

# **APPENDIX D – LOCAL PLAN ALLOCATIONS SUSTAINABILITY APPRAISAL**

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<b>Demographics</b>																				
Population growth	100,900 (mid 2011) 102,706 (mid 2015)	<b>Staffordshire</b> 849,500 (mid 2011) 862,562 (mid 2015)  <b>West Midlands</b> 5,608,700 (mid 2011) 5,751,000 (mid 2015)  <b>England</b> 56,170,900 (mid 2011) 54,786,327 (mid 2015)	1.8% increase in population within the District.	Lichfield District's population has increased by 1.8% compared to increases of 1.5 and 2.5% in Staffordshire and the West Midlands respectively. The population in Lichfield District is growing more than both Staffordshire and England which had a reduction in population.	Mid year population statistics ONS 2011 and 2015															
Population age structure	0-15: 16.9% 16-64: 60.1% 65+: 22.9%  <b>Lone Pensioner Households 2011</b> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Number</th> <th>%</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Lichfield</td> <td>5,032</td> <td>12.2</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Staffordshire</td> <td>44,771</td> <td>12.6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>West Midlands</td> <td>289,571</td> <td>12.6</td> </tr> <tr> <td>England</td> <td>2,725,596</td> <td>12.4</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Number	%	Lichfield	5,032	12.2	Staffordshire	44,771	12.6	West Midlands	289,571	12.6	England	2,725,596	12.4	<b>Staffordshire</b> 0-15: 17.3% 16-64: 61.9% 65+: 20.8%  <b>West Midlands</b> 0-15: 19.5% 16-64: 62.3% 65+: 18.2%  <b>England</b> 0-15: 19%	Four wards in Lichfield have high proportions of households with lone pensioners – Boney Hay (15.1%), Chasetown (16.4%), Leomansley (15.9%) and Stowe (17.6%). Of these lone pensioners 59.5% (2,992) have a long term health	Compared to regional and national statistics, Lichfield District has a higher elderly population with almost one quarter of the population being over the age of 65, 5% higher	Mid year population statistics ONS 2015  Lone pensioner statistics Census 2011.
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		16-64: 63.3% 65+: 17.7%	<p>problem or disability - this is similar to the national average of 59.6%. The percentage of lone pensioners with a long term health problem or disability is significantly higher than England in two wards; Burntwood Central (67.9%) and Chasetown (72.1%).</p> <p>Using 2014 mid-year population figures for Lichfield it has been estimated that around 500 residents aged 65+ are at risk of loneliness.</p>	<p>than the national figure.</p> <p>By comparison the District is similar to Staffordshire as a whole for the 0-15 year age group, however this is lower than the national average.</p> <p>The number of people living in Lichfield aged 65 and over has already exceeded the number of children under the age of 16; projections suggest Lichfield will continue to get older and bigger.</p>	
Components of population change	2011 - 2015 Change due to live births 4.85% Change due to deaths 4.94% Change due to net internal migration 1.46% Change due to net international migration 0.58% Change due to 'Other' factors 0.31%		The largest population influence is death.	The amount of deaths within the District outstrips the number of births. As such the changes to the population numbers is largely through internal and	Mid year population statistics 2014 to 2015

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Population ethnicity	White British: 94.6% White Irish/Other: 2.1% Mixed: 1.0% Asian British: 1.6% Black British: 0.5% Arab: 0.0% Traveller: 0.0% Other: 0.1%	<b>Staffordshire</b> White British: 93.6% White Irish/Other: 2.0% Mixed: 1.1% Asian British: 2.4% Black British: 0.6% Arab: 0.1% Traveller: 0.1% Other: 0.1%  <b>West Midlands</b> White British: 79.2% White Irish/Other: 3.5% Mixed: 2.4% Asian British: 10.8% Black British: 3.3% Arab: 0.3% Traveller: 0.1% Other: 0.6%  <b>England</b> White British: 79.8% White Irish/Other: 5.6% Mixed: 2.3% Asian British: 7.8% Black British: 3.5% Arab: 0.4% Traveller: 0.1% Other: 0.6%		Lichfield and Staffordshire County are relatively similar with regard to ethnic mix, with a high proportion of white British with 94.6% white British compared to 79.2% and 79.8% respectively for the West Midlands and England	2011 census/ONS
Projections	The sub national Population Projections from 2014 to 2039 for Lichfield District show an increase in		The net decrease of 7,800 through natural	There is a net decrease (-7,800) in	ONS population

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	population of 8.5% with an additional 8,700 people predicted to reside within Lichfield District.		change reflects the death rate being markedly higher than the birth rate. This points to the ageing population within the District and as reflected in the age structure breakdown above.	population through natural change i.e. births and deaths, with the increase in population attributable to net internal migration with an increase of around 16,300 people.	Projections Unit.
<b>Housing</b>					
Dwelling stock by tenure	<b>2011 Total dwelling stock: 43,170</b> LA dwelling stock: 0% Registered Social Landlord: 13.1% Other public: 0.4% Owned & privately rented: 86.5%	<b>2011 England Total dwelling stock: 22,976,000</b> LA dwelling stock: 7.5% Registered Social Landlord: 10.1% Other public: 0.3% Owned & privately rented: 82.1%	Household projections published by the DCLG can be used as an estimate of overall housing need. Lichfield had 42,300 households in 2014 which is projected to rise to 48,700 by 2035.	Compared to the national average for England, Lichfield District has a 3% higher proportion of Registered Social Landlords than nationally.	ONS and DCLG
Household types	Detached: 41.1% Semi detached: 36.2% Terraced: 14.5% Flats - Purpose built: 6.8% Flat - converted or shared house: 0.6% Flat – commercial building: 0.4% Caravan or other temporary structure: 0.4%	<b>Staffordshire</b> Detached: 36.1% Semi detached: 39.6% Terraced: 17.2% Flats - Purpose built: 5.6% Flat - converted or shared house: 0.6% Flat – commercial building: 0.5% Caravan or other temporary structure: 0.4%		Lichfield District has significantly higher proportion of detached dwellings than Staffordshire and over 15% more than either the West Midlands or England.  In comparison, the District has a much	Census 2011

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		<p><b>West Midlands</b>            Detached: 25.7%            Semi detached: 39.6%            Terraced: 24.1%            Flats - Purpose built: 8.5%            Flat - converted or shared house: 1.1%            Flat – commercial building: 0.7%            Caravan or other temporary structure: 0.3%</p> <p><b>England</b>            Detached: 24.3%            Semi detached: 33.6%            Terraced: 25.7%            Flats - Purpose built: 12.1%            Flat - converted or shared house: 2.9%            Flat – commercial building: 0.8%            Caravan or other temporary structure: 0.3%</p>		lower percentage of terraced properties and flats than the regional or national average.	
House prices	Average property price Lichfield District December 2015: £250,675	Average property price December 2015: East Staffordshire District: £190,214 Stafford District: £204,361 Cannock Chase District: £156,613	Staffordshire and the West Midlands' average house prices are almost identical with Lichfield District's average house prices largely mirroring the shape of the graph but	Property values in Lichfield District are higher than most of the neighbouring authorities, and are significantly higher than the West Midlands average.	ONS and Land Registry

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		Tamworth Borough: £164,916.  Staffordshire: £191,260 West Midlands: £196,406	being significantly higher.	Lichfield District is seen as an attractive commuter area for Birmingham and the larger salaries associated with these jobs. The house prices in the District are particularly high due to the historic character of the city and attractive nature of its villages and countryside.																																																																																									
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Housing affordability	The lowest quartile house price was 7.1 times the lowest quartile income		The lowest quartile house price was 7.1 times the lowest quartile income which is higher than the averages for Staffordshire (6.1), West Midlands (5.4) and England (6.5). These rates highlight possible affordability issues in Lichfield.		ONS
Net Housing completions since 2006	2008/9: 273 2009/10: 102 2010/11: 306 2011/12: 201 2012/13: 239 2013/14: 324 2014/15: 226 2015/16: 200	N/A	The level of house building reached its peak in 2005/6 with 647 being delivered and the supply of housing sites was not constrained. However since the recession the rate of house building has declined.	It is unlikely that until development starts on site for the remaining Strategic Development Allocations that this delivery rate will increase.  To date only 2 of the 8 Strategic Development Allocations are on site with only 1 having been partially completed and the other only recently starting with figures	



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<b>Deprivation</b>					
Deprivation	IMD Average Rank – 252 Employment – 202 Education Skills & Training – 243 Health Deprivation & Disability - 206 Crime – 287 Barriers – 160 Living Environment – 248 Income deprivation affecting children – 229 Income deprivation affecting older people - 240	<b>Local authority districts</b> include lower-tier non-metropolitan districts, London boroughs, unitary authorities and metropolitan districts. At the time of publication, there were 326 local authority districts in England with the local authority district with a rank of 1 being the most deprived, and the area ranked 326 the least deprived.	Since 2010 there has been an increase from 1 to 2 LSOAs falling within the bottom 20% of most deprived areas. The average IDM rank for Lichfield District in 2004 was 259 followed by 237 in 2010 and 247 in 2015, showing a dip during and immediately post the recession with recovery now underway.	The Indices of Deprivation 2015 is the relative measure of deprivation published by the government. The data is published for small areas (Lower-layer Super Output Areas, or LSOAs) across England. At a District Level with regard to the IMD average rank, Lichfield is within the top 30% nationally.  However there are pockets of deprivation within Lichfield District. Two lower super output areas fall within IMD's 20% of most deprived areas nationally. These are found within the	DCLG English Indices of Deprivation 2015

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				wards of Chadsmead and Chasetown.	
Crime	Lichfield	36.0 crimes per 1,000 residents, 20.3% lower than the Staffordshire rate (45.2 per 1000).	<p>The number of crimes recorded in the district increased slightly by 1.4% in 2014/15 compared to the previous year but has decreased from 4308 crimes in 2010-11 to 3677 in 2014-15.</p> <p>Anti-social behaviour has increased by 6.2% over the last year but overall there has been a reduction over the past 5 years from 2262 incidents in 2010-11 to 2015 in 2014-15.</p> <p>In 2014/15, there were 46 hate crimes reported to the police in the Lichfield district. Despite this being a low number, it represents an increase</p>	<p>Both recorded crime, and the rate of anti-social behaviour across the district per 1,000 Residents' remains below the county average.</p> <p>Theft offences have declined by 8.2% since 2013/14 and the reduction is largely down to a reduction in the number of 'burglary' offences. In contrast to overall crime trends, there has been an increase in 'violence against the person' offences in the district.</p> <p>However compared to Staffordshire the</p>	Lichfield District Community Safety Delivery Plan 2016-2019

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			<p>of 48% from the previous year of 15 crimes. The vast majority (91%) were violence and public order offences with 83% of all offences motivated by race. North Lichfield and Fazeley are in the top five areas for hate crime in the Trent Valley division (Lichfield, Tamworth and East Staffs).</p> <p>Road safety was highlighted, in particular speeding vehicles and Parking were cited as a big issues in their area. However, in terms of road traffic casualties, the proportion of casualties killed or seriously injured in 2014 was the lowest rate for 5 years, and lower than the Staffordshire rate. Staffordshire County</p>	<p>rate of violence offences per 1000 residents was 8.8% in Lichfield compared to 12.2%.</p>	

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	Apr 15-Mar 16	19.1	25.2	22.2			
Net additional floorspace provided	<b>Use Class Order</b>	<b>Amount of Floorspace (m<sup>2</sup>)</b>				<p>In 2016 4,520m<sup>2</sup> of employment developments have been completed with the District providing an increase in employment floorspace.</p> <p>The Council continues to achieve in locating new employment land on previously developed land, with all the completed employment development being on brownfield sites.</p>	Authority Monitoring report 2016 Lichfield District Council
	B1a	455					
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	B8	175					
	B8/A1 combined	340					
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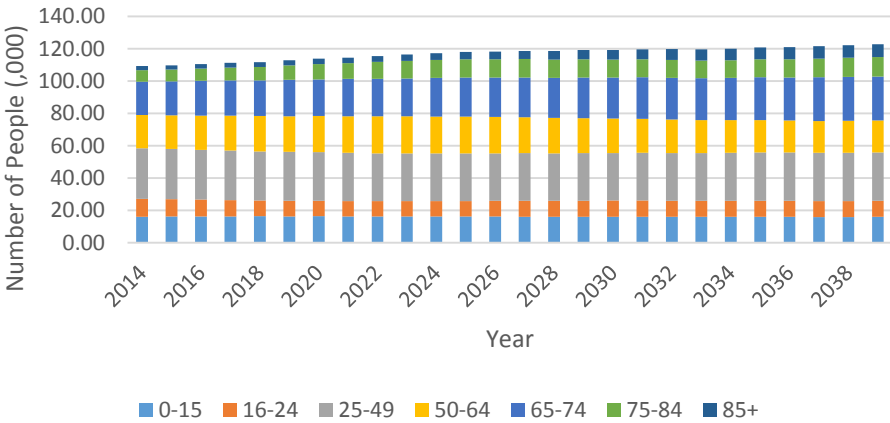
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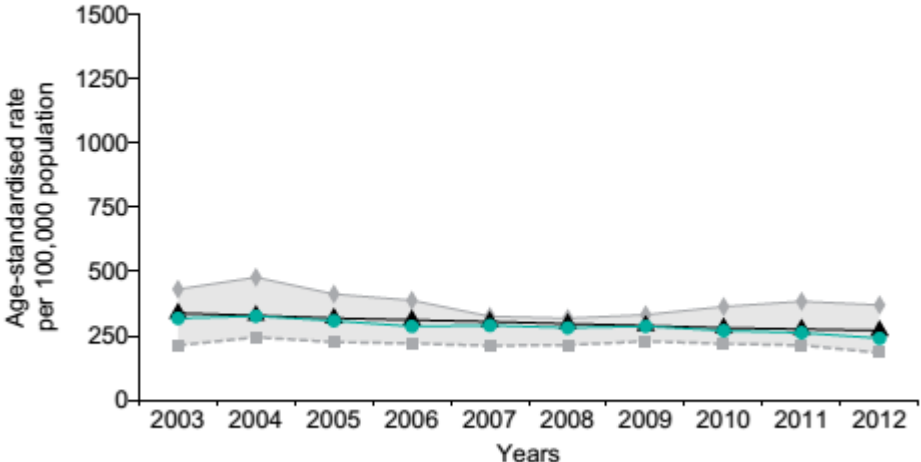
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## Health summary for Lichfield

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Domain	Indicator	Local No Per Year	Local value	Regional average*		England Worst	England Best
				Eng value	Eng worst		
Our communities	1 Deprivation	3,784	3.7	20.4	83.8		0.0
	2 Children in poverty (under 16s)	2,070	12.3	19.2	37.9		5.8
	3 Statutory homelessness	62	1.5	2.3	12.5		0.0
	4 GCSE achieved (5A*-C inc. Eng & Maths)†	681	61.4	56.8	35.4		79.9
	5 Violent crime (violence offences)	755	7.5	11.1	27.8		2.8
	6 Long term unemployment	105	1.7	7.1	23.5		0.9
	7 Smoking status at time of delivery	102	12.9	12.0	27.5		1.9
Children's and young people's health	8 Breastfeeding initiation	n/a	-	73.9			
	9 Obese children (Year 6)	148	15.1	19.1	27.1		9.4
	10 Alcohol-specific hospital stays (under 18)†	6.7	36.6	40.1	105.8		11.2
Adults' health and lifestyle	11 Under 18 conceptions	54	31.5	24.3	44.0		7.6
	12 Smoking prevalence	n/a	15.7	18.4	30.0		9.0
	13 Percentage of physically active adults	269	58.7	56.0	43.5		69.7
	14 Obese adults	n/a	23.5	23.0	35.2		11.2
	15 Excess weight in adults	178	66.7	63.8	75.9		45.9
	16 Incidence of malignant melanoma†	21.7	22.3	18.4	38.0		4.8
	17 Hospital stays for self-harm	141	147.5	203.2	682.7		60.9
	18 Hospital stays for alcohol related harm†	636	606	645	1231		366
	19 Prevalence of opiate and/or crack use	267	4.2	8.4	25.0		1.4
	20 Recorded diabetes	4,025	6.2	6.2	9.0		3.4
Disease and poor health	21 Incidence of TB†	1.3	1.3	14.8	113.7		0.0
	22 New STI (exc Chlamydia aged under 25)	335	530	832	3269		172
	23 Hip fractures in people aged 65 and over	116	520	580	838		354
	24 Excess winter deaths (three year)	53.5	17.4	17.4	34.3		3.9
	25 Life expectancy at birth (Male)	n/a	80.0	79.4	74.3		83.0
Life expectancy and causes of death	26 Life expectancy at birth (Female)	n/a	83.5	83.1	80.0		86.4
	27 Infant mortality	3	3.1	4.0	7.6		1.1
	28 Smoking related deaths	143	228.9	288.7	471.6		167.4
	29 Suicide rate	9	9.3	8.8			
	30 Under 75 mortality rate: cardiovascular	68	66.4	78.2	137.0		37.1
31 Under 75 mortality rate: cancer	132	127.2	144.4	202.9		104.0	
32 Killed and seriously injured on roads	21	20.4	39.7	119.6		7.8	

### Indicator notes

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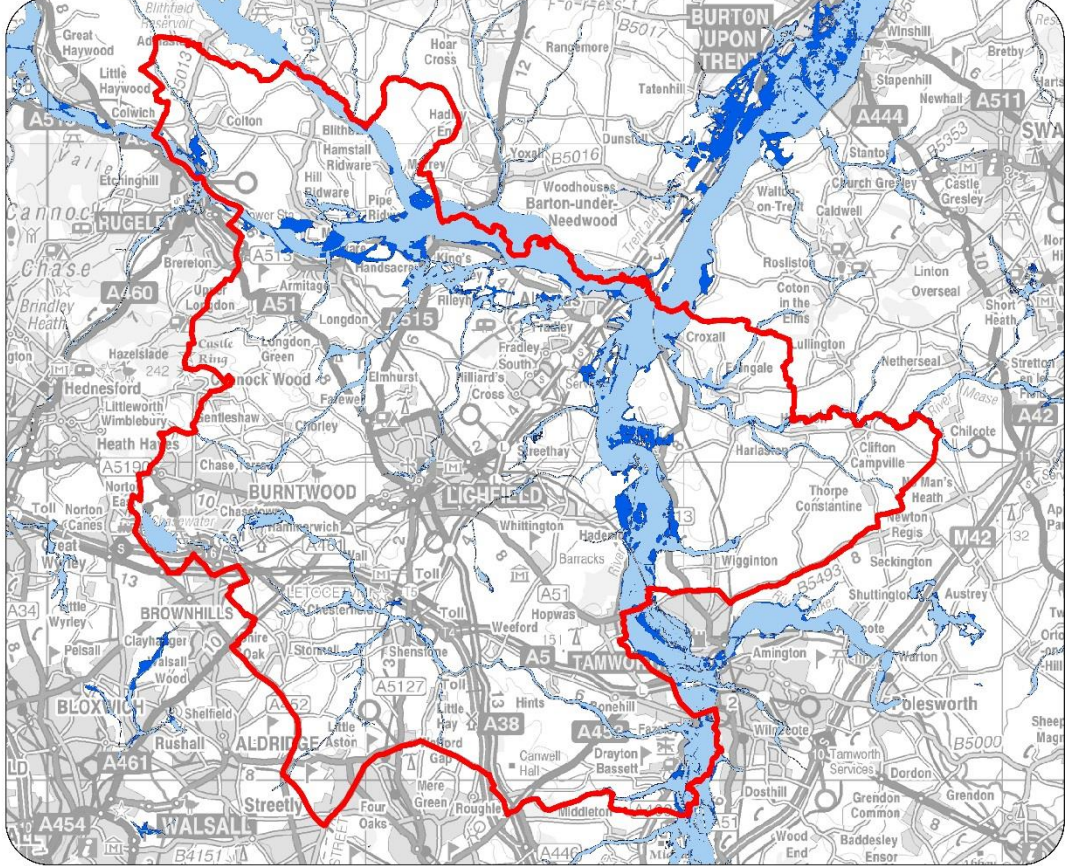
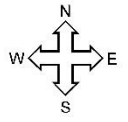


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EU Habitats sites	Within 20km of LDC: River Mease SAC – 23.03 ha Cannock Chase SAC – 1244.2 ha Cannock Extension Canal SAC – 5 ha Pasturefields Salt Marsh – 7.8 ha West Midlands Mosses – 184.62 ha Fens Pool – 20 ha Ensor’s Pool – 3.86 ha	N/A		It has been determined by the HRA of the Local Plan that the only 2 European Sites on which the Local Plan could cause significant harm are the Cannock Chase SAC and the River Mease SAC.	HRA, Lichfield District and Tamworth Borough
Nature conservation sites	Cannock Chase SSSI - 1279.1 ha Chasewater and Southern Staffordshire Coalfields Heath SSSI - 530.23 ha Gentleshaw Common SSSI - 80.47 ha Stowe Pool and Walkmill Claypit SSSI - 8.38 ha River Mease SSSI - 21.86 ha  78 SBIs (Sites of Biological Importance) within Lichfield District	N/A			

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	Local Nature Reserves: Christian Fields, Lichfield				
Biodiversity	<p>The Staffordshire Biodiversity Action Plan identifies habitats of importance for the county and includes plans for their conservation and management.</p> <p>There are 78 Sites of Boiological Interest within Lichfeild District: Hoever the total number of sites changes periodically. Up to date information on these sites and their boundaries is provided by Staffordshire Ecological Record.</p> <p>Lichfield District contains a wide variety of species which are defined by and received protection under domestic or European Legislation. Particular protected species that have been encountered within Lichfield District include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bats Birds</li> <li>• Great created newts</li> <li>• White clawed crayfish</li> <li>• Water voles</li> <li>• Otters</li> <li>• Badgers</li> <li>• Invertebrates</li> <li>• Reptiles</li> <li>• Plant species</li> </ul>	N\A			
Landscape Character	<p>Cannock Chase AONB</p> <p>Cannock Chase AONB – 68 sq km (a small proportion falls within the west of the District.</p>	N/A			

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<p>Fluvial Flood Risk</p>	 <div data-bbox="1505 245 1675 427" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>Lichfield district Council</b>  District Council House  Frog Lane  Lichfield  Staffs  WS13 9YJ  Telephone: 01543 358000  enquiries@lichfieldcc.gov.uk</p> </div> <div data-bbox="1505 434 1675 715" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>Legend</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><span style="border: 2px solid red; display: inline-block; width: 20px; height: 10px; margin-right: 5px;"></span> District Boundary</li> <li><span style="background-color: lightblue; display: inline-block; width: 20px; height: 10px; margin-right: 5px;"></span> Flood Zone 3</li> <li><span style="background-color: blue; display: inline-block; width: 20px; height: 10px; margin-right: 5px;"></span> Flood Zone 2</li> </ul> <p><small>© Environment Agency copyright and/or database right 2016. All rights reserved.</small></p> </div> <div data-bbox="1505 721 1675 1114" style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p><b>Drawing Details:</b></p> <p>Scale: 1:33,396  Date: 01/08/2016  Drawing No:</p> <p><small>Drawing Prepared by:  Roberts Whittaker - GIS Officer</small></p> <p><small>Coordinate System: British National Grid  Projection: Transverse Mercator  Datum: OSGB 1936  False Easting: 400,000.0000  False Northing: -100,000.0000  Central Meridian: -2.0000  Scale Factor: 0.9996  Latitude Of Origin: 49.0000  Units: Meter</small></p> <div data-bbox="1527 928 1653 1050" style="text-align: center;">  </div> <p><small>© Crown Copyright.  Database Rights 2016  Lichfield District Council  Licence No : 100017765.</small></p> </div>			<p>The main rivers located in the Lichfield District are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• River Tame.</li> <li>• River Trent.</li> <li>• River Mease.</li> <li>• Moreton Brook.</li> <li>• River Blithe</li> </ul> <p>The River Tame and River Trent are the main rivers that flow through the Lichfield District Council area. These rivers carry large volumes of water and have wide floodplains. The EA Flood Zone maps for the River Trent and River Tame indicate fluvial risk occurs predominantly into rural agricultural land where there is currently little proposed development.</p>	<p>Environment Agency Flood Map for Planning (Rivers and Sea)</p>

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Other Flood Risk	<p><b>Pluvial Risk</b> - Pluvial flooding poses a risk to the District, due to the lack of drainage capacity during high flows. Blockages of drains and watercourses in urban areas have been attributed to the pluvial flooding incidents in Lichfield District. Throughout Lichfield District there have been a large number of pluvial flooding occurrences which have been identified as highways flooding. Fazeley is the area most at risk of pluvial flooding as detailed in the SWMP Phase 2. Historic records indicate that Fazeley suffers from recurring fluvial and pluvial flood events.</p> <p><b>Flood Risk from Sewers</b> - Records provided by Severn Trent Water indicate within Lichfield Council area there are 15 postcode areas identified as at risk of flooding from artificial drainage systems and surface water runoff. The number of properties at risk of flooding from sewer flooding. Further detail is contained within the SFRA.</p> <p><b>Groundwater Flooding</b> - Existing studies (WCS Report, 2010) indicate that there are no known problems with groundwater flooding within the Lichfield District Council area.</p> <p><b>Other Sources of Flood Risk</b> - Little Aston Pool, Chasewater, Stowe Pool, Shustoke Lower, Blithfield and Chasewater reservoirs pose a risk of flooding. Inundation maps indicating the areas that would be inundated should the reservoir fail are contained within the SFRA 2014. Although the consequence of</p>	N/A	N/A	Should development take place in these areas, further work should be carried out to investigate the nature and scale of the risk posed, so that mitigation can be put in place and the areas can be targeted through appropriate policies for reducing flood risk.	Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (June 2014)

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	<p>reservoir breach and or failure is high, the probability of breach is considered very low.</p> <p>There are a number of canals located within Lichfield Council area: the Trent and Mersey Canal, Coventry Canal and the Birmingham and Fazeley Canal and part of the Wyrley and Essington Canal Anglesey Branch to the south of Chasewater. Liaison with the Canal and Rivers Trust indicated that there are no recorded incidents of breaches or any other flood risk instances associated with these canals.</p>				
Water Demand and Supply	<p>The Southern Staffordshire Outline Water Cycle Study (WCS) (July 2010) was undertaken in light of the proposed growth requirements relating to the West Midlands Regional Spatial Strategy (WMRSS) Phase 2 revision i.e. 8,000 homes, 99 hectares of general employment land and 30,000m<sup>2</sup> of office for Lichfield District. Whilst the WMRSS has since been abolished , the message from the WCS is that, in principle , and subject to careful phasing of development, there are no ‘show stoppers’ for the level of growth identified.</p> <p>In response to previous consultation stages of the Local Plan Strategy, South Staffordshire Water (SSW) has advised that there are no problems with supply. However the WCS indicates a need for infrastructure investment and the action which South Staffordshire Water needs to take, working directly with developers, is as follows.</p>				Lichfield District Council Infrastructure Delivery Plan August 2015

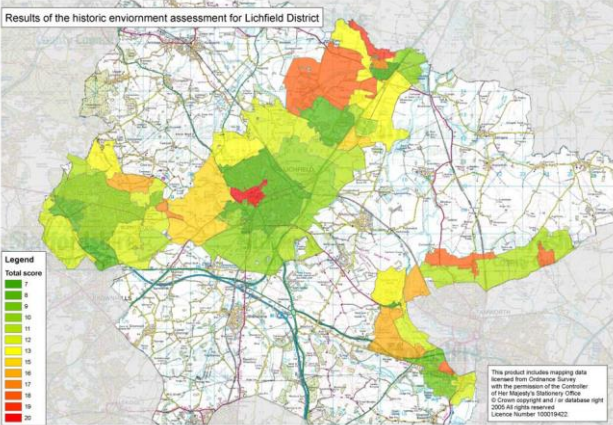
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				There are currently two Air Quality Management Areas (AQMAs) within Lichfield District Located at Muckley Corner and Wall Island. Wall Island was designated July 2016. The latest report 2016 shows the AQMA at Muckley Corner still exceeds the annual mean NO2 objective set.	
Tree Protections Orders	There are 392 Tree Preservation Orders within Lichfield District Council.				Authority Monitoring Report 2016 Lichfield District Council

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National Forest, Forest of Mercia and the Central Rivers Initiative	<p>There are a number of regional initiatives affecting parts of the District that aim to achieve enhancements to existing landscapes and create valuable new habitats that can play a part in increasing biodiversity value within the District. In particular these include the National Forest, the Forest of Mercia and the Central Rivers Initiative,</p> <p>The <b>National Forest</b> for the Midlands was originally a Countryside Commission initiative. The Forest area is located principally within Derbyshire, Leicestershire and East Staffordshire District. A small area to the north of the District which includes the National Memorial Arboretum and Alrewas fall within the National Forest. The District Council currently supports the principle of establishment for the National Forest through saved policy EA.16 Lichfield District Local Plan June 1998.</p> <p>The <b>Forest of Mercia</b>, originally sponsored by the Countryside Commission and Forestry Authority, includes part of South Staffordshire, Cannock Chase, Lichfield District and Walsall Metropolitan Borough which are partners in the project. In Lichfield District the Forest areas encircles Burntwood, with its eastern fringes reaching the northern and western edge of Lichfield.</p> <p>The <b>Central Rivers Initiative (CRI)</b> is a broadly based partnership which the District council is part working together to shape and guide the progressive</p>	N/A	N/A	<p>The Forest of Mercia and the National Forest are both landscape ordinated initiatives that seek to fundamentally change the character of parts of the District to redress the major loss of woodland the area has suffered whilst enhancing the District's biodiversity and playing an important role in providing for recreation and tourism.</p> <p>The National Forest, Forest of Mercia and Central Rivers Initiative are supported through Core Policy 1 &amp; 13 of the Local Plan Strategy 2008-2029.</p> <p>In addition the principle of the National Forest and Forest of Mercia</p>	Lichfield District Local Plan June 1996

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	<p>restoration and revitalisation of the river valley between Burton, Lichfield and Tamworth - an area of central England that covers over 50 square km. The initiative area within the district is focused on a belt that runs from Alrewas southwards to the border with Tamworth.</p>			<p>features as saved policies from the Lichfield District Local Plan June 1998 and will be subject of a review through the development of the Allocations Document.</p>	
<b>Archaeology</b>					
<p>Landscape character</p>	<p>There are three main historic landscapes character areas in the district.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Burntwood and the South West</li> <li>● Lichfield and its surroundings</li> <li>● River Valleys</li> </ul> <p>The Historic Landscape Character Assessment identifies 13 sub Historic Environmental Character Areas which fall wholly or partly within Lichfield District which were identified by their earliest discoverable landscapes.</p> 		<p>N/A</p>	<p>The location and scale of development will need to take into account the conservation and enhancement of the historic environment assets within the District.</p>	<p>Historic Environment Character Assessment Final report for Lichfield District Council Feb 2009 Lichfield District Council Historic Environment Supplementary Planning Document</p>

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	The areas to the west of Lichfield City and to the north and west of Alrewas scored highly and any developments in these zones would require consideration of this historic environment.				
Historic Farmsteads	High rates of survival with 78.8% of historic farmstead sites retaining some working buildings (36.1% with all or over 50% of their historic footprint).	Between 1980's and 1999 the 2006 study of aerial photographs (University of Gloucestershire study for EH 2009) shows listed working farms buildings with evidence for residential reuse: Lichfield: 33.3% West Midlands: 27% England: 30%	A higher proportion of farmsteads are in residential use than is typical of the region as a whole.	However in 2013 the Government extended permitted development rights and within certain parameters, redundant agricultural buildings can be converted to residential units without having to apply for planning permission if the plans meet the approval of the local authority. This may have increased the rate at which conversions have been brought forwards although no corroborating data is available	Historic Farmsteads & Landscape Character in Staffordshire (SCC and EH) 2012
Historic Environment	The Historic Environment Supplementary Planning Document which was adopted in 2015 captures the range of elements to the Historic Environment via a SWOT, which is summarised below.  <b>Historic Environment SWOT Analysis Strategy Elements</b>				Historic Environment Supplementar

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	<b>Strengths</b>	<b>Opportunities</b>	<b>Weaknesses</b>	<b>Threats</b>	
	Historic City with medieval street pattern intact and well preserved historic core	Consolidate local character	Loss of industrial heritage	HS2	
	Historic Villages	Channel development pressure positively to regenerate	Some characterless suburbs	Wind Turbine Proposals	
	Varied attractive landscapes	Raise designs of Design	Lack of high quality contemporary architecture: tendency towards a default position of pastiche or "safe" design	Growth pressures favours fast growing urban extensions, making organic growth difficult	
	Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty	Retain character of historic cores whilst regenerating underused sites to attract new investment		Gentrification of villages resulting in a change of character	
	Five spires skyline provides strong city identity	Environmental improvements to key spaces		Out of town retail undermining historic core	
	Strong local distinctiveness	Promote visitor attraction		Recreation and visitor Pressure	
	Trent and Mersey and Coventry Canals and their environs	Heritage base tourism			
	River Trent, Mease and Tame valleys	Continued expansion of the canal network through the Lichfield			

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	Canal and the Lichfield and Hatherton Canal Restoration Trust				
	Rural Areas in demand.				
Conservation Areas  Listed Buildings	<p>The historic environment of the District is significant.</p> <p>Scheduled ancient monuments: 5</p> <p><b>Listings</b>  Grade I 12 Listings  Grade II* 63 Listings  Grade II 686 Listings  Scheduled Monuments: 16  Registered Historic Parks and Garden: 1  Conservation Areas: 21  Over 430 buildings or structures which are recorded on the List of Locally Important Buildings.</p> <p><b>At Risk Register:</b>  Conservation Areas at Risk: 1  Grade II Listed Buildings at Risk: 18  Grade I and Grade II* Listed Buildings at Risk: 2</p>	N/A	N/A	Much of Lichfield District's Character and tourism draw is due to its wealth of historic buildings and conservation areas. The preservation of historic sites remains of paramount importance.	Annual Monitoring Review 2016.  <a href="https://www.historicengland.org.uk/listing/the-list">https://www.historicengland.org.uk/listing/the-list</a>
<b>Minerals</b>					
Sand and Gravel Resources	<p>The New Minerals Local Plan for Staffordshire (2015-2030).  Our Vision and Strategic Objectives 1, recognise the importance of aggregate minerals to support sustainable economic development taking into account the need to achieve an acceptable balance</p>	N/A	N/A	The New Minerals Local Plan for Staffordshire (2015-2030) is currently out for consultation for main modifications.	The New Minerals Local Plan for Staffordshire (2015-2030)

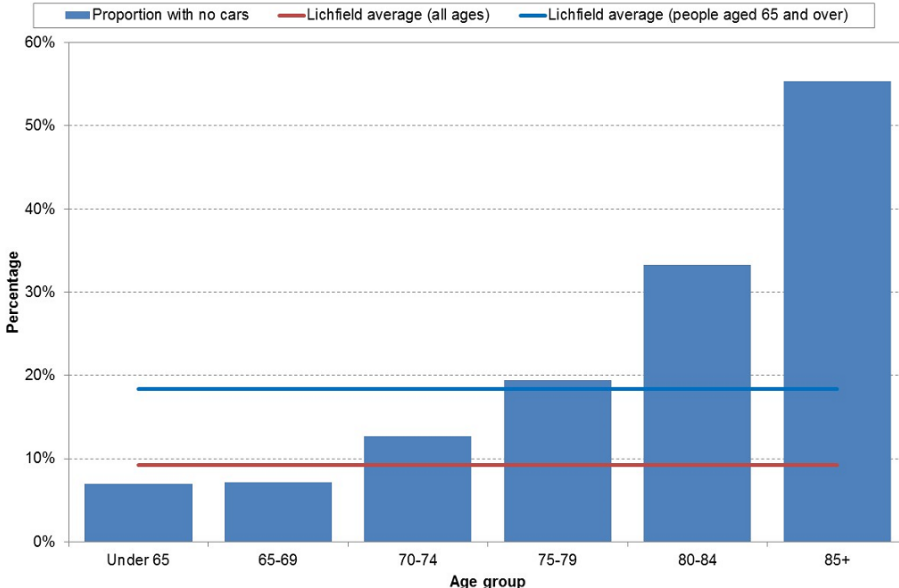
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	<p>with the impact of mineral operations on local communities and the environment.</p> <p>Policy 1: Provision for Sand and Gravel Provision will be made to maintain permitted reserves with production capacity of up to 5.0 million tonnes of sand and gravel per annum. This will be achieved initially from existing permitted reserves and by granting planning permission to extend a number of sites.</p> <p>The following falls within Lichfield District:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Alrewas</li> </ul> <p>In addition Policy 1 Provision of Sand and Gravel goes on to identify proposals for new sand and gravel sites with the area of search and these include to the west of the A38 shown on the Policies and Proposals Map where they accord with Plan policies including Policy 4.</p>			Consideration will need to be given to growth in identified and potential areas as identified with the New Minerals Local Plan for Staffordshire (2015-2030).	
<b>Waste</b>					
<b>Waste and Recycling</b>	Household Waste – 2014/15, 54.5% recycled, composted or reused.	2014/15 England recycling rate 42.9% West Midlands recycling rate: 41.3%		Lichfield District is above and in advance of the EU target of 50% of waster being recycled by 2020.	Data.gov.uk
<b>Transport Issues</b>					
Commuter Trips	In terms of travel to work, 3% of employed residents commute by rail which is the highest level in Staffordshire, but at the same time, Lichfield has one	N/A	N/A	The District sees a considerable proportion of its	Lichfield District Integrated



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	<p>of the highest levels of car drivers, at 75%. Lichfield District has four rail stations Lichfield City, Lichfield Trent Valley, Rugeley Trent Valley and Shenstone. There are also a number of community transport services operating within the District.</p> <p>49.1% of employees which live within the District commute out of the District to work.</p> <p>In Lichfield City 83% of households are within 350 metres of a half-hourly or better weekday bus service, achieved through the commercial network.</p>			higher skilled workers commute to jobs elsewhere in the West Midlands conurbation on a daily basis.	Transport Strategy 2015-2029
Traffic congestion	<p>The District is well served by local routes such the A51, A515 and A5127 and has excellent connections to the national transport network including the M6 Toll, A38 (T), A5148 (T) and A5 (T). However enhanced connectivity in the District will need to focus on these routes to ensure traffic levels are managed.</p> <p>The improvements listed include;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Improvements to safety and capacity are required at a number of junctions within Lichfield City Centre to accommodate proposed growth (para 5.15 Lichfield District Integrated Transport Strategy).</li> <li>• Bus/ rail integration will be provided as part of the Friarsgate Development.</li> <li>• Bus access improvements and frequency in Burntwood to support an enhanced town centre and new housing.</li> </ul>	N/A	N/A	Phase 3 of the Lichfield southern Bypass will reduce traffic in the City Centre on A5127 and A51, protecting the historic core.	Lichfield District Integrated Transport Strategy 2015-2029

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Connectivity improvements between the Strategic Development Allocations (SDA) in south Lichfield and the City Centre.</li> <li>• Completion of final stage (London Road to Birmingham Road) of Lichfield Southern bypass to link A5206 London Road to A461 Walsall Road.</li> <li>• Improvements to mitigate development to the east of Lichfield SDA.</li> <li>• Substandard junction layouts at Hillards Cross and Fradley South located along the A38.</li> <li>• Lichfield Trent Valley rail station disabled access improvements to allow access to London bound platform.</li> <li>• New bus services from Fradley SDA to Lichfield city.</li> <li>• Manage routing of Heavy Commercial Vehicles and consider provision of lorry park at Fradley.</li> </ul>				
Bus and Rail	<p><b>Bus</b> In Lichfield City 83% of households are within 350 metres of a half-hourly or better weekday bus service, achieved through the commercial network.</p> <p>For the rural north west of the District which have either a less regular or non existent bus service the County Council provide the ‘Needwood Forest Connect’ bookable bus service where the route is plotted on a daily basis from telephone bookings enabling it to only run where there are passengers which require its services. This service is provided between 8am and 6pm Monday to Saturday.</p>		60% of the District’s households are within Lichfield and Burntwood with a further 20% within the key rural settlements. Therefore it intimates that current bus services predominantly serve the main centres and key rural settlements.	The level of demand for rail travel is expected to increase significantly. Network Rail’s Market Study for Regional Urban Centres, published in October 2013, suggests growth of between 8% and 49% for travel into both Birmingham	Lichfield District Integrated Transport Strategy 2015-2029  Staffordshire Rail Strategy May 2015.

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	<p><b>Rail</b></p> <p>Lichfield District has four rail stations Lichfield City, Lichfield Trent Valley, Rugeley Trent Valley and Shenstone. 3% of employed residents commute by rail which is the highest level in Staffordshire. Lichfield Trent Valley, Lichfield City, Shenstone, Blake Street and Four Oaks stations are served by the Cross City North line which forms part of the busiest local rail corridors in the West Midlands.</p> <p>In recent years a regular service on the West Coast Mainline between Crewe and London calling at Lichfield Trent Valley and Rugeley Trent Valley has been introduced which has significantly improved connectivity between key locations on this line.</p> <p>Possible rail enhancements which would benefit the District include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lichfield Trent Valley rail station disabled access improvements are required to allow access to London bound platform.</li> <li>• Reopening the Lichfield Walsall line</li> <li>• Electrification of the Rugeley to Walsall line and Lichfield Trent Valley to Wychnor to improve line speed and allow more frequent services and reduce environmental impacts.</li> <li>• Provision of passenger service from Lichfield to Derby with a new station at Alrewas to serve the village and National Memorial Arboretum.</li> </ul>			<p>and Manchester by 2023, rising to between 24% and 114% by 2043. This confirms the increasingly important role the rail network will play in the future and demonstrates the need for continued investment in rail services and the associated network.</p>	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Development of a Strategic Freight Corridor from Stourbridge to Lichfield via Walsall to offer capacity relief.</li> </ul> <p><b>HS2</b> HS2 passes through the District and will impact on communities, however there are no stations proposed.</p>																		
	<p><b>Access to private transport: proportion of residents who have no car or van by age (2011)</b></p>  <table border="1"> <caption>Proportion of residents with no cars by age group (2011)</caption> <thead> <tr> <th>Age group</th> <th>Proportion with no cars (%)</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Under 65</td> <td>~7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>65-69</td> <td>~7%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>70-74</td> <td>~12%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>75-79</td> <td>~19%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>80-84</td> <td>~33%</td> </tr> <tr> <td>85+</td> <td>55%</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Age group	Proportion with no cars (%)	Under 65	~7%	65-69	~7%	70-74	~12%	75-79	~19%	80-84	~33%	85+	55%			<p>In Lichfield around 18% of people aged 65 and over have no private transport (i.e. access to a car). This increases to 55% of people aged 85 and over. Using 2014 mid-year population figures for Lichfield it has been estimated that around 500 residents aged 65+ are at risk of loneliness and a lack of transport increases the sense of isolation and loneliness.</p>	<p>Census 2011</p>
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<b>High Quality Design and Sustainability Issues</b>					
Trees, Landscape and Development	<p>The NNPF places great importance to the design of the built environment. Lichfield District Council is committed to good design standards in all development.</p> <p>The final section of the SPD deals with the provision of new trees, hedgerows, woodlands and shrub planting as part of the design of a development and its landscaping scheme.</p>			Lichfield District Council recently adopted a raft of Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD) that support the delivery of the Local Plan Strategy. Each SPD focus on the concept of design in relation to their particular features specialism.	Lichfield District Council Trees, Landscape and Development Supplementary Planning Document
Biodiversity & Development	<p>The NNPF places great importance to the design of the built environment. Lichfield District Council is committed to good design standards in all development.</p> <p>The findings of ecological surveys should be taken into careful consideration at the earliest design stage of a development. Possible conflicts can be addressed by having the information available at the right stage and by taking an imaginative approach to site design to avoid harm.</p>			Lichfield District Council recently adopted a raft of Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD) that support the delivery of the Local Plan Strategy. Each SPD focus on the concept of design in relation to their particular features specialism.	Lichfield District Council Biodiversity & Development Supplementary Planning Document

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Rural Development	<p>The NNPF places great importance to the design of the built environment. Lichfield District Council is committed to good design standards in all development.</p> <p>Recognises the rural housing residential developments will be expected to incorporate high quality design. Appendix B of the document is dedicated to providing design standards for the reuse of Rural Building.</p>			Lichfield District Council recently adopted a raft of Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD) that support the delivery of the Local Plan Strategy. Each SPD focus on the concept of design in relation to their particular features specialism.	Lichfield District Council Rural Development Supplementary Planning Document
Historic Environment	<p>The NNPF places great importance to the design of the built environment. Lichfield District Council is committed to good design standards in all development.</p> <p>.</p> <p>Design should be informed by an understanding of the overall character of an area, particularly the elements that contribute to local distinctiveness, and also an understanding of the significance of heritage assets of all types and the importance of their setting in order to secure good quality , well designed and sustainable places.</p>			Lichfield District Council recently adopted a raft of Supplementary Planning Documents (SPD) that support the delivery of the Local Plan Strategy. Each SPD focus on the concept of design in relation to their particular features specialism.	Lichfield District Council Historic Environment Supplementary Planning Document
Sustainable Design	<p>The NNPF places great importance to the design of the built environment. Lichfield District Council is committed to good design standards in all development.</p>			Lichfield District Council recently adopted a raft of Supplementary Planning Documents	Lichfield District Council Sustainable Design

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	<p>The Sustainable Design Supplementary Planning Document seeks to give guidance on how sustainable development can be achieved through connectivity and integration, in terms of how places are sustainably connected by transport linkages and through patterns of development. It then considers how the layout and density can assist in creating sustainable development, through green infrastructure, standards for parking and spaces around dwellings, utilising sustainable drainage systems, creating walkable communities and energy efficient layouts.</p> <p>Appendix C – of the document is dedicated to providing and explain the objectives of good design.</p>			<p>(SPD) that support the delivery of the Local Plan Strategy. Each SPD focus on the concept of design in relation to their particular features specialism.</p>	<p>Supplementary Planning Document</p>

