the approval of planning permissions to development other than that which is necessary in relation to the operation of existing uses, alternative open land uses or temporary uses.</b>	0	0%

**TABLE 21 - LP7A PERCENTAGE OF NEW HOUSING COMPLETIONS THAT ARE LESS THAN 35 DWELLINGS PER HECTARE**

	<b>2018/19 Completions</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>2019/20 Completions</b>	<b>%</b>
<b>New homes on sites with a density of at least 35 dwellings per hectare</b>	839	51.1%	360	29.2%
<b>New homes on sites with a density of less than 35 dwellings per hectare</b>	804	48.9%	874	70.8%

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**TABLE 22 – LP8A LOSS OF EMPLOYMENT LAND**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Employment land lost to other uses (Ha)</b>	4.78

**LP9A SEE PROVIDING INFRASTRUCTURE POLICY (LP4A)**

**TABLE 23 - LP9B NUMBER OF APPRENTICESHIP SCHEMES OR TRAINING PROGRAMMES SECURED WHERE THE DEVELOPMENT MEETS THRESHOLD REQUIREMENTS**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of apprenticeship schemes or training programmes</b>	0

60 developments have been identified through planning applications where the threshold for LP9 has been met. 3 meetings have taken place with developers and 1 Employment and Skills Plan has been submitted. The developments identified have not yet commenced on site and therefore the no training schemes or wider employment and skills benefits have been delivered.

**TABLE 24 – LP10A NUMBER OF PLANNING APPLICATIONS APPROVED SUPPORTING EXISTING AND NEW EMPLOYMENT**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of planning applications approved supporting existing and new employment</b>	75

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**TABLE 25 – LP11A GROSS AFFORDABLE HOUSING COMPLETIONS**

	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20
<b><u>S106: Registered Provider acquisition from developers<sup>6</sup></u></b>					
Social Rented units					44
Affordable Rented units					5
Shared Ownership units					29
Discount for sale units - RP					
Affordable Rent to Buy units					
Intermediate (not specified)					1
Other (specify- e.g. flexi rent)					
<b><u>Built by or for Registered Providers and funded by Homes England grant</u></b>					
Social Rented units					
Affordable Rented units					15
Shared Ownership units					20
<b><u>Council new build: Affordable housing built by or for the Council</u></b>					
Using Homes England grant funding					
Using HRA funding					8
Using one for one funding or Capital					
<b><u>Affordable housing delivered by the Council as ex Council house buy backs or other market acquisition</u></b>					
Using HRA funding					
Using one for one funding or Capital					33
<b>Total</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>155</b>

**TABLE 26 – LP11B(i) HOUSE COMPLETIONS BY BEDROOM NUMBER**

Number of bedrooms	2019/20 Gross Completions	Percent
<b>1</b>	133	10.8
<b>2</b>	187	15.2
<b>3</b>	397	32.2
<b>4</b>	463	37.5
<b>5+</b>	54	4.4
<b>Total</b>	1,234	

<sup>6</sup> Affordable Homes acquired and delivered by Registered Housing Providers through S106 Agreements. Built by developers and acquired by Registered Providers, arising from policy requirements and subsidies.



**TABLE 27 – LP11B(ii) HOUSE COMPLETIONS BY DWELLING TYPE**

Dwelling Type	2019/20 Gross Completions	Percent
Bungalow	4	0.3
Flat	173	14.0
Terraced	205	16.6
Semi-Detached	289	23.4
Detached	563	45.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,234</b>	

**TABLE 28 – LP12A NET ADDITIONAL PITCHES (GYPSY AND TRAVELLER AND TRAVELLING SHOWPEOPLE). NUMBER OF PERMITTED PITCHES/SCHEMES**

	2019/20
Net additional pitches	0

**LP12B DEMONSTRATION OF A FIVE-YEAR SUPPLY OF DELIVERABLE GYPSY AND TRAVELLER AND TRAVELLING SHOWPEOPLE CAPACITY**

The Kirklees Local Plan sets out a supply of specific deliverable sites sufficient to provide 5 years' worth of sites to accommodate Gypsy and Traveller needs.

## 9 Retailing and town centres

Occupancy monitoring of premises/units within the district's town centres as defined in the Local Plan is undertaken in each centre at the same time each year. This allows the data to be compared to previous years without needing to account for seasonal fluctuations. However, due to Covid-19 restrictions the occupancy surveys undertaken this year have all been in September and October. Due to lockdown restrictions the surveys of Dewsbury and Batley were cancelled in 2020.

**TABLE 29 – LP13A(i) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN HUDDERSFIELD TOWN CENTRE**

Huddersfield		2019 (April)		2020 (October)		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	38,169	198	35,685	189	-7	-5
	Convenience	15,770	51	14,378	48	-9	-6
	Financial & Business	8,527	54	8,286	52	-3	-4
	Leisure Services	23,790	163	24,442	171	3	5
	Retail Service	7,638	77	6,110	79	-20	3
	Vacant Outlets	17,080	111	22,711	121	33	9
	<b>Total</b>	<b>110,974</b>	<b>654</b>	<b>111,612</b>	<b>660</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>
%	Comparison	34	30	32	29		
	Convenience	14	8	13	7		
	Financial & Business	8	8	7	8		
	Leisure Services	21	25	22	26		
	Retail Service	7	12	5	12		
	Vacant Outlets	15	17	20	18		

**TABLE 30 – LP13A(ii) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN DEWSBURY TOWN CENTRE**

		2019 (October)		2020		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	12,105	73	Surveys not carried out.			
	Convenience	2,570	23				
	Financial & Business	5,466	28				
	Leisure Services	6,794	49				
	Retail Service	2,825	35				
	Vacant Outlets	8,725	90				
	Total	38,485	298				
%	Comparison	31	24				
	Convenience	7	8				
	Financial & Business	14	9				
	Leisure Services	18	16				
	Retail Service	7	12				
	Vacant Outlets	23	30				

**TABLE 31 – LP13A(III) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN BATLEY TOWN CENTRE**

		2019 (October)		2020		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	2,757	30	Surveys not carried out.			
	Convenience	13,086	16				
	Financial & Business	825	9				
	Leisure Services	5,262	26				
	Retail Service	2,063	29				
	Vacant Outlets	2,648	21				
	Total	26,641	131				
%	Comparison	10	23				
	Convenience	49	12				
	Financial & Business	3	7				
	Leisure Services	20	20				
	Retail Service	8	22				
	Vacant Outlets	10	16				

**TABLE 32 – LP13A(IV) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN CLECKHEATON TOWN CENTRE**

		2019 (June)		2020 (September)		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	4,506	48	3,854	44	-14	-8
	Convenience	4,150	15	4,136	15	0	0
	Financial & Business	2,131	22	2,081	21	-2	-5
	Leisure Services	3,751	34	4,164	39	11	15
	Retail Service	2,198	30	2,297	31	5	3
	Vacant Outlets	1,218	9	1,453	9	19	0
	Total	17,954	158	17,985	159	0	1
%	Comparison	25	30	21	28		
	Convenience	23	9	23	9		
	Financial & Business	12	14	12	13		
	Leisure Services	21	22	23	25		
	Retail Service	12	19	13	19		
	Vacant Outlets	7	6	8	6		

**TABLE 33 – LP13A(V) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN HECKMONDWIKE TOWN CENTRE**

		2019 (July)		2020 (September)		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	4,646	36	4,610	35	-1	-3
	Convenience	7,966	11	7,982	12	0	9
	Financial & Business	355	5	355	5	0	0
	Leisure Services	3,217	28	3,328	28	3	0
	Retail Service	1,961	28	2,051	30	5	7
	Vacant Outlets	1,583	13	1,484	11	-6	-15
	Total	19,728	121	19,810	121	0	0
%	Comparison	24	30	23	29		
	Convenience	40	9	40	10		
	Financial & Business	2	4	2	4		
	Leisure Services	16	23	17	23		
	Retail Service	10	23	10	25		
	Vacant Outlets	8	11	7	9		

**TABLE 34 – LP13A(VI) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN HOLMFIRTH TOWN CENTRE**

		2019 (August)		2020 (October)		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	3,287	52	3,329	50	1	-4
	Convenience	3,198	13	3,215	14	1	8
	Financial & Business	1,117	16	1,117	16	0	0
	Leisure Services	4,111	39	4,428	42	8	8
	Retail Service	1,848	26	1,977	29	7	12
	Vacant Outlets	1,164	11	665	7	-43	-36
	Total	14,725	157	14,731	158	0	1
%	Comparison	22	33	23	32		
	Convenience	22	8	22	9		
	Financial & Business	8	10	8	10		
	Leisure Services	28	25	30	27		
	Retail Service	13	17	13	18		
	Vacant Outlets	8	7	5	4		

**TABLE 35 – LP13A(VII) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN 15 DISTRICT CENTRES**

		2019 (Mar-Nov)		2020 (Sep-Oct)		% Change 2019-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	19,144	190	18,735	187	-2	-2
	Convenience	16,077	83	14,959	79	-7	-5
	Financial & Business	3,197	50	3,406	52	7	4
	Leisure Services	16,883	188	17,214	188	2	0
	Retail Service	8,621	149	8,619	151	0	1
	Vacant Outlets	2,239	31	2,102	30	-6	-3
	Total	66,161	691	65,035	687	-2	-1
%	Comparison	29	27	29	27		
	Convenience	24	12	23	11		
	Financial & Business	5	7	5	8		
	Leisure Services	26	27	26	27		
	Retail Service	13	22	13	22		
	Vacant Outlets	3	4	3	4		

**TABLE 36 – LP13A(VIII) GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN 61 LOCAL CENTRES**

		2018 (Mar-Nov)		2020 (Sep-Oct)		% Change 2018-2020	
		Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units	Floorsp Sqm	Units
Count	Comparison	24,100	208	22542	197	-6	-5
	Convenience	22,565	161	21858	159	-3	-1
	Financial & Business	2,047	32	2319	36	13	13
	Leisure Services	28,991	302	28742	305	-1	1
	Retail Service	15,057	246	14898	244	-1	-1
	Vacant Outlets	5,332	75	6301	78	18	4
	Total	98,092	1,024	96,660	1,019	-1	0
%	Comparison	25	20	23	19		
	Convenience	23	16	23	16		
	Financial & Business	2	3	2	4		
	Leisure Services	30	29	30	30		
	Retail Service	15	24	15	24		
	Vacant Outlets	5	7	7	8		

**TABLE 37 – LP13B TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL CONVENIENCE AND COMPARISON RETAIL FLOORSPACE COMPLETED**

	2019/20
<b>New convenience and comparison retail floorspace</b>	Not monitored

**TABLE 38 – LP13C TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL LEISURE FLOORSPACE COMPLETED**

	2019/20
<b>New leisure floorspace</b>	Not monitored

**TABLE 39 – LP13D PEDESTRIAN FOOTFALL WITHIN TOWN CENTRES**

<b>2019/20</b>	<b>Pedestrian footfall surveys were not undertaken in 2020 due to the Covid-19 restrictions.</b>
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## 9.1 Primary Shopping Frontages

The aim of the shopping frontages policy is to maintain primary shopping frontages in over 60% A1 retail use (comparison goods, convenience goods and retail services) at ground floor level. A1 refers to the use class prior to the introduction of the new use class E on the 1<sup>st</sup> September 2020.

**TABLE 40 – LP14A(i) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSFACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN HUDDERSFIELD**

	2019						2020					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	156	1,612	35,629	64%	64%	73%	148	1,494	32,213	61%	60%	67%
<b>Non-Retail</b>	88	908	12,989	36%	36%	27%	95	1,003	15,939	39%	40%	33%
<b>Total</b>	244	2,520	48,618	100%	100%	100%	243	2,496	48,152	100%	100%	100%

**TABLE 41 – LP14A(ii) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSFACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN DEWSBURY**

	2019						2020*					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	39	368	5,667	62%	64%	69%						
<b>Non-Retail</b>	24	207	2,553	38%	36%	31%						
<b>Total</b>	63	575	8,220	100%	100%	100%						

\*Occupancy monitoring was not undertaken in 2020 due to the Covid-19 restrictions.

**TABLE 42 – LP14A(iii) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSFACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN BATLEY**

	2019						2020*					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	25	335	12,681	54%	65%	83%						
<b>Non-Retail</b>	21	183	2,559	46%	35%	17%						
<b>Total</b>	46	518	15,240	100%	100%	100%						

\*Occupancy monitoring was not undertaken in 2020 due to the Covid-19 restrictions

**TABLE 43 – LP14A(IV) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN CLECKHEATON**

	2019						2020					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	38	268	4,256	67%	61%	78%	36	253	4,044	63%	58%	74%
<b>Non-Retail</b>	19	169	1,183	33%	39%	22%	21	184	1,395	37%	42%	26%
<b>Total</b>	57	437	5,439	100%	100%	100%	57	437	5,439	100%	100%	100%

**TABLE 44 – LP14A(V) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN HECKMONDWIKE**

	2019						2020					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	18	215	5,198	69%	80%	84%	19	220	5,232	73%	82%	85%
<b>Non-Retail</b>	8	53	967	31%	20%	16%	7	49	951	27%	18%	15%
<b>Total</b>	26	268	6,165	100%	100%	100%	26	268	6,183	100%	100%	100%

**TABLE 45 – LP14A(VI) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN HOLMFIRTH**

	2019						2020					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	17	108	1,076	77%	86%	83%	18	113	1,096	78%	86%	83%
<b>Non-Retail</b>	5	18	219	23%	14%	17%	5	18	219	22%	14%	17%
<b>Total</b>	22	126	1,295	100%	100%	100%	23	131	1,315	100%	100%	100%

**TABLE 46 – LP14A(VII) OUTLETS, UNIT LENGTH AND AMOUNT OF GROUND FLOOR FLOORSPACE IN RETAIL USE IN PRIMARY SHOPPING FRONTAGES IN ALL TOWN CENTRES**

	2019						2020					
	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace	Units	Unit Length	Gross Floorspace	% Units	% Unit length	% Gross Floorspace
<b>Retail</b>	293	2,906	64,507	64%	65%	76%	221	2,079	42,585	63%	62%	70%
<b>Non-Retail</b>	165	1,538	20,470	36%	35%	24%	128	1,253	18,504	37%	38%	30%
<b>Total</b>	458	4,445	84,977	100%	100%	100%	349	3,333	61,089	100%	100%	100%

**TABLE 47 – LP15A NUMBER OF RESIDENTIAL COMPLETIONS WITHIN TOWN CENTRE BOUNDARIES**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of residential completions within town centre boundaries</b>	56

**TABLE 48 – LP16A TOTAL OF LEISURE SERVICES WITHIN TOWN CENTRES**

	<b>2020</b>
<b>Number of Leisure units within Principal and Town centre boundaries</b>	386
<b>Floorspace of Leisure units within Principal and Town centre boundaries (Sqm)</b>	47,810

In 2020 Dewsbury and Batley town centres were not surveyed. Figures include data for Huddersfield, Cleckheaton, Heckmondwike and Holmfirth.

**TABLE 49 – LP17A TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN MAIN TOWN CENTRE USES, RESIDENTIAL AND EDUCATION FACILITIES (HUDDERSFIELD)**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Main Town Centre uses</b>	Not monitored
<b>Residential (dwellings)</b>	20
<b>Education Facilities</b>	Not monitored

**TABLE 50 – LP18A TOTAL AMOUNT OF ADDITIONAL DEVELOPMENT IN MAIN TOWN CENTRE USES AND RESIDENTIAL UNITS (DEWSBURY)**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Main Town Centre uses</b>	Not monitored
<b>Residential (dwellings)</b>	8
<b>Education Facilities</b>	Not monitored

## 10 Transport

**TABLE 51 – LP19A CAR JOURNEY TIME RELIABILITY**

<b>Car journey time reliability along core routes where transport schemes are applicable in the Local Plan</b>	<b>Total Journey Time AM (Minutes:Seconds)</b>	<b>Total Journey Time PM (Minutes:Seconds)</b>
TS1 – Huddersfield Ring Road to Old Field House Lane	10:17	10:11
TS1 – Old Field House Lane to Huddersfield Ring Road	10:48	10:43
TS1 – Deighton Road to Cooper Bridge	8:40	8:48
TS1 – Cooper Bridge to Deighton Road	8:21	8:29
TS1 – Cooper Bridge to M62 J25	7:14	6:04
TS1 – M62 J25 to Cooper Bridge	6:54	5:46
TS1 – Wood Lane to Cooper Bridge	4:09	4:37
TS1 – Cooper Bridge to Wood Lane	3:53	3:30
TS1 – Sunny Bank Road to Cooper Bridge	6:41	5:40
TS1 – Cooper Bridge to Sunny Bank Road	6:57	5:55
TS3 – Taylor Hill to Chapel Hill	8:01	8:12
TS3 – Chapel Hill to Taylor Hill	8:01	8:12
TS3 – Park Valley Access Road to Chapel Hill	10:25	8:56
TS3 – Chapel Hill to Park Valley Access Road	9:16	8:44



<b>Car journey time reliability along core routes where transport schemes are applicable in the Local Plan</b>	<b>Total Journey Time AM (Minutes:Seconds)</b>	<b>Total Journey Time PM (Minutes:Seconds)</b>
TS4 – New North Road to Ainley Top	8:49	6:56
TS4 – Ainley Top to New North Road	8:42	6:48
TS5 – Havelock Street to Dewsbury Ring Road	10:32	9:30
TS5 – Dewsbury Ring Road to Havelock Street	10:08	9:10
TS5 – Dewsbury Ring Road to Heybeck Lane	11:44	9:54
TS5 – Heybeck Lane to Dewsbury Ring Road	10:22	8:33

**TABLE 52 – LP19B PROGRESS OF TRANSPORT SCHEMES AS PRIORITISED WITHIN THE INFRASTRUCTURE DELIVERY PLAN. AMOUNT OF S.106/CIL MONIES RECEIVED AND SPENT.**

	<b>2019/20 Received (£)</b>	<b>2019/20 Spent (£)</b>
<b>Section 106 monies received and spent</b>	0	0

Kirklees has not adopted the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL)

**TABLE 53 - LP20A LOW CARBON TRIPS**

	<b>Weekday mode share on radial routes into Huddersfield (am peak)</b>	<b>Percent</b>	<b>Weekday mode share on radial routes into Huddersfield (pm peak)</b>	<b>Percent</b>
Rail	3,090	7	4,223	9
Bus	11,345	25	10,220	21
Cycle	140	0.31	160	0.34
Walk	2,884	6	2,529	5
<b>Total Low Carbon trips</b>	<b>17,459</b>	<b>39.10</b>	<b>17,132</b>	<b>36.03</b>
Car	27,125	61	30,399	64
Motorcycle	22	0.05	20	0.04
<b>Total trips</b>	<b>44,653</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>47,551</b>	<b>100</b>

Information is only available for Huddersfield

**TABLE 54 - LP20B AIR QUALITY & LP20C NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS WHERE TRAVEL PLANS SECURED.**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of planning permissions where travel plans secured.</b>	4

\* Information is only available for travel plans secured through Section 106 agreements, not those requested through planning conditions.

**TABLE 55 - LP21A NUMBER OF ROAD CASUALTIES**

	<b>2019</b>
<b>Number of road casualties killed and seriously injured</b>	128

**TABLE 56 - LP22A NUMBER OF PRIVATE CAR PARKS AND PARKING SPACES APPROVED COMPARED WITH COUNCIL PROVISION**

Number of approved applications for car parks and the number of spaces.	2019/20 Applications on Council owned land	2019/20 New spaces on Council owned land	2019/20 Applications on Privately owned land	2019/20 New spaces on Privately owned land
Huddersfield	0	0	0	0
Dewsbury	0	0	0	0
Batley	0	0	0	0
Cleckheaton	0	0	0	0
Heckmondwike	0	0	0	0
Holmfirth	0	0	0	0

**TABLE 57 - LP22B NUMBERS OF LONG STAY AND SHORT STAY TOWN CENTRE PARKING SPACES**

	2019/20 Long Stay	2019/20 Short Stay	2019/20 Disabled	2019/20 Cycle
Huddersfield	2,161	3,041	42	190
Dewsbury	1,273	1,885	53	88
Batley*	190	203	0**	7
Cleckheaton*	137	156	0**	5
Heckmondwike*	48	87	0**	0
Holmfirth*	388	62	15**	2

\* Information for off-street council operated car parking spaces.

\*\* Information on disabled car parking spaces not included in car parking survey. Information obtained from Kirklees Council website.

**TABLE 58 – LP23A INVESTMENT IN CORE WALKING AND CYCLE ROUTES VIA SECTION 106.**

	2019/20 Received (£)	2019/20 Spent (£)
Investment in core walking and cycle routes via Section 106	0	0

## 11 Design

**TABLE 59 - LP24A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP24 DESIGN**

	2019/20
Number of planning applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal	9

**TABLE 60 - LP25A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP25 ADVERTISEMENTS AND SHOP FRONTS**

	2019/20
Number of planning applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal	0

## 12 Climate change

**TABLE 61 – LP26A THE AMOUNT OF RENEWABLE ENERGY GENERATION BY INSTALLED CAPACITY AND TYPE**

	2019/20 New Planning Applications	2019/20 New approved capacity (Kw)*
Wind	0	0
Solar Photovoltaic (PV)	2	12.4
Solar Thermal	0	0
Heat Pumps	1	Not available
Hydroelectric	0	0
Biomass Combustion	0	0
Biomass Anaerobic Digestion	0	0
District Heat Networks	0	0

\* Monitoring data is only available for capacity approved through planning applications and does not include data for capacity created through permitted development.

**TABLE 62 - LP27A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED CONTRARY TO SUSTAINED OBJECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AGENCY ON WATER QUALITY GROUNDS**

	2019/20
Number of planning permissions granted contrary to sustained objection of the Environment Agency on water quality grounds.	0

**TABLE 63 - LP28A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED CONTRARY TO SUSTAINED OBJECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AGENCY ON FLOOD RISK GROUNDS**

	2019/20
Number of planning permissions granted contrary to sustained objection of the Environment Agency on flood risk grounds	0

**TABLE 64 – LP29A ALL PROPOSALS INVOLVING A WATER BODY TO HAVE AN APPROVED FUTURE MANAGEMENT PLAN INCLUDING SECTION 106 AGREEMENT WHERE APPROPRIATE**

	2019/20	%
Approved applications involving a water body with an approved future management plan.	2	100

2 developments have been identified through planning applications as involving a water body which would require a management plan. Both the developments identified have section 106 agreements securing future management plans for water bodies.

## 13 Natural environment

**TABLE 65 - LP30A AREA OF LAND DESIGNATED OR PROTECTED FOR BIODIVERSITY AND GEOLOGICAL IMPORTANCE**

	2019/20 Area of Land (Ha)
<b>Sites of Special Scientific Interest (includes the Special Protection Area and Special Conservation Area)</b>	4,845
<b>Local Wildlife Sites</b>	1,187
<b>Local Geological Sites</b>	83
<b>Ancient Woodland</b>	1,083
<b>Habitats of Principal Importance</b>	Information not available

In the monitoring year 2019/20 the total area of biodiversity importance in Kirklees is 6,506 hectares. This is the entire land area covered by one or more environmental designations list in Table 65. It does not double count land with more than one designation, for example Ancient Woodland that is also a Local Wildlife Site.

**TABLE 66 - LP31A NET AMOUNT OF NEW STRATEGIC GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE**

	2019/20 Area of Land (Ha)
<b>Net amount of new strategic green infrastructure</b>	0

**TABLE 67 - LP32A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP32 LANDSCAPE**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	1

**TABLE 68 - LP33A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP33 TREES**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed on appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 69 – LP34A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED CONTRARY TO SUSTAINED OBJECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AGENCY ON WATER QUALITY OR FLOOD RISK GROUNDS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of planning permissions granted contrary to sustained objection of the Environment Agency on water quality or flood risk grounds</b>	0

## 14 Historic environment

**TABLE 70 - LP35A LOSS OF SITES OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL IMPORTANCE INCLUDING SCHEDULED MONUMENTS**

	2019/20
<b>The number of sites lost through the planning process where permission has been granted for works affecting sites of archaeological importance</b>	0

**TABLE 71 - LP35B NUMBER OF DESIGNATED HERITAGE ASSETS CONSIDERED AT RISK**

	2019/20
<b>Scheduled Ancient Monuments</b>	3
<b>Churches</b>	10
<b>Buildings</b>	6
<b>Total</b>	19

There are 4 Conservation Areas considered at risk: Birkby, Dewsbury Town Centre, Holmfirth and Huddersfield Town Centre.

**TABLE 72 - LP35C LOSS OF AND ADDITIONS TO DESIGNATED AND NON-DESIGNATED HERITAGE ASSETS**

	2019/20
<b>Buildings or structures which have been added to the statutory list of designated heritage assets (Listed Buildings or Scheduled Ancient Monuments)</b>	2
<b>Designated heritage assets lost through the granting of planning permission in the financial year or by unauthorised works that are pursued through enforcement action</b>	0
<b>Net Gain/Loss</b>	2

## 15 Minerals

**TABLE 73 - LP36A THE AMOUNT OF MINERAL EXTRACTION PER ANNUM BY OPERATOR**

	2019/20
<b>Sand and gravel</b>	Not monitored
<b>Crushed rock</b>	Not monitored
<b>Clay and shale</b>	Not monitored

Due to the Covid-19 outbreak, this information has not been collected.

**TABLE 74 - LP36B AMOUNT OF MINERAL SUBJECT TO PERMITTED RESERVES**

	2019/20
<b>Amount of mineral subject to permitted reserves</b>	0

**TABLE 75 - LP36C THE AMOUNT OF AGGREGATE PRODUCTION PER ANNUM**

	2019/20
<b>Amount of aggregate production per annum</b>	Not monitored

Due to the Covid-19 outbreak, this information has not been collected.

**TABLE 76 - LP37A NUMBER OF SITES SUCCESSFULLY RESTORED**

	2019/20
<b>Number of sites successfully restored</b>	1

**TABLE 77 - LP37B THE PERCENTAGE OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED FOR THE EXTRACTION OF MINERALS WHICH ALLOW FOR THE USE OF INERT WASTE IN THEIR RESTORATION**

	2019/20
<b>Percentage of planning permissions granted for the extraction of minerals which allow for the use of inert waste in their restoration</b>	0

**TABLE 78 - LP38A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP38 MINERALS SAFEGUARDING**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 79 - LP38B NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS WHERE THE MINERAL HAS BEEN SUCCESSFULLY EXTRACTED PRIOR TO DEVELOPMENT**

	2019/20
<b>Number of planning permissions</b>	0

**TABLE 80 - LP39A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP39 PROTECTING EXISTING AND PLANNED MINERALS INFRASTRUCTURE**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 81 - LP40A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP40 ALTERNATIVE DEVELOPMENT ON PROTECTED MINERALS INFRASTRUCTURE SITES**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 82 - LP41A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED FOR THE EXPLORATION AND APPRAISAL OF HYDROCARBONS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of permissions granted</b>	0

**TABLE 83 - LP42A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED FOR THE PRODUCTION OF HYDROCARBONS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of permissions granted</b>	0

## 16 Waste

**TABLE 84 - LP43A AMOUNT AND PERCENTAGE OF LOCAL AUTHORITY COLLECTED WASTE (LACW) ARISING AND MANAGED BY MANAGEMENT TYPE**

	2018/19 (tonnes)	%	2019/20 (tonnes)	%
<b>Waste to Energy (Incineration)</b>	129,099	69	130,090	69
<b>Landfill</b>	15,708	8	5,863	3
<b>Recycled/Composted</b>	41,290	22	50,493	26.7
<b>Other*</b>	1280	0.7	2,667	1.3
<b>Total</b>	187,377	100	189,112	100%

\* Waste that was not transferred to a final destination. Some of this was due to processing loss (including drainage/drying of street sweepings and green waste prior to transfer) and some due to collected waste not yet having been transferred to its final destination.

**TABLE 85 - LP44A NUMBER OF PLANNING PERMISSIONS GRANTED FOR NEW WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES**

	2019/20
<b>Number of permissions granted</b>	1

**TABLE 86 - LP45A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP45 SAFEGUARDING WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 87 - LP46A PERCENTAGE OF HOUSEHOLD WASTE SENT FOR REUSE, RECYCLING AND COMPOSTING**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Household waste sent for reuse, recycling and composting, in accordance with reporting requirements to DEFRA (NI 192)</b>	26.7%

Recycled and composted waste increased from 22% to 26.7% in 2019/20 due to the introduction of brown garden waste bins increasing compostable waste, and the completion of an intensive green bin monitoring project that increase recycling and decreased contaminated green bin material.

**TABLE 88 - LP46B PERCENTAGE OF LOCAL AUTHORITY COLLECTED WASTE SENT TO LANDFILL**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Local Authority Collected Waste sent to landfill, in accordance with reporting requirements to DEFRA (NI 193)</b>	3%

Landfilled waste decreased from 8% to 3% in 2019/20 due to the completion of an intensive green bin monitoring project that increased recycling and decreased the amount of contaminated green bin material sent to landfill.

## 17 Health and supporting communities

**TABLE 89 – LP47A HEALTHY, ACTIVE AND SAFE LIFESTYLES**

Monitored through other indicators in the AMR - See LP50, LP61, LP62 and LP63

**TABLE 90 – LP48A AMOUNT OF NEW AND LOSS OF COMMUNITY FACILITIES (SQM)**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>New community facilities</b>	Not monitored
<b>Community facilities lost</b>	Not monitored

**TABLE 91 – LP49A NEW EDUCATION AND/OR TRAINING FACILITIES AND HEALTH CARE FACILITIES PERMITTED (SQM)**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>New Education/Training/Health Care facilities</b>	Not monitored

### **LP50A SUPPLY OF OUTDOOR SPORTS FACILITIES PROTECTED FROM DEVELOPMENT AND AMOUNT OF NEW AND IMPROVED OUTDOOR SPORTS FACILITIES**

- 7 applications approved for new or improved sports facilities (on existing outdoor sports sites\*).
- 1 application refused on the basis of further information required to assess against policy LP50.

\*This excludes approvals for wholly new outdoor sports sites that are not identified in the Open Land Survey (2016).

## 18 Environmental Protection

**TABLE 92 – LP51A NUMBER OF NEW AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT AREAS OR AREAS OF CONCERN FOR POOR AIR QUALITY**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of new Air Quality Management Areas</b>	0
<b>Number of new Areas of concern for Poor Air Quality</b>	2

In the monitoring period of 2019/20, there have been no new air quality management areas introduced in Kirklees. There have been 2 areas identified as new areas of concern for poor air quality at Mirfield town centre and Milnsbridge town centre.

**TABLE 93 – LP52A NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS OF POLLUTION**

	2019/20
<b>Number of complaints of pollution - Actionable nuisance or other breach of environmental legislation as a direct result of granting of planning permission</b>	4

In the monitoring period of 2019/20, there have been 4 notices served post planning consent, 2 for dust and 2 under the control of pollution act, resulting from granting planning permission.

**TABLE 94 – LP53A NUMBER OF NEW SITES OCCUPIED BEFORE BEING REMEDIATED AND VALIDATED (AS SUITABLE FOR END USE)**

	2019/20
<b>Number of new sites occupied before being remediated and validated</b>	Not monitored

## 19 Green Belt and open space

**TABLE 95 - LP54A NUMBER OF APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP54 BUILDINGS FOR AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 96 - LP55A NUMBER OF APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP55 AGRICULTURAL AND FORESTRY WORKERS' DWELLINGS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 97 - LP56A NUMBER OF APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP56 FACILITIES FOR OUTDOOR SPORT, OUTDOOR RECREATION AND CEMETERIES**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 98 - LP57A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP57 THE EXTENSION, ALTERATION OR REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING BUILDINGS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	1

**TABLE 99 - LP58A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP58 GARDEN EXTENSIONS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0

**TABLE 100 - LP59A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP59 BROWNFIELD SITES IN THE GREEN BELT**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	1

**TABLE 101 – LP60A APPEALS ALLOWED ON PLANNING APPLICATIONS DEEMED CONTRARY TO POLICY LP60 THE RE-USE AND CONVERSION OF BUILDINGS**

	2019/20
<b>Number of applications refused and subsequently allowed at appeal</b>	0



**LP61A(i) AMOUNT OF URBAN GREEN SPACE LOST TO DEVELOPMENT**

1 application approved contrary to policy LP61 resulting in the loss of 0.5 ha of urban green space.

**LP61A(ii) AMOUNT OF URBAN GREEN SPACE PROTECTED THROUGH THE REFUSAL OF PLANNING PERMISSION**

1 application refused on the basis of further information required to assess against policy LP61.

**TABLE 102 - LP62A NUMBER OF SITES DESIGNATED AS LOCAL GREEN SPACE**

	<b>2019/20</b>
<b>Number of sites designated as Local Green Space</b>	0

**TABLE 103 - LP63A AMOUNT OF NEW OR IMPROVED OPEN SPACE, SPORT OR RECREATION FACILITIES SECURED THROUGH PLANNING APPLICATIONS**

8 detailed planning applications approved in 2019/20 with on-site open space and/or an off-site financial contribution in lieu of on-site provision.

Approximately 14800 M<sup>2</sup> of new on-site open space approved in 2019/20 on two of these sites.