

local development plan action programme

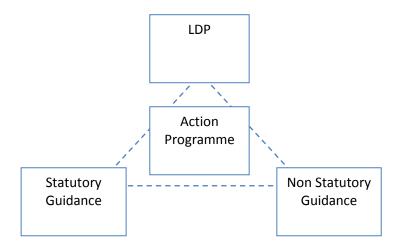
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1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The East Lothian Local Development Plan (LDP) is an important land use document that sets out the Council's planning strategy and policies to guide and manage future development within East Lothian. The LDP sets out a long term vision for the future growth of East Lothian, identifying where and how development requirements can be delivered. It is a site specific plan that contains proposals that show where the Council wants to stimulate development as well as policies it will use to manage development in East Lothian, providing certainly to investors and communities.
- 1.2 This Action Programme has been prepared to accompany the LDP and sets out how the objectives, strategy and policies within the LDP can be successfully implemented and delivered, along with the various actions and partnerships that will be required to support and achieve implementation. In accordance with Section 21 of the Planning etc. (Scotland) Act 2006 and Regulation 26, the Action Programme sets out:
 - A list of actions to deliver each of plan's policies and proposals
 - The name of the person (organisation) who is to carry out the action
 - The timescale for carrying out each action
- 1.3 The actions included are not just those to be carried out by the Planning Authority, but also by key stakeholders and agencies. Delivery of LDP policies and proposals is dependent on a wide range of factors, including actions contained in other plans, programmes and strategies, economic conditions and other factors beyond the control of the LDP. As a result, the Action Programme is intended to give a broad indication of the expected timescales for development rather than a precise programme of delivery. It is a live document and is flexible in response to change.

Action Programme



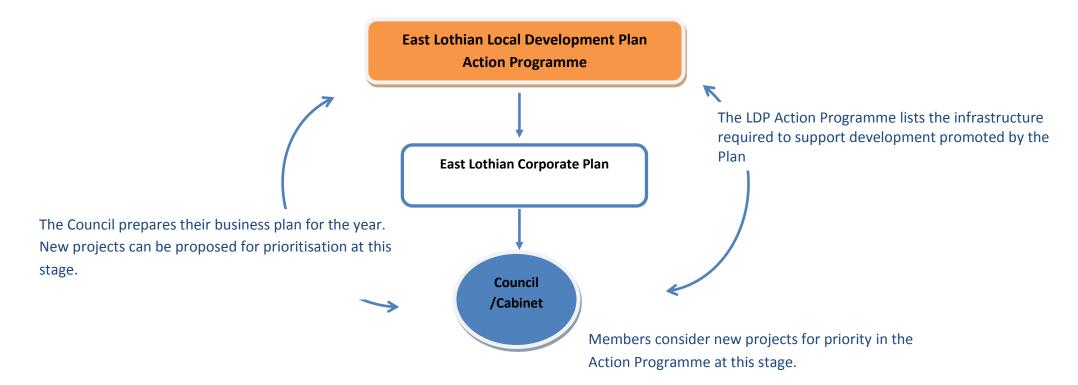
Purpose of the action programme

- 1.4 The Local Development Plan (LDP) sets out how places in East Lothian will change and develop into the future. This Action Programme supports the LDP by outlining how the policies and proposals in the LDP will be delivered by East Lothian Council and other stakeholders. It sets out how the Council proposes to implement the LDP, to provide a focus on delivery and to co-ordinate development and infrastructure provision. Setting out this programme of the multiple actions required to deliver the plan will assist in more co-ordinated and efficient implementation. This will in turn contribute to the Council's aim of creating a prosperous, safe and sustainable East Lothian that will allow local people and communities to flourish, as set out in the Council Plan 2017-2022.
- 1.5 Within the LDP, there are a number of polices which set the strategic direction of the Plan and these influence the location of new development. This Action Programme will reflect the continuous process of delivering development and will prioritise key areas of action that will be required to deliver the vision and objectives of the Plan. There is a close connection with the content of the Action Programme and the further information and guidance in the Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance. This is particularly in relation to infrastructure provision and associated costs and timing for delivery.
- The Action Programme has been prepared in parallel with the LDP to increase confidence that the plan is deliverable. It is akin to a high level 'project plan' that will be monitored and used regularly to instigate actions to implement the LDP. It is important that the Action Programme remains current and up-to-date and it will be reviewed every two years. The review of the Action Programme will provide an opportunity to identify progress made in relation to delivery of policies and proposals, and to consider additional future actions that may be required. It is also intended to serve as a useful means of keeping stakeholders informed on LDP delivery. The Council will engage with all relevant parties as part of these reviews.

How will the Action Programme be used?

1.7 The Action Programme and the Plan itself do not work in isolation. They are part of a concerted action involving internal departments and external agencies. They therefore strongly align with a number of key corporate policy statements of the Council including the Single Outcome Agreement, Local Housing Strategy and Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance. This makes the Local Development Plan an important corporate document whose successful implementation will require cross departmental action.

FIGURE 1 - Governance



Responsibilities

- 1.8 The LDP sets out the policies and proposals to be implemented through decision making. This Action Programme does not look to repeat that information but instead collates them so that an overview of the plan's progress can be established and progress on the actions can be monitored. This will enable the Governance arrangements that have been put in place to continue the momentum of plan delivery.
- 1.9 Each policy and proposal will identify who the key agents of action are, how they will deliver this through the identification of key actions, and when they will do it. It is intended that this Action Programme will be a live working document, and subject to review meetings that will be held regularly. Progress on achieving the key stages of each project will be reported to Senior Officers via Team Meetings and then reported to Cabinet every two years or more frequently should the Council deem necessary. The lead agency noted in the Action Programme will be responsible for the implementation of the policies and proposals to which they are assigned. They will also have the responsibility for regular reporting and for monitoring and updating of the Action Programme.

Delivery

- 1.10 It must be recognised that delivery of development is not always straightforward and a number of internal and external factors can contribute to delay or slippage. The Action Programme needs to be flexible in response to change, proposing alternative solutions when needed (so long as there are consistent with the Development Plan) and assessing the impact of any change on remaining proposals as many are inter-linked.
- 1.11 It is recognised that confidence in delivery of the Local Development Plan is important to the Council, its local communities and businesses. The governance arrangements will be put in place to ensure progress of the plan's implementation is sufficiently monitored and that actions are instigated by the relevant organisations in an appropriate timescale. The Action Programme will be formally reviewed and published on a biennially basis or sooner should the Council deem necessary. On publication, it will be available on-line, at the Council office in Haddington and copies will be sent to Scottish Ministers.

Format of the Action Programme

1.12 The intention is that this Action Programme will be easy to use and interpret. The Local Development Plan contains a set of policies and proposals. A policy is typically thought of as a rule to guide decisions. It captures the Council's broad intentions. A proposal is usually site specific and states a plan to do something. Within the Local Development Plan and within this Action Programme, site specific proposals are identified and their references are identical in both documents. Each policy describes the implementation timescale as:

Short term (0-5 years), Medium term (5-10years) or Long term (10 years or over).

- 1.13 The Action Programme will look at the strategic policies and proposals and the identified actions needed to implement the proposals. To assist with the delivery of development on the ground, the Council has prepared Supplementary Guidance on Developer Contributions. Contributions will be utilised to implement the broad strategy of the Plan and specific proposals. The actions based on the LDP are structured as follows:
 - Priority Actions Key Strategic Projects (Section 2 of the Action Programme)

These are mostly actions that must be implemented in the short to medium term to assist with the timely delivery of the LDP. They are broken into four Priority Actions;

- 1) Adoption of Local Development Plan Supplementary Guidance and Supplementary Planning Guidance;
- 2) Delivery of Specific Proposals relating to Major Infrastructure;
- 3) Delivery of Specific Proposals relating to Education
- 4) Delivery of Specific Proposals relating to Sport and Leisure
- LDP Guidance Proposals & Policies (Section 3 of the Action Programme)

This section sets out the policies and proposals of the plan and stipulates any actions associated with them.

- LDP non Statutory Guidance
- LDP Policies and Proposals
- Monitoring and Assessment for LDP Review (Section 4 of the Action Programme)

2 PRIORITY ACTIONS

2.1 This section sets out actions that must be taken to progress with Key Strategic Projects. On adoption of the LDP, these actions will be a priority as they are essential to enable implementation of other dependant actions across the authority area. In the interests of delivery, some actions will be progressed as the LDP is emerging. These actions will be led by ELC and require joint working across the authority and in partnership with others, including Key Agencies, Consultation Authorities and landowners and developers. They will be key to the initial phase of plan delivery.

Priority Action 1: Adoption of Local Development Plan Statutory and Non Statutory Guidance

PRIORITY ACTION 1 ADOPTION OF LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN STATUTORY AND NON STATUTORY GUIDANCE									
Policy	Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Progress				
STATUTORY GUIDANCE									
Developer Contributions Framework Suppl	ementary Guidance								
	ELC (lead)/ Developers	All in East Lothian	Adoption of SG Autumn 2018		Public consultation carried out between June and July 2018.				

The Developer Contributions SG will be produced to support the policies in the East Lothian Local Development Plan, including Policy DEL1: Infrastructure and Facility Provision which signposts the production of the SG. It sets out the requirements for developer contributions. The Supplementary Guidance links to the LDP and Action Programme and provides further detail on the policy approach, the types and scales of development to which it will apply and mechanisms for delivery. This Supplementary Guidance deals primarily with matters of a financial nature. It sets out the Council's proposed future section 75 planning obligations.

Policy	Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Progress
NON STATUTORY GUIDANCE					
Development Briefs Supplement	tary Planning Guidance				
Policies: DP9	ELC (lead)/	See Clusters	Adoption of SPG		Public consultation carried
	Developers/ Queen	below	Autumn 2018		out between June and July 2018.
	Margaret University (with				
	regard to MH1)				
The briefs will be adopted as Sup			• •		·
development briefs will guide de	·		t sites throughout E	ast Lothian in line with	the Local Development Pla
policies and will cover land use a	nd indicative layout and design	n.			
Musselburgh Cluster	Policy DP9				
	Allocations:				
Development Briefs	PROP MH3 – Old	d at Craighall, Musse Craighall Junction So enhall, Musselburgh	uth West P	ROP MH10 – Land at D ROP MH13 – Land at W ROP MH14 – Land at W	/hitecraig South

Prestonpans Cluster	Policy DP9	
Development Briefs	Allocations: PROP PS1 - Longniddry South	
Tranent Cluster	Policy DP9	
Development Briefs	Allocations: PROP TT1 - Housing at Windygoul South, Tranent PROP TT3 – Employment, Windygoul South, Tranent PROP TT4 – Lammermoor Terrace, Tranent PROP TT5 – Bankpark Grove, Tranent PROP TT6 – Kingslaw, Tranent PROP TT7 – Macmerry North	PROP TT8 – Macmerry Business Park East PROP TT9 – Gladsmuir East PROP TT10 – Limeylands Road (Tynemouth West), Ormiston PROP TT11 – Elphinstone West PROP TT12 – Woodhall Road, Wester Pencaitland PROP TT14 – Park View, Easter Pencaitland
Haddington Cluster	Policy DP9	
Development Briefs	Allocations: PROP HN2 – Lethan Mains Expansion, Haddington PROP HN8 – Land at Peppercraig East, Haddington	
Dunbar Cluster	Policy DP9	
Development Briefs	Allocations: PROP DR2 – Hallhill North, Dunbar PROP DR4 – Brodie Road, Dunbar	PROP DR7 – Land at Spott Road, Dunbar PROP DR10 – Innerwick East, Innerwick

North Berwick Cluster	Policy DP9	
Development Briefs	Allocations: PROP NK7 – Saltcoats, Gullane PROP NK8 – Fenton Gait East, Gullane	PROP NK9 – Fenton Gait South, Gullane PROP NK10 - Aberlady West, Aberlady PROP NK11 – Castlemains, Dirleton

Policy	Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Progress			
NON STATUTORY GUIDANCE								
Affordable Housing Supplementary Planning Guidance								
Policies HOU3, HOU4	ELC/Homes for	All in East	Adoption of SPG		Public consultation carried			
Policies HOU3, HOU4	ELC/Homes for Life/Developers	All in East Lothian	Adoption of SPG December 2018		Public consultation carried out between July and August			

The SPG will allow developers and landowners throughout East Lothian to assess the implications of providing affordable housing at an early stage, setting out expectations, including any financial obligations, for the delivery of affordable housing as part of market housing sites. It will also specify affordable housing tenure mix that will be expected as part of market housing proposals, including the requirement for social rent as well as targets for the proportional split between other acceptable tenures and how the tenure models should be delivered. The location and size of the site, the form of development to be delivered and the availability of subsidy will help inform the mix of tenures to be provided.

The SPG will commit to a review of the commuted sum value at least every 2 years, although the guidance itself will not be reviewed this frequently. It will be used in the determination of planning applications within the East Lothian area, but does not set a framework for the scale or type of development.

Priority Action 2: Major Infrastructure Proposals

2.3 This table sets out the major infrastructure interventions needed to deliver key policies and proposals of the LDP. Additional information is contained in the Developer Contributions Framework SG.

PRIORITY ACTION 2 MAJOR INFRASTRUCTURE PROPOSALS

Action	Lead & Joint	Activity	Status	Time:	Indicative	Progress
	Working			Short	_ :	
				Medium	Cost i	
				Long		
PROP T3 Segregated Active Travel C	orridor					
To develop a new segregated active travel	ELC (lead)/	Actively pursue	Management and		£23,400,000	Signed S75s with
corridor within East Lothian	SEStran	the	monitoring of Planning			contributions towards
	(lead)/	implementation	applications through			MH7
		of the proposed	the development			
	Sustrans/	Segregated Active	management process.			
	Developers	Travel Corridor.				
		Improved travel				
		accessibility for				
		pedestrians and				
		cyclists to local				
		facilities as well as				
		public transport				
		services for a				
		large number of				
		existing				

PROP T9 Safeguarding of Land for land is safeguarded adjacent to the existing stations at Musselburgh, Longniddry and Drem to allow additional car and cycle parking spaces / storage facilities to be provided, as shown on the Proposals Map.	ELC (lead)/ Network Rail (lead)/ Transport Scotland	communities and adjacent residential developments. Parks Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.	Time: Short Medium Long	£5,007,000 (Prop T9 & T10 – this includes an additional estimated cost	Application submitted by ELC for extension of car park facilities at Longniddry Rail Station was granted planning permission in April
	/Developers/ ScotRail	connections to rail network and funding secured through master plan process.			of £638,000 of a committed scheme for the increase of platforms to cater for 6- car train sets).	2018. Works on site commenced.
PROP T10 Safeguarding Land for Pla	'					
Land is safeguarded adjacent to the	ELC (lead)/	Actively pursue	Management and		£5,007,000	Signed S75s with
existing stations at Musselburgh,	Network Rail	the	monitoring of Planning		(Prop T9 &	contributions towards
Wallyford, Prestonpans, Longniddry, Drem	(lead)/	implementation	applications through		T10 – this includes an	

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost ¹	Progress
and Dunbar to allow additional platform capacity to be provided for longer eight car trains as a minimum.	Transport Scotland /Developers	of the projects identified.	the development management process.		additional estimated cost of £638,000 of a committed scheme for the increase of platforms to cater for 6- car train sets).	NK8, NK7, NK10, PS1 and MH7
PROP T11 Safeguarding of Land for In	provements to N	lusselburgh Station				
Approximately 1.5 ha of land is safeguarded adjacent to Musselburgh station to reflect the Council's aspirations that a rail related transport hub with car parking, bus and active travel access be delivered to the SW of the Mucklets Road.	ELC (lead)/ Transport Scotland / Network Rail / SEStran/ Sustrans/Deve lopers	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.			
PROP T15 Old Craighall A1(T) Junction	Improvements					
Improvements at the A1(T)/A720 Old Craighall Junction, including signalisation and improvement of the roundabout and slip roads to provide additional network capacity to meet the demands that will be	ELC (lead)/ Transport Scotland (lead)/ Network Rail/	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified. Improved connections to	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.		£995,000	Signed S75s with contributions towards NK8, NK7, NK10 and PS1

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost i	Progress
generated by new development in the area.	SEStran/Devel opers	road network and funding secured through master plan process.	Must be in accordance with Policy T32 and Policy DEL1.			
PROP T16 A1 Junction Improvements	at Queen Margar	et Drive Interchange				
Standard Junction improvements to the A1 interchange at Queen Margaret Drive. Including provision of a new underpass of the A1 for all modes of travel and north bound on and off slip roads to the A1. Intervention is necessary to deliver, and will be fully funded by the developer of and provided in association with development at Craighall (MH1).	ELC (lead)/ Transport Scotland /Developers	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified. Improved connections to road network and funding secured through master plan process.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals		To be finalised	

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost ⁱ	Progress
PROP T17 A1 (T) Interchange Improve		I				
 Relevant proposals required to provide, or contribute towards, improvements at: Salter's Road interchange - local widening on Salter's Road and optimisation of signal control staging, phasing and timings. Bankton Interchange - signal control of northern roundabout with local widening. Redesign of southern roundabout with local widening 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals especially Policy T32 and Policy DEL1		£ 272,000 (Salter's Road Interchange) £848,767 (Bankton Interchange)	Signed S75s with contributions towards NK8, NK7, NK10, PS1 and MH7
Relevant proposals required to provide, or contribute towards, improvements at: • Dolphingstone Interchange - local widening and optimisation of signal control staging, phasing and timings.	ELC (lead)	ELC will be funding and delivering the improvements to Dolphinstone Interchange			£256,000 (Dolphingstone Interchange)	

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost i	Progress
Relevant proposals required to provide, or contribute towards, improvements at: • Dualling of A198 from Bankton northern roundabout, tapering back to single before Meadowmill roundabout	ELC (lead)/ Transport Scotland		Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals especially Policy T32 and Policy DEL1		£1,044,110	
PROP T20 Transport related Air Quality	y Measures: Reloc	cation of Bus Stops				
The Council will investigate the relocation of bus stops within the Musselburgh Air Quality Management Area to mitigate existing air quality issues and will monitor and manage the situation as required to ensure air quality is maintained to an acceptable standard in association with new development.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Bus Operators	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.			

Action	Lead & Joint	Activity	Status	Time:	Indicative	Progress
	Working			Short		
				Medium	Cost i	
				Long		
PROP T21 Musselburgh Urban Traffic (Control System					
Relevant proposals will be required to	ELC (lead)/	Actively	Management and		£283,000	Signed S75s with
contribute to the provision of an Urban	Developers/	pursue the	monitoring of Planning			contributions towards
Traffic Control system and the signalisation		implementation	applications through			NK8, NK7, NK10, PS1
of the junction at the A199 and New		of the projects	the development			and MH7.
Street, the A199 Linkfield Road and		identified.	management process.			
Millhill, and Inveresk Road and Newbigging						
junctions to an adoptable standard to			Must be in accordance			
manage the vehicle flows through			with all relevant			
Musselburgh town centre to acceptable			proposals especially			
levels.			Policy T32 and Policy			
icveis.			DEL1.			

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Cost i	Progress
The developer of the land at Craighall shall investigate and if necessary provide a modification to the current bus only link at Queen Margaret Drive/Whitehill Farm road to an adoptable standard to provide additional network capacity on route choice for development related trip demands. Intervention will be fully funded by the developer of and provided in association with development at Craighall (MH1).	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	If the Council requires this intervention to be provided it shall be delivered only once the Queen Margaret Drive A1 interchange is complete (PROP T16). This link will be modified to provide a signal controlled contra-	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals especially Policy T32 and Policy DEL1.			

Land is safeguarded to provide for junction improvements at the A198/B1361 Meadowmill Roundabout to provide additional network capacity for any future housing and employment demands. Redesign of junction and local widening. PROP T25 Dualling of A198 between Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts Land is safeguarded to provide for: The dualling of the A198 between the Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts and the reconfiguration of ELC (lead) Further additional road network capacity will be required to accommodate to accommodate management process. Further additional monitoring of Planning applications through the development monitoring of Planning applications through the development monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.	Action	Lead & Joint Working	flow over the railway bridge.	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost i	Progress		
improvements at the A198/B1361 Meadowmill Roundabout to provide additional network capacity for any future housing and employment demands. Redesign of junction and local widening. PROP T25 Dualling of A198 between Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts Land is safeguarded to provide for: The dualling of the A198 between the Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts and the reconfiguration of Bankton A1(T) Interchange. ELC (lead)/ Landowners ELC (lead)/ Landowners Further additional road network capacity will be required to accommodate LDP impact. Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.	PROP T24 A198/B1361 Meadowmill Ro	oundabout		·					
Land is safeguarded to provide for: The dualling of the A198 between the Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts and the reconfiguration of Bankton A1(T) Interchange. ELC (lead)/ Landowners Further additional road network capacity will be required to accommodate LDP impact. Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.	Land is safeguarded to provide for junction improvements at the A198/B1361 Meadowmill Roundabout to provide additional network capacity for any future housing and employment demands. Redesign of junction and local widening. ELC (lead) Further additional Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.								
The dualling of the A198 between the Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts and the reconfiguration of Bankton A1(T) Interchange. Landowners road network capacity will be required to accommodate LDP impact. monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process.	PROP T25 Dualling of A198 between Bo	ankton North and	Meadowmill Round	abouts					
	Land is safeguarded to provide for: The dualling of the A198 between the Bankton North and Meadowmill Roundabouts and the reconfiguration of Bankton A1(T) Interchange.	, ,	road network capacity will be required to accommodate	monitoring of Planning applications through the development					

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Activity	Status	Time: Short Medium Long	Indicative Cost i	Progress
Relevant proposals will be required to contribute to the introduction of a one way system incorporating Loch Road and High Street and Bridge Street linking Loch Road to High Street to increase capacity, improve traffic flow and maintain air quality in Tranent town centre.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals especially Policy T32 and Policy DEL1.		£449,000 (Prop T27 & T28)	Signed S75s with contributions towards NK8, NK7, NK10, PS1 and MH7.
PROP T28 Junction Improvements at B	ridge Street and (Church Street Tranen	t			
Relevant proposals will be required to contribute to the introduction of a left hand turn filter at the junction of Elphinstone Road and Edinburgh Road to increase capacity, improve traffic flow and maintain air quality in Tranent town centre.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified.	Management and monitoring of Planning applications through the development management process. Must be in accordance with all relevant proposals especially Policy T32 and Policy DEL1.		See Prop T27 above	Signed S75s with contributions towards NK8, NK7, NK10, PS1 and MH7.

*Indicative Costings

High-level costings have been approximated at this stage until more detailed feasibility assessment is undertaken and the potential for schemes to be taken forward has been fully investigated. The following points should be noted:

- Cost estimates have been prepared to a 2016 cost base where cost rates have been obtained from 'SPON's Civil Engineering and Highway Works Price Book 2016'.
- Where appropriate cost rates are not available in SPON's, they have been sourced from relevant experience that is representative of the present competitive market.
- An estimated indicative allowance has been included for future design and investigation works, which varies between 5% and 15% of total construction costs, depending on the scale and complexity of the proposals.
- The estimates do not include any costs associated with land purchase, remediation of contaminated land, unstable ground conditions, statutory and non-statutory approvals, and contract management.
- The indicative costs exclude Optimism Bias. When proposals are taken forward to feasibility stage of scheme development, which corresponds to 'STAG Stage 1: Programme Entry', an Optimism Bias of 44% would be applied.

Priority Action 3: Education Proposals

2.4 The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to existing schools in the education zones identified in the LDP to meet the need arising from proposed new housing development in each Cluster. The Council will provide additional pre-school and primary school campus land/facilities at schools in each Cluster. The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to pre-schools and primary school as required. The requirements for each Cluster are set out below. The indicative timing for delivery of these education requirements included in the table below. These timescales are based on what is set out in the capital budget and informed by 2017 Housing Land Audit. The actual timing for delivery of these education requirements will be as required.

PRIORITY ACTION 3	B EDUCAT	ION POLICIES & PR	OPOSALS		
Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
PROP ED1 M	usselburgh Cluste	r			
development in the	e Cluster. The Cou ovide additional p ne Council will pro	ncil will provide new re-school and prima vide additional pha	shment on land at expanded Wallyford to meet we permanent pre-school and primary school factory school campus land at Whitecraig Primary School permanent extension to secondary, primary ent.	ilities and campus shool as part of th	s land at Craighall and Wallyford. he allocation to the west of the
Musselburgh New Secondary School Establishment	ELC (lead) /Developers	All sites in Musselburgh zone	Education requirements to be delivered as necessary. 6.2 Ha land required. The site is identified on the Proposals Map as PROP MH11 that is linked to MH9. If this site is not available then the school will be provided within PROP MH10.	£37,884,000	MH7 Granted. MH10 and MH14 minded to grant.

Action	Lead & Joint	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale	Total project	Progress
	Working		Short (1-5 yrs)	cost	
			Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)		
Craighall Primary	ELC (lead)/	MH1 - Craighall	Education requirements to be delivered as	£14,098,500	None
School	Developers		necessary. 3.1 ha land required (MH1)		
			3.1 ha land required (Min1)		
Whitecraig	ELC (lead)/	MH2 - Land at	Education requirements to be delivered as	£5,280,000	Planning permission approved for
Primary School	Developers	Old Craighall	necessary.		part of MH2. MH14 minded to
Expansion		Village/ MH14 -	0.6ha land necessary (MH15)		grant
		Whitecraig			
		North/ MH15 -			
		Whitecraig			
		South/			
Pinkie St Peter's	ELC (lead)/	MH5- Edenhall/	Education requirements to be delivered as	£3,330,000	MH7 permitted
Primary School	Developers	MH6 -Pinkie	agreed through the master plan.		
Expansion		Mains/ MH8 -			
		Levenhall			
Wallyford New	ELC (lead)/	MH10 -	Education requirements to be delivered as	£4,896,000	School under construction.
Primary School	Developers	Dolphingstone/	necessary.	Cost relates	MH10 minded to grant
Establishment	_ 3.0.0 p 0.0	MH12-		only to MH10	
		Barbachlaw		1, 15126	
PROP ED2 Pr	⊥ restonpans Cluste				

PRIORITY ACTION	PRIORITY ACTION 3 EDUCATION POLICIES & PROPOSALS						
Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress		

The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to Preston Lodge High School to meet the need arising from new housing development in the cluster including the current Blindwells allocation (BW1). The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to pre-school and primary schools as required to meet the need arising as a direct result of new housing development.

Expansion of	ELC (lead)/	PS1 -	Education requirements to be delivered as	£8,410,000	PS1 and BW1 granted permission
Preston Lodge	Developers	Longniddry	necessary.		in principle
High School		South/ BW1 -			
		Blindwells			
Longniddry	ELC (lead)/	PS1-	Education requirements to be delivered as	£3,145,000	PS1 granted permission in
Primary School	Developers	Longniddry	necessary.		principle
		South			
Prestonpans	ELC (lead)/	PS2-	Education requirements to be delivered as	£1,248,000	Planning Permission granted
Infant Primary	Developers	Dolphinston	necessary.	(I.S.)	
School and		North			
Prestonpans				£190,000	
Primary School				(P.S.)	

PROP ED3 Blindwells Cluster

To accommodate the pupil product from the current Blindwells allocation the Council will provide education capacity as follows: secondary school capacity at Preston Lodge High School (see Prestonpans Cluster above); Temporary pre-school and primary school capacity at Cockenzie Primary School; until permanent pre-school and primary school capacity at Blindwells is delivered. If Blindwells is able to expand beyond its current allocation the Council will require the provision of a new secondary school and at least three new primary school and pre school facilities.

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
Temporary	ELC (lead)/	BW1 -	Education requirements to be delivered as	£30,000	BW1 granted permission in
Capacity at	Developers	Blindwells	necessary.		principle
Cockenzie					
Primary School					
Blindwells	ELC (lead)/	BW1 -	Education requirements to be delivered as	£15,795,000	BW1 granted permission in
Primary School	Developers	Blindwells	necessary.		principle
St Gabriel's RC PS	ELC (lead)/	BW1 -	Education requirements to be delivered as	£125,000	BW1 granted permission in
	Developers	Blindwells	necessary.		principle
PROP ED4 1	Tranent Cluster				
The Council will pro	ovide additional p	hased permanent e	extension to Ross High School to meet the need	arising from prop	osed new housing development in
the Tranent Cluster	r. The Council wil	l provide additional	pre-school and primary school campus land at \	Nindygoul Primar	ry School and potentially
Elphinstone Primar	y School. The Co	uncil will provide ad	ditional phased permanent extension to pre-scl	nools and primary	school as required.
Expansion of Ross	ELC (lead)/	All sites in	Education requirements to be delivered as	£8,832,995	None
High School	Developers	Tranent area	necessary.		
Windygoul	ELC (lead)/	TT1 - Windygoul	Education requirements to be delivered as	£5,671,000	None
Primary School	Developers	South/TT4 -	necessary.		
		Lammermoor			
		Terrrace			

		Ta			
Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
Macmerry	ELC (lead)/	TT7- Macmerry	Education requirements to be delivered as	£810,000	TT7 partially minded to grant
Primary School	Developers	North/TT9- Gladsmuir/	necessary.		
Ormiston Primary	ELC (lead)/	TT10-	Education requirements to be delivered as	£1,230,000	TT10 granted permission
School	Developers	Limeylands Road	necessary.		
Elphinstone	ELC (lead)/	TT11-	Education requirements to be delivered as	£470,000	None
Primary School	Developers	Elphinstone West	necessary.		
Pencaitland Primary School	ELC (lead)/ Developers	TT12 - Woodhall Road/TT13 - Lampockwells Rd/ TT14 - Parkview	Education requirements to be delivered as necessary.	£729,000	Planning permission approved for 115 homes on land at Lempockwells Road, Prop TT13 (14/00732/PPM)
PROP ED5 H	laddington Clust	er			
The Council will pro	ovide additional paster. The Counci	phased permanent e will provide addition	xtension to Knox Academy to meet the need a nal pre-school and primary school facilities on and primary school as required.		• ,
Expansion of	ELC (lead)/	All sites in	Education requirements to be delivered as	£6,590,000	All LDP sites granted permission
Knox Academy	Developers	Haddington	necessary.		except for Letham Mains

Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
ELC (lead)/	HN1 - Letham	Education requirements to be delivered as	£2,310,000	Development commenced at
Developers	Mains and HN2	necessary.	Cost relates	HN1 Planning permission
	- Letham Mains Expansion		only to HN2	granted for primary school 14/00534/PCL
ELC (lead)/	HN3 - Dovecot 1	Completed. For avoidance of doubt, a new	Total cost	Development commenced at
Developers	/ Dovecot 2 /	single school created after the approved	made up of	Dovecot 1, HN4, HN5 and HN7.
	HN4 - Gateside	merger of King's Meadow Primary School	several sums	Provision for hosting
	East /HN5 -	and Haddington Infant School will	from these	arrangements is agreed
	Gateside West /	temporarily host pupils for Letham Primary	developments	
	HN7 - Alderston	School.	– all sums committed.	
ELC (lead)/	HOU1 - Gifford	Education requirements to be delivered as		None
Developers	Garage site	necessary.		
unbar Cluster				
vide additional p	hased permanent e	xtension to Dunbar Grammar School to meet th	ne need arising fro	m proposed new housing
Dunbar Cluster.	The Council will pro	ovide additional phased permanent extension to	pre-schools and	primary school as required.
ELC (lead)/	All sites in	Education requirements to be delivered as	£2,650,000	First phase completed.
Developers	Dunbar zone	necessary expansions here are to be	incl appeal site	Permission for school extension
		delivered in two phases, the first of which	at Newtonlees	granted 17/00084/P.
		was delivered in 2017/18.		DR5, DR8 and DR12 permitted. DR4 minded to grant
	ELC (lead)/ Developers ELC (lead)/ Developers ELC (lead)/ Developers unbar Cluster vide additional p Dunbar Cluster. ELC (lead)/	ELC (lead)/ Developers Mains and HN2 - Letham Mains Expansion ELC (lead)/ Developers HN3 - Dovecot 1 / Dovecot 2 / HN4 - Gateside East /HN5 - Gateside West / HN7 - Alderston ELC (lead)/ Developers Garage site unbar Cluster vide additional phased permanent expansion ELC (lead)/ All sites in	Working Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Working Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs)

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
John Muir	ELC (lead)/	DR2 - Hallhill	Education requirements to be delivered as	£1,470,000incl	Planning approved for DR5 and
Campus (Lower)	Developers	North / DR5 -	necessary.	appeal site at	DR12. DR4 minded to grant
		Newtonlees /		Newtonlees	
		DR4 - Brodie			
Lochend Campus		Road / HOU 1 -		£2,844,000incl	
(Upper)		Assembly		appeal site at	
		Rooms / HOU1 -		Newtonlees	
		Belhaven			
		Hospital Field /			
		HOU1 -Coast			
		Guard Site			
West Barns	ELC (lead)/	DR6 -Beveridge	Education requirements to be delivered as	£331,778	Planning approved for DR6
Primary School	Developers	Row /DR11 - St	necessary.		Development commenced
		John's Street			
East Linton	ELC (lead)/	DR8 - Pencraig	Education requirements to be delivered as	£1,071,000	Planning approved for DR8
Primary School	Developers	Hill	necessary.		

PRIORITY ACTION 3 EDUCATION POLICIES & PROPOSALS									
Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress				
PROP ED7	North Berwick Cl	ustor							

The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to North Berwick High School to meet the need arising from proposed new housing development in the North Berwick Cluster. The Council will provide additional pre-school and primary school campus land at North Berwick High School and Law Primary School. The Council will provide additional phased permanent extension to pre-schools and primary school as required.

North Berwick	ELC (lead)/	All sites in North	Education requirements to be delivered as	£7,280,000	Planning approved for:
High School	Developers	Berwick zone	necessary.		NK1, NK4, NK5, NK6, NK7, NK8
					and NK10
					NK3 under construction.
					The initial stages of consultation
					on the expansion of NBHS have
					commenced
Law Primary	ELC (lead)/	NK4 - Tantallon	Education requirements to be delivered as	£781,520 –	Planning approved for NK4 and
School	Developers	Road / NK5 -	necessary.	relates to NK4	NK5.
		Ferrygate Farm		-	Development commenced
				development	
				is not included	
				in current	
				school	
				expansion	
				works	

Action	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant site	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)	Total project cost	Progress
Gullane Primary	ELC (lead)/	NK7 - Saltcoats /	Education requirements to be delivered as	£2,505,000	Planning approved for Fire
School	Developers	HOU1 - Fire Training School / NK8 -Fentoun Gait East / NK9 - Fentoun Gait South	necessary.		Training School (NK6) Planning approved for NK7. Planning approved for NK8 Development commenced at NK6 and NK8
Aberlady Primary	ELC (lead)/	NK10 -Aberlady	Education requirements to be delivered as	£800,000	Planning approved for NK10
School	Developers	West	necessary.		Development commenced

Priority Action 4: Sport & Leisure Facilities

2.5 Sports halls and sports pitches, changing facilities and general purpose rooms in some school campuses will be available for community use in addition to facilities in existing sports centres or community facilities. Notwithstanding this shared use of facilities, there will be a need to provide additional sports pitches and changing accommodation capacity to meet the additional demand that will be generated by the new development proposed by the LDP. The following table sets out the level of additional Sports Facilities Provision required in each contribution zone.

PRIOORITY ACTION 4 SPORT & LEISURE	FACILITIES					
Provision Required	Comments	New Total Project Cost	No. of Eligible LDP Dwellings	Contributing Sites	Delivery Lead	Indicative Timescale Short (1-5 yrs) Medium (5-10 yrs) Long (10-15 yrs)
Craighall						
Craighall-3 x full size grass sports pitch provision-3ha required: costs given are for construction of pitches only – no land costs identified	Grass required - not all- weather	£555,000	1550	Craighall (MH1), Newton Farm (MH2)	ELC /Developers	Short-term
6 team changing facility		£960,000	1550	Craighall (MH1), Newton Farm (MH2)	ELC /Developers	Short-term
Wallyford						
For existing Wallyford 1450 allocation and proposed LDP allocation (600) a total of 2	All Outdoor Sports provision should be co-located. The 1 x3G pitch and 1 x grass pitch	£185,000	600	Dolphinstone (MH10)	ELC /Developers	Short-term

grass and 1 all-weather pitches are required. This is a net increase of 1grass pitch. For existing 1450 and proposed LDP600	identified for the Established developments to be colocated with additional 1 x grass = 2 grass and 1 x 3G in total	£401,000	600	Dolphinstone	ELC	Short-term
dwellings, a 6team changing facility is required (4 team changing already agreed)		1401,000	800	(MH10)	/Developers	Short-term
Whitecraig						
1 x full size grass sports pitch		£185,000	500	Whitecraig South (MH14, Whitecraig North (MH15)	ELC /Developers	Medium to long term
2 team changing pavilion linked to new full sized sports pitch		£450,000	500	Whitecraig South (MH14, Whitecraig North (MH15)	ELC /Developers	Medium to long term
Longniddry						
1 x full size grass sports pitch	Provide all formal sports infrastructure within new development/Urban Park 2 team changing Pavilion no longer required. Instead will utilise existing changing pavilion in recreation park as	£ 185,000	450	Longniddry South (PS1)	ELC /Developers	Short-term

	long as safe access routes are in place.					
Tranent						
1 x full size grass sports pitch linked to developments at Windygoul South.	Within 1 ha land south of Windygoul PS, Tranent-costs £185K included for construction of pitch. Title of land to be transferred to Council	£185,000	670	Windygoul South (TT1), Lammermuir Terrace (TT4)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium term
Enhance provision within Polson Park including upgrade to existing 11aside grass park Elphinstone		£21,297	200	Lammermuir Terrace (TT4), Bankpark (TT5)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium term
Contribution towards modest refurbishment of existing pavilion	To take account of increased usage arising from increase in population	£50,000	80	Elphinstone (TT11)	ELC /Developers	Short-term
Blindwells						
3 full size grass community sports pitches		£550,000	1600	Blindwells (BW1)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium- term
6 team changing pavilion	Pavilion to include referee room, storage and social space	£960,000	1600	Blindwells (BW1)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium- term
1 x cricket wicket		£8,000	1600	Blindwells (BW1)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium- term

4 tennis court provision with changing pavilion as part of main facility		£200,000	1600	Blindwells (BW1)	ELC /Developers	Short to medium- term
Haddington						
Land required for additional 7 a side grass pitch 60m x 40m informal recreational area within Letham development	costs are for construction of pitch-excluding land costs	£92,500	275	Letham Mains Expansion (HN2)	ELC /Developers	Short-term
Dunbar						
1 x full size grass sports pitch at Hallhill	Area for community sports pitch identified east of the Primary School, south of Hallhill	£185,000	495	Hallhill North (DR2), Brodie Road (DR4), Newtonlees South (DR12), Abbeylands, Abbeylands Garage, Belhaven	ELC /Developers	Medium term

2 x team changing extension to Hallhill Healthy Living Centre	£300K allowance	£300,000	495	Hospital Field, Coastguard Site, Assembley Rooms	ELC /Developers	Medium term
Gullane						
Improve quality of existing 11 a side grass pitch in Recreation Park (Levelling/drainage) to take account of increased usage		£18,191	195	Saltcoats (NK7), Fenton Gait East (NK8), Fenton Gait South (NK9)	ELC /Developers	Short-term
Land required south of the school site and construction of new additional 7 a side football pitch-overall 70 x 50		£92,500	195	Saltcoats (NK7), Fenton Gait East (NK8), Fenton Gait South (NK9)	ELC /Developers	Short term
Aberlady						
Improve drainage to increase capacity and usage of existing 11 a side grass pitch		£12,323	100	Aberlady West (NK10)	ELC /Developers	Short term

3 LDP Guidance

3.1 This Sections deals with the remaining guidance, policies and proposals not mentioned in earlier parts of the Programme. The Local Development Plan contains a set of policies and proposals. A policy is usually thought of as a rule to guide decisions. It captures the Council's broad intentions. A proposal is usually site specific and states a plan to do something. The tables below set out the remaining guidance, policies and proposals not mentioned above and the actions needed to implement them to successfully deliver the LDP.

Policy	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short Medium Long	Progress
Waste Management Supplementary	Planning Guidance				
Policies: W1, W2, W3, W4	ELC (lead)/	All in East	Draft		
	Developers	Lothian	Document		
The Waste Management SPG will be	adopted as Supplementai	ry Planning Guidance ar	ាd will form a non	-statutory part of	the East Lothian Local
Development Plan. It will be used in	the determination of plan	ning applications in the	East Lothian area	, but does not se	t a framework for the scale or type
of development. The SPG will guide v	waste management on a s	ite by site basis in line v	with the Local Dev	elopment Plan po	olicies and will promote positive
steps to better manage waste issues	in new developments and	densure that schemes of	consider appropria	ate waste manage	ement techniques.
Farm Steadings Design Guidance Su	ipplementary Planning G	uidance			
Policies: DC1, DC2, DC3, DP5	ELC (lead)/	All in East	Draft		Public Consultation June – July

The East Lothian Local Development Plan supports the restoration of architecturally important rural buildings. This should be done in a way that maintains or complements the layout and appearance of traditional rural buildings or groups of buildings. The Farm Steading Design Guidance will be adopted as Supplementary Planning Guidance and will form a non-statutory part of the East Lothian Local Development Plan to provide advice for use at preapplication planning discussions. The SPG will guide development of specific farm steading conversions throughout East Lothian in line with the Local

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Policy	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short Medium Long	Progress
Development Plan policies. It will of development.	be used in the determination o	of planning application	ons within this area	a, but does no	t set a framework for the scale or typ
Blindwells Development Area Des	ign Framework				
Policy BW3	ELC (lead)/ Developers / Landowners / SEPA /SNH (other key agencies may	Blindwells	Draft Document		
Mixed use allocation including circ 6,000 homes with more employme		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		_	n expansion to the east to around
Town Centre Strategies SPG	a. 1,600 homes, 10 hectares of ent land and other mixed land	uses including a sub-	regional town cen	_	
6,000 homes with more employme	a. 1,600 homes, 10 hectares of	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		_	Strategies will be reviewed and updated as appropriate based o regular health checks.
6,000 homes with more employments Town Centre Strategies SPG Policies: TC1, TC2, TC3 The town centre strategies will pro-	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community Councils / Amenity Societies ovide a vision for each town ce	Tranent, Prestonpans, Haddington, Dunbar, North Berwick	Draft Document local environment	tre.	Strategies will be reviewed and updated as appropriate based o regular health checks.
6,000 homes with more employments Town Centre Strategies SPG	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community Councils / Amenity Societies ovide a vision for each town ce	Tranent, Prestonpans, Haddington, Dunbar, North Berwick	Draft Document local environment	tre.	Strategies will be reviewed and updated as appropriate based o regular health checks.

GUIDANCE ACTION 1 ADOPTION	OF LOCAL DEVELOPMI	ENT PLAN SUPPLEME	NTARY PLANNING	GUIDANCE	
Policy	Lead & Joint Working	Dependant Sites Allocation / Application	Timing & Next Steps	Time: Short Medium Long	Progress
The SPG updates policy in line with the r consideration for the number of wind fa unacceptable damage to the landscape,	rm proposals in East Lot	hian and it must ensu	re wind farm prop	•	•
Countryside Around Towns (CATs) SPG			T		
Policy DC8	ELC (lead)/ Developers / Landowner	East Lothian	Draft Document		
Special Landscape Areas SPG Policy DC9	ELC (lead)/	East Lothian	Draft		To be issued for public
Policy DC9	Developers / Landowner/	East Lothian	Document		consultation in Autumn 2018
The Council has assessed the East Lothia and Historic Environment Scotland. The Supplementary planning guidance on Sp a Statement of Importance for each. De	Plan designates Special ecial Landscape Areas w	Landscape Areas and vill identify the bound	the boundaries o	f these areas are	shown on the Proposals Map.
Green Network Strategy SPG					
Policy DC10	ELC (lead)/ Adjoining Local Authorities/ SUStrans / SEPA	East Lothian	Draft Document		To be issued for public consultation in Autumn 2018

Policy	Lead & Joint	Dependant Sites	Timing & Next	Time:	Progress
	Working	Allocation /	Steps	Short	
		Application	_	Medium	
				Long	
ne Green Network Strategy will id	dentify, describe and illustrate	e where and how to de	eliver new or impr	oved green infra	structure, including as part of new
evelopment. The Council will hav	e regard to its Green Networ	k Strategy when assess	sing planning appl	ications.	
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Cultural Heritage and the Built En	vironment CDC				
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-	ELC (lead)/	East Lothian	Draft		Public Consultation June – July
-		East Lothian	Draft Document		Public Consultation June – July 2018
olicy CH2	ELC (lead)/ Developers		Document	ning decisions m	2018
olicy CH2 Conservation Area designation is u	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of speci	al architectural or hist	Document oric interest. Plan	-	2018
Conservation Area designation is uppearance of a Conservation Area	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specions of speci	al architectural or hist There are currently 30	Document oric interest. Plandesignated Conse	rvation Areas in	2018 Just ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own
Conservation Area designation is uppearance of a Conservation Area listinctive character. Conservation	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specion is preserved or enhanced.	al architectural or histo There are currently 30 for 29 Conservation Ar	Document oric interest. Plan designated Conse eas and the more	rvation Areas in comprehensive	2018 Sust ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own Conservation Area Character
Conservation Area designation is usuppearance of a Conservation Area distinctive character. Conservation Appraisal for Inveresk Conservation	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specions is preserved or enhanced. The Area Character Statements in Area will be set out in this Statements.	al architectural or histo There are currently 30 for 29 Conservation Ar	Document oric interest. Plan designated Conse eas and the more	rvation Areas in comprehensive	2018 Sust ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own Conservation Area Character
Colicy CH2 Conservation Area designation is use pearance of a Conservation Area distinctive character. Conservation Appraisal for Inveresk Conservation Conservation Standards for New Housing	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specion is preserved or enhanced. The Area Character Statements in Area will be set out in this Statements of Areas SPG	al architectural or histo There are currently 30 for 29 Conservation Ar	Document oric interest. Plan designated Conse eas and the more	rvation Areas in comprehensive	2018 Just ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own Conservation Area Character Inning decisions.
Conservation Area designation is usuappearance of a Conservation Area distinctive character. Conservation Appraisal for Inveresk Conservation Design Standards for New Housing	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specions is preserved or enhanced. The Area Character Statements in Area will be set out in this Statements.	al architectural or history There are currently 30 for 29 Conservation Are SPG. The guidance will	Document oric interest. Plan designated Conse eas and the more be a material con	rvation Areas in comprehensive	2018 Sust ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own Conservation Area Character
Conservation Area designation is usuppearance of a Conservation Area distinctive character. Conservation Appraisal for Inveresk Conservation	ELC (lead)/ Developers used to identify areas of specions is preserved or enhanced. In Area Character Statements in Area will be set out in this Some areas SPG ELC (lead)/ Developers	al architectural or historier are currently 30 for 29 Conservation Ar SPG. The guidance will East Lothian	Document oric interest. Plan designated Conse eas and the more be a material con Draft Document	rvation Areas in comprehensive sideration in plai	2018 Just ensure that the character or East Lothian and each has its own Conservation Area Character Inning decisions. To be issued for public consultation in Autumn 2018

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
GROWING OUR	ECONOMY AND COMMUNITIES			
GENERAL URBA	N DEVELOPMENT POLICIES			
Policy TC1: 'Town Centre First' Principle	East Lothian's town centres are a key element of the area's economic and social fabric, acting as service hubs for the areas around them and contributing to local identity. The Council supports the 'town centre first' principle, which promotes an approach to decision-making that considers the health and vibrancy of town centres.	 A sequential 'town centre first' approach will be applied where appropriate to development proposals that would attract significant footfall. Management and monitoring of planning applications through the DM process to monitor compliance with policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy TC2: Town and Local Centres	Within a town or local centre, uses that will be acceptable in principle include retailing, business and office use, restaurants, leisure and entertainment and the principle of a change of use from one of these uses to another will be supported.	 Regular retail health checks Preparation of Town Centre Strategies which will also inform LDP2. Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Proactive meetings with local retail representatives. Awareness of changing economic and shopping patterns and 	ELC (lead)/ Developers / Local traders	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		continued protection the existing centres.		
Policy TC3: Protection of Local Facilities	Within smaller villages changes of use of the last shop or public house will only be permitted where there is evidence that the premises is no longer viable.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community	Ongoing
Policy TC4: Hot food Outlets	Hot food take-aways have the potential to raise particular issues for local residential amenity due to noise and smell, and road safety resulting from parking impacts.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community	Ongoing
Policy RCA1: Residential Character and Amenity	The predominantly residential character and amenity of the existing or proposed housing areas will be safeguarded from the adverse impact of uses other than houses.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community	Ongoing
PLANNING FOR	EMPLOYMENT	1	<u> </u>	
Policy EMP1: Business and	Within areas allocated for business and employment, uses within Use Classes 4, 5 and 6 are supported. Other employment	Prepare development briefs as appropriate.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Community	Ongoing

GUIDANCE ACTION 2 LOCAL PLAN POLICIES & PROPOSALS					
Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress	
Employment Locations	generating uses may also be supported in these locations subject to Policy TC1 and provided there would be no amenity conflicts or other unacceptable impacts.	 Safeguard other business land from inappropriate alternative uses. Direct business and tourism proposals towards Business Locations. 			
Policy EMP2: Operational Harbours	Within harbours areas the Council will give preference to uses that relate to fishing or other industry connected with the harbour. The council will consider other uses provided they do not prejudice these uses.	 Permit only proposals which do not undermine strategic purposes of the harbours. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Harbour Operators/ Developer/ Community	Ongoing	
TOURISM Policy TOUR1: Archerfield Estate, Dirleton	Continue to support the principle of high quality golf based hotel, leisure and recreation development provided these will not have an adverse effect upon the integrity of the Firth of Forth SPA.	 Permit only proposals which do not undermine strategic purposes of the SPA. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Archerfield Estate	Ongoing	
Policy TOUR2: Belhaven Chalets	Support the continued use of the Belhaven chalets as holiday accommodation.	Permit only proposals which do not undermine strategic purposes of the SPA.	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Community	Ongoing	

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies.		
Policy TOUR3: Dunbar Vaults	Continue to support the principle of proposals for a commercial or tourist related development.	 Permit only proposals which do not undermine strategic purposes of the SPA. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Community	Ongoing
Policy TOUR4: Hotels and Guest Houses	Proposals for the change of use of hotels and guest houses will be resisted unless it can be clearly demonstrated that all reasonable efforts have been made to retain the property.	 Steer business and tourism proposals towards these Locations. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Community	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
PLANNING FOR	HOUSING			
Policy HOU1: Established Housing Land	The Council continues to support the development of the established housing land supply in East Lothian, including the effective land supply as well as unconstrained and constrained sites, as set out in Housing Land Audit 2015.	 Monitor effectiveness of land supply, site phasing and completions through Housing Land Audit process. Prepare development briefs as appropriate. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate SG. 	ELC (lead)/ Homes for Scotland / Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing
Policy HOU2: Maintaining an Adequate 5 Year Effective Housing Land Supply	In line with the Scottish Government's current national planning policy and advice, if there is not 'enough' effective housing land in East Lothian for the next five years, a presumption in favour of development that contributes to sustainable development will be a significant material consideration in the determination of proposals for housing development on land not identified by this Plan as suitable in principle for that purpose.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Regular monitoring through the Housing Land Audit, the Local Housing Strategy and the Strategic Housing Needs and Demand Assessment. Council may decide to support housing proposals on land where this is not supported in principle by the LDP, but such a move must be consistent with all other 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing

GUIDANCE ACTION 2 LOCAL PLAN POLICIES & PROPOSALS					
Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress	
		relevant policies especially SDP Policy 7, Policy HOU2, Policy NH1 and those on design.			
Policy HOU3: Affordable Housing Quota	Development proposals that in their totality will bring forward 5 or more dwellings must make provision for 25% of the total number of housing proposed for the site to be affordable.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with all relevant policies and Must be consistent with the Affordable Housing SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Housing Associations	Ongoing Supplementary Planning Guidance on Affordable Housing will be adopted.	
Policy HOU4: Affordable Housing and Tenure Mix	A wide range of housing tenures can be affordable. A wide tenure mix and delivery partners can help ensure housing, including affordable housing, is delivered. The LDP's policies and proposals take this and the need for affordable housing into account.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with all relevant policies and Must be consistent with the Affordable Housing SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations/ District Valuer	Ongoing Supplementary Planning Guidance on Affordable Housing will be adopted.	
Policy HOU5: Residential Care & Nursing Homes – Change of Use	Change of use will not be supported unless continued use as a care home is not operationally viable, and it is impossible to make it so either by investment or sale to another operator.	 Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policy. Regular assessment through the Local Housing Strategy and the Strategic Housing Needs and Demand Assessment. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing Supplementary Planning Guidance on Affordable Housing will be adopted	

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		Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.		
Policy HOU6: Residential Care & Nursing Homes – Location	Developers of residential care and nursing homes are encouraged to use sites within settlements.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing
Policy HOU7: Housing in Multiple Occupation	Where planning permission for a change of use to a House in Multiple occupations is required it will be supported providing it meets the policy criteria.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing
Policy HOU8: Gypsy/ Traveller Sites	The Council is supportive of the principle of further small, privately-owned Gypsy/Traveller sites.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)	Ongoing

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EDUCATION, CO	MMUNITY AND HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE FAC	ILITIES		
Policy SECF1: Safeguarded Education and Community Facilities	The continued use of land currently occupied by education and community facilities is supported. Shared use by relevant service providers will be encouraged where appropriate.	 Management and monitoring of planning applications, particularly in relation to sites associated with education requirements. Must accord with Policy DEL1: Infrastructure and Facilities Provision and Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
PROP CF1 – Provision of New Sports Pitches and Changing Accommodati on	Development proposals for 5 or more homes must make provision for the delivery of new sports pitches and changing accommodation in the relevant contribution zone.	 Must also accord with Policy DEL1: Infrastructure and Facilities Provision and Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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HEALTH AND SO	OCIAL CARE FACILITIES			
Policy HSC1: Health Care Sites	East Lothian Council supports the wider provision of locally accessible health care facilities through the retention of adequate land for health care use. Where land was last used for public health care, alternative uses will not be considered unless the Council is satisfied the land is no longer needed.	Management and monitoring of planning applications, particularly in relation to sites associated with health requirements.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Health Care Providers	Ongoing
PROP HSC2 – Health Care Facilities Proposals	NHS Lothian and the East Lothian Health and Social Care Partnership have identified proposals to help address demand for services and additional projects may also be identified in future.	Management and monitoring of planning applications, particularly in relation to sites associated with health requirements.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Health Care Providers	 A new East Lothian Community Hospital and Campus at the site of Roodlands Hospital in Haddington is scheduled to open in 2020. Additional GP capacity has recently been delivered in Ormiston, Tranent and Musselburgh.

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OPEN SPACE AN	ID PLAY PROVISION					
Policy OS1: Protection of Open Space	The loss of areas of open space that have significant amenity or recreational value will be resisted by the Council, unless their function is not harmed or appropriate alternative provision can be made locally.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the terms of the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing		
Policy OS2: Change of use to Garden Ground	Change of use of public open space to garden ground will be supported if it will not result in unacceptable loss of visual or recreational amenity.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the terms of the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing		
Policy OS3: Minimum Open Space Standard for New General Needs Housing Development	The Council's Open Space and Sports Pitch Strategy 2012 assesses the supply of recreational facilities and open space against existing and anticipated demand. This has informed the Council's site-specific development requirements for such facilities. The land take for such requirements will contribute towards the overall open space requirement of Policy OS3.	 Must accord with Policies DP1, DP2 and DP4. Must also accord with Policy DEL1: Infrastructure and Facilities Provision and Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance and the Development Briefs SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing		

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Policy OS4: Play Space Provision in new General Needs Housing Development	In providing for play, the needs of children of all ages and abilities should be taken into account. Opportunities for play should be provided as an integral part of the layout and design of development.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy OS5: Allotment Provision	As provision of allotment space is a statutory duty, the Council must plan for future provision.	 Developers to make provision for land within their masterplans for the delivery of allotments as appropriate. Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the terms of the policy and be consistent with Policy OS3. 	ELC (lead)/ Community Councils/ Developers	Ongoing
PROP OS6 – Allotment Sites	The Council's allotment strategy will seek to prioritise provision of allotment space for each cluster area within each cluster area as deemed necessary.	 Developers/applicants to make provision for land within their masterplans for the delivery of allotments as appropriate. Planning applications will be managed and monitored 	ELC (lead)/ Community Councils/ Developers	Ongoing

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		through the DM process to ensure compliance with the terms of the policy and be consistent with Policy OS5.		
OUR INFRASTR	UCTURE & RESOURCES			
TRANSPORT				
Policy T1: Development Location and Accessibility	New Development shall be located on sites that are capable of being conveniently and safely accessed by foot and by cycle, by public transport as well as by private vehicle, including adequate car parking.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. Master plans for certain proposals to incorporate the need for Travel plans. Regular interaction with statutory bodies to ensure coordinated action. React to any change appropriately ensuring sustainable transport and strategic projects are 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		implemented in line with development requirements.Must also accord with Policy DEL1		
Policy T2: General Transport Impact	New development should have no significant adverse effects on road Safety, walking and cycling, travel times etc.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. Must be consistent with Policy DEL1. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	Ongoing
PROP T3: Segregated Active Travel Corridor	The Council will develop a new segregated active travel corridor within East Lothian.	 Complete Transport Appraisal / Modelling Work in partnership with different stakeholders, including adjoining Local Authorities when appropriate Must be consistent with the Developer Contributions Framework SG Must be consistent with Policy T32 and Policy DEL1. 	ELC (lead)/ Sustrans/ SEStran/ Scottish Government/ Developers/ local community	Medium to Long term

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Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy T4: Active Travel	The Council will protect its existing core path and active travel networks and ensure that	 Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. Planning applications will be managed and monitored 	ELC (lead)/ Sustrans/	Ongoing
Routes and Core Paths as part of the Green Network Strategy	new development does not undermine them, including the convenience, safety and enjoyment of their use.	through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. • Must be consistent with Policy DEL1 and Policy DC10	SEStran/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	
PROP T5: Cycle Route Network	The Council will develop and enhance the cycle route network with a Cycling Strategy for East Lothian.	 Must be linked to regional and national strategies. Consideration for Policy T9 safeguards identified in priority Action 2. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	ELC (lead)/ Sustrans/ SEStran Scottish Government	Medium to Long term
Policy T6: Relocation of road Space and Pedestrian	Ensure that people have access to safe walking routes within urban areas, including to transport interchanges.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Transport Scotland	Ongoing

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Crossing Points				
Policy T7: Information Technology	Opportunities to develop these technologies are promoted to encourage greater use of sustainable transport options.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy T8: Bus Network Improvements	Council is committed to maintaining bus services throughout the county. Where new development is located within a less accessible location, or where a development would support provision of a new service that is not currently viable, the developer may be required to make a financial contribution towards an agreed level of service for a period of time.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. React to any change appropriately ensuring sustainable transport and strategic projects are implemented in line with development requirements. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Transport Scotland/ Bus Operators	Ongoing
PROP T12: Railway Station Safeguarding at East Linton	Safeguard land for new East Linton station, carpark and access.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. HRA will be required. 	ELC (lead)/ Network Rail (lead)/ SEStran /Transport	Short / medium term

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		 Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	Scotland / Landowner / SNH	
PROP T13: East Coast Main Line: Four Track Section, New Rail Station and Vehicular Overbridge	Safeguard land for new four line section of track and new rail station, carpark, access and new East Coast Mainline over-bridge.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy HRA will be required. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	ELC (lead)/ Network Rail (lead)/ SEStran / Transport Scotland / Landowner / SNH	Long term aspirational
Policy T14: Longniddry – Haddington Route Safeguard	The Council recognises the potential of the former Longniddry-Haddington branch rail line to be re-used as a public transport link between Haddington, western East Lothian and Edinburgh in the longer term.	Regular interaction with statutory bodies to ensure coordinated action.	ELC (lead)/ Network Rail/ Train operator/ Transport Scotland/SEStran/ Local Access Forum	Long term aspirational

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PROP T18: Land Safeguarded for Trunk Road Interchange at Adniston and Eastern Tranent By- pass	Land for potential new trunk road interchange is safeguarded. The Council will continue to investigate the feasibility of a new trunk road interchange at Adniston and an eastern Tranent by-pass, including further assessment and modelling work.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Actively pursue the implementation of the projects identified in priority Action 2. 	ELC (lead)/ Landowner/ Transport Scotland	Long term aspirational
Policy T19:	Council will support and encourage a	 Planning applications will be 	ELC (lead)/	Ongoing
Transport	programme for transport improvements to	managed and monitored	Sustrans/SEStran/	
Improvements	Musselburgh town centre to improve traffic	through the DM process to	Developers	Will promote Traffic
to	flow and air quality, including the	ensure compliance with the		Regulation Orders where
Musselburgh	management of vehicles, parking provision,	policy.		necessary.
Town Centre	public transport improvements and enhanced	Must accord with Policies T32		
	pedestrian and cycle routes.	and DEL1.		
Policy T23:		 Planning applications will be 	ELC (lead)/	Ongoing
Transport	of transport improvements to the A198 and	managed and monitored	Sustrans/SEStran	
Improvements	Meadowmill Roundabout if required to	through the DM process to	Developers/	Will promote Traffic
to A198,	improve traffic flow, public transport provision	ensure compliance with the	Transport	Regulation Orders where
Meadowmill	and enhanced pedestrian and cycle routes.	policy.	Scotland	necessary.
Roundabout				

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and Bankton interchange		 Must accord with Policies T32 and DEL1. 		
Policy T26: Transport Improvements to Tranent Town Centre	Council support and encourage a programme of transport improvements to Tranent Town Centre if required to improve traffic flow, public transport provision and enhanced pedestrian and cycle routes.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must accord with Policies T32 and DEL1. 	ELC (lead)/ Sustrans/ SEStran/ Developers	Ongoing Will promote Traffic Regulation Orders where necessary.
Policy T29: Town Centre Parking Strategy	The Council will seek to implement its parking strategy to improve efficiency of the current supply and reduce the negative impacts of parking within settlements.	Monitor effectiveness of policy.	ELC (lead)/ communities	Ongoing
Policy T30: Road Safety and 20mph Limits	The Council shall develop a road safety plan to further invest road safety and introduce 20mph speed limits and zones in residential areas.	Monitor effectiveness of policy.Develop Road Safety Plan.	ELC (lead)/ communities	Ongoing
Policy T31: Electric Car and Bus	Council will encourage and support the principle of introducing electric vehicle charging points around both existing and proposed community facilities.	 Monitor effectiveness of policy. Developers will be encouraged to consider EV charging points during the DM process 	ELC (lead)/ Scottish Government/ Developers	Ongoing

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Charging Points				
Policy T32: Transport Infrastructure Fund	A package of transport interventions to mitigate the cumulative impact of development on the transport network.	 Monitor effectiveness of appropriate policies. Must be consistent with Policy DEL1. 	ELC (lead) Sustrans/SEStran Transport Scotland/ Developers	Ongoing
DIGITAL COMMU	JNICATION			
Policy DCN1:	Council support digital communications	 Planning applications will be 	ELC (lead)/	Ongoing
Digital Communi cations Networks	infrastructure in principle provided it will not have unacceptable environmental impacts.	managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	Developers	
Policy DCN2: Provision for Broadband Connectivity in New Development	Development proposals of 5 or more homes or proposals for employment generating uses with a floor area of 100m2 or larger shall make provision for deliverable opportunities for digital infrastructure.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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Policy OI1: Pipeline Consultation Zone	All planning applications that are within the consultation distance of a notable installation will be referred to the HSE.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ HSE	Ongoing
Policy OI2: Torness Consultation Zone	All relevant planning applications received within a 3km radius of the Torness Generating Station will be referred to the Office of Nuclear Regulation.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ ONR	Ongoing
Policy OI3: Edinburgh Airport Safeguarding Zone:	All planning applications for wind turbine developments within the zone as identified will be notified to the operators of the Edinburgh Airport.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Edinburgh Airport	Ongoing
ENERGY GENER	ATION, DISTRIBUTION AND TRANSMISSION			
Policy SEH1: Sustainable Energy and Heat	Council supports in principle the 'energy hierarchy' and promotes energy-efficient design in new developments. Community heat schemes are encouraged where they do not harm amenity.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy Energy statements will be required for determination Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised 	ELC (lead)/ Developer/ Heat Network Partnership / SEPA	Short term

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Policy SEH2: Low and Zero Carbon Generating Technologies	The Council is legally obliged to include a policy in the LDP that requires all new development to be designed to ensure new buildings 'avoid a specified and rising proportion of the projected greenhouse gas emissions' through use of low and zerocarbon generating technologies (LZCGT).	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice to encourage energy efficiency and carbon reduction. Stay up to date with emerging government advice on energy efficiency and carbon reduction. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing
WIND TURBINES Policy WD1: Wind Farms	SPP requires the Council to produce a spatial framework for onshore wind farm	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers/	Ongoing
	development in accordance with a prescribed methodology, dividing the area into three groups, and to identify areas of strategic capacity.	the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.Monitoring of appeals and decisions.	Renewable Energy Industry/ communities	
Policy WD2: Smaller Scale Wind Turbine Developments	Proposals for smaller scale wind development will generally have more local impacts and the spatial framework will not be relevant in guiding developers. Proposals below 12m in height will generally be acceptable where they	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy and the East Lothian Supplementary 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ communities	Ongoing

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	have a clear visual or operational relationship with other development.	Landscape Capacity Study for Smaller Wind Turbines.		
Policy WD3: All Wind Turbines	All freestanding wind turbine and wind farm proposals require to be considered against a number of factors.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with WD1 and WD2. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ communities	Ongoing
Policy WD4: Access Tracks	Access tracks serving wind turbines can sometimes be visually intrusive and can raise issues of drainage, including from lack of maintenance. Such impacts will also require to be assessed	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Renewable Energy Industry/ communities	Ongoing
Policy WD5: Re-powering	Subject to compliance with policies WD3 and WD1 or WD2 as appropriate, proposals for repowering of existing wind turbines and wind farm sites will only be supported if they use existing infrastructure where possible.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must accord with WD3 and/or WD1 or WD2. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Renewable Energy Industry/ communities	Ongoing
Policy WD6: Decommission	All wind turbines must be decommissioned and the site restored to an appropriate condition with an agreed timescale.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Renewable	Ongoing

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ing and Site Restoration		the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.A Decommissioning Strategy may be required.	Energy Industry/ communities	
PROP EGT1 - Former Cockenzie Power Station	The site is safeguarded as a site for future thermal power generation and Carbon Capture and Storage and renewable energy-related investment.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. HRA will be required. Must be consistent with 'National Development 3' in the NPF3. 	ELC (lead)/ Scottish Ministers (lead)/ Developers / SNH	Ongoing
PROP EGT2 - Torness Power Station	It is expected to remain operational until at least 2030 and continues to be safeguarded for power generation.	 If power generation ceases during the lifetime of the LDP the Council will seek to facilitate necessary works associated with decommissioning. A Decommissioning Strategy may be required. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing
PROP EGT3 – Forth Coast Area of Co-	Council supports the principle of electricity grid connections on the Forth coast to	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers / SNH	Ongoing

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ordinated Action	facilitate off-shore energy generation provided certain criteria are met.	 the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. A HRA will be required. Developers to work together to minimise impacts by combining infrastructure where possible. 		
Policy EGT4: Enhanced High Voltage Electricity Transmission Network	Council supports enhancement of the high voltage electricity network in appropriate locations.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Removal of any redundant lines. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing
Policy W1: Waste Management Safeguards	Existing and committed waste management sites are safeguarded by the Plan.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy Safeguarding of sites in policy. Must adhere to the Scottish Government's Zero Waste Plan 2010. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing
Policy W2: Waste	Waste Management development will be supported in principle on sites allocated for employment. Any proposals for 'Energy for	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing

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Management Developments	Waste' facilities should enable links to be made to potential users of renewable heat and energy.	 the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with Policy EMP1 and Policy SEH1. 		
Policy W3: Waste Separation and Collection	All new development should include appropriate provision for waste separation and collection.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with the Waste (Scotland) Regulations and Zero Waste Plan. Council will finalise a Waste Management SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing
Policy W4: Construction Waste	Site Waste management plans should be submitted with all planning applications for major developments.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Requirement for Waste Management Plans. Must be consistent with Zero Waste Plan. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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MINERALS				
Policy MIN1: Protection of Mineral Reserves	Mineral reserves should be protected from sterilisation.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with other relevant policies. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing
PROP MIN2: Safeguard Oxwellmains Limestone Quarry	The existing operational Quarry is safeguarded for the continued extraction of this mineral resource.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Safeguarding of sites listed in the policy. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing
PROP MIN3: Safeguard Longyester and Skaterraw Sand and Gravel Quarries	The existing operational sand and gravel Quarries are safeguarded for the continued extraction of this mineral resource.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Safeguarding of sites listed in the policy. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing

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PROP MIN4: Safeguard Bangley and Markle Mains Hard Rock Quarries	The existing I hard rock Quarries are safeguarded for the continued extraction of this mineral resource.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Safeguarding of sites listed in the policy. 	ELC (lead)	Ongoing
Policy MIN5: Mineral Resources	Proposals for the winning and working of minerals including hard rock, sand and gravel and limestone will not, normally be permitted, with some exceptions granted.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing
Policy MIN6: Opencast Coal Extraction	Proposals for Opencast coal extraction will be supported where they are proven to be acceptable.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with Policy MIN8. 	ELC (lead)/ Developer	Ongoing
Policy MIN7: Onshore Oil and Gas	The extraction of onshore oil and gas, including copal bed methane and associated infrastructure will only be supported where it is proven to be acceptable.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with Policy MIN8. 	ELC (lead)/ /Developer	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy MIN8: Mineral Extraction Criteria	Proposals for surface mineral extraction or for the extraction of onshore oil or gas or coal bed methane will only be permitted where there will be no significant impact on the environment or local community.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Consideration for PAN50 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy MIN9: Supporting information	Proposals for surface mineral extraction and for the extraction of onshore oil and gas including coal bed methane must be supported by specific details in the policy.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Method Statement required. Must be consistent with other appropriate policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
MIN10: Restoration and Aftercare	The quality of restoration and the after use of minerals sites are key considerations that will be taken into account before planning applications for mineral working are determined.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC / Developer	Ongoing
MIN11: Prior Extraction of Shallow Coal	Proposals for new built development within the East Lothian Coalfield that would result in the unnecessary permanent sterilisation of known workable reserves of shallow coal will	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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	only be permitted if there is an overriding need for the development.	Must be consistent with other appropriate policies.		
DIVERSE COUN	TRYSIDE AND COASTAL AREAS			
Policy DC1: Rural Diversification Policy DC2: Conversion of	The Council supports the principle of new built development in the countryside to accommodate an appropriate countryside use or other business, tourism or leisure development. Conversions of appropriate buildings on the countryside to residential use will be	managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with policies NH1 and DC6. Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing Ongoing
rural buildings to housing	supported where they meet the terms of the policy.	the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.Pre-application advice will be available.		
Policy DC3: Replacement dwellings in the countryside	As a further exception to the general presumption against new housing in the countryside, replacement of an existing permanent dwelling may be supported in some limited circumstances.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Provide pre-application advice 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy DC4: New Build	The Plan has a general presumption against new housing in the countryside, but	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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housing in the countryside	exceptionally a new house may be justified on the basis of an operational requirement of a rural business.	the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. • Provide pre-application advice		
Policy DC5: Housing as enabling development	The Council may exceptionally be willing to support an element of new build housing as enabling development to help deliver another form of development (other than for residential development or infrastructure) that is supported in principle in a countryside location under policy DC1.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy DC6: Development in the Coastal Area	Development proposals in coastal locations will be assessed against the qualities of the coastal area and other relevant Plan policies for the location, including those on development in the countryside where relevant.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy DC7: Development in the Edinburgh Green Belt	To ensure that the benefits of the green belt are maintained new development is generally restricted to limited circumstances. Proposals will also be assessed against relevant countryside or coastal policies.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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		Must be consistent with other appropriate policies.		
Policy DC8: Countryside Around Towns	There are a number of areas beyond the Edinburgh Green Belt that are also subject to development pressure but should be retained as open or undeveloped. Countryside Around Town designations will apply and their objectives will be to conserve the landscape setting, character or identity of certain towns and villages.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with other appropriate policies. CAT Areas Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
DC9: Special Landscape Areas	The Council has assessed the East Lothian landscape in accordance with Guidance on Local Landscape Designations produced by Scottish Natural Heritage and Historic Scotland.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. SLA Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised. 	ELC (lead)/ SNH/HES/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy DC10: The Green Network	All relevant DEVELOPMENT must contribute to the Green Network in accordance with the relevant Development Brief and the Council's SPG.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy and SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

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Policy DC11: Roadside Advertisements	The display of advertisements in the countryside has the potential to harm its character and appearance, and it is therefore necessary to control such development	 Must be consistent with relevant development briefs. Green Network Strategy to be finalised. Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
OUR NATURAL	AND CULTURAL HERITAGE		<u> </u>	
Policy NH1: Protection of Internationally Designated Sites	If a development proposal is likely to have a significant effect on a Natura 2000 or Ramsar site either individually or cumulatively with other projects (and is not directly connected to its nature conservation management), the Council must carry out an Appropriate Assessment under the Habitats Regulations to establish the implications for site's conservation interest and if there would be any adverse effect on the integrity of the Natura 2000 site.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ SNH	Ongoing

GUIDANCE ACTI	ON 2 LOCAL PLAN POLICIES & PROPOSAL	S		
Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy NH2: Protection of Sites of Special Scientific Interest and Geological Conservation Review Sites	Development that would adversely affect a SSSI or GCR site will only be permitted where it can meet the terms of the policy.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be considered against Policy NH3. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ SNH	Ongoing
Policy NH3: Protection of Local Sites and Areas	Development that would adversely affect the interest of a Local Nature Conservation Site, Local Nature Conservation or Country Park will only be permitted where it is demonstrated that any damage to the natural heritage interest or public enjoyment of the site is outweighed by the public benefits of the development to the local area and suitable mitigation will be secured.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy NH4: European Protected Species	Proposals that may have an impact on European protected species will only be permitted where they meet the terms of the policy.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		Provide pre-application advice Must be consistent with the ELBAP.		
Policy NH5: Biodiversity and Geodiversity Interests, including Nationally Protected Species	Developers must demonstrate, where relevant, how impacting on biodiversity and geodiversity have been addressed as part of their proposals. Sufficient supporting information should be submitted.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. Must be consistent with the ELBAP. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy NH6: Geodiversity Recording and Alternative Exposures	Where it is not possible to retain a significant geodiversity feature in situ, it should be recorded prior to development. Where such an exposure will be lost and it is practicable to provide an alternative, this may be required.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy NH7: Protecting Soils	The Council aims to reduce adverse impacts on soils, avoid where possible development on prime agricultural land, and consider climate changes impacts of developing certain soil types.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Landowner	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy NH8: Trees and Development	The aim of policy on trees is to give protection to trees and woodland, in fulfilment of the Council's biodiversity duty and as an important part of promoting sustainable development.	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Landowners	Ongoing
Policy NH9: Water Environment	Where relevant, new development should protect and, where appropriate, enhance the water environment.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must be consistent with WFD and WEWS, Flood Risk Management Plans and SEPA's Indicative River and Coastal FloodMap. Remain up to date with legislation and guidance from Government and statutory bodies and ensure compliance with emerging policy. Close liaison with key agencies particularly Scottish Environment Protection Agency, Scottish 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ SEPA/Landowners /Riparian owners/Scottish Water/SNH	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		Water, and Scottish Natural Heritage.		
Policy NH10: Sustainable Drainage Systems	All development proposals must demonstrate that appropriate provision for SUDs has been made.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Close liaison with key agencies particularly Scottish Environment Protection Agency, Scottish Water. Must be consistent with WFD and WEWS, Flood Risk Management Plans and SEPA's Indicative River and Coastal FloodMap. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ SEPA/ Scottish Water /SNH	Ongoing
Policy NH11: Flood Risk	Development that would be at an unacceptable risk of flooding will not be permitted.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Careful attention to flood risk as part of the DM process and through the statutory 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ SEPA/ Scottish Water	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		requirements imposed by the Flood Risk Management Plan. • Awareness of emerging legislation and reacting appropriately.		
Policy NH12: Air Quality	Impacts on Air Quality will be taken into account in assessing development proposals, particularly within and close to any Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available. Careful attention to air quality as part of the DM process and through the statutory requirements imposed by the AQMP. Awareness of emerging legislation and reacting appropriately. Air Quality Action Plan to be finalised October 2016. 	ELC/Transport Scotland/ Developer	Ongoing

GUIDANCE ACT	ION 2 LOCAL PLAN POLICIES & PROPOSAL	.S		
Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy NH13: Noise	The impact of noise will be taken into account when assessing relevant development proposals.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will be available with Council's Environmental Protection Service. Noise impact Assessments must be consistent with PAN1/2011 Awareness of emerging legislation and reacting appropriately. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
CULTURAL HERI				
Policy CH1: Listed Buildings	Internal or external alterations or extensions to listed buildings will only be permitted where they do not harm the architectural or historic character of the building.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Awareness of emerging legislation and reacting appropriately. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy CH2: Development Affecting Conservation Areas	All development proposals within or affecting a Conservation Area or its setting must be located and designed to preserve or enhance the special architecture or historic character or appearance of the Conservation Areas.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Cultural Heritage and the Built Environment Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised Comprehensive Conservation Area Character Appraisals and Management Plans to replace Character Statements. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing
Policy CH3: Demolition of an Unlisted Building in a Conservation Area	Demolition of an unlisted building within a Conservation Area requires Conservation Area Consent. Where a building makes a positive contribution to the area it should be retained.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Cultural Heritage and the Built Environment Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised. Comprehensive Conservation Area Character Appraisals and Management Plans to replace Character Statements. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		 Consideration to be given to relevant Development Briefs. 		
Policy CH4: Scheduled Monuments and Archaeological Sites	The preservation in situ of important archaeological remains will always be preferred. Where development is proposed within areas of archaeological potential the developer must commission and make available to the Planning Authority, an archaeological assessment as part of any planning proposals. If significant archaeological remains are uncovered, the developer is encouraged to make provision for public accessibility and community involvement.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Comprehensive Conservation Area Character Appraisals and Management Plans to replace Character Statements. Consideration to be given to relevant Development Briefs. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing
Policy CH5: Battlefields	The effect of proposed development on the historical and archaeological significance of designated battlefield areas is a material planning consideration. Development should not adversely impact on the archaeological resource or the landscape context, including key views to from or within the battlefield.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Comprehensive Conservation Area Character Appraisals and Management Plans to replace Character Statements. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy CH6: Gardens and Designed Landscapes	Impacts of development proposals on gardens and designed landscapes will be a material planning consideration. Planning applications that may affect a garden or designed landscape will not be permitted.	 Consideration to be given to relevant Development Briefs. Battlefields Supplementary Planning Guidance to be finalised. Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Awareness of emerging legislation and reacting appropriately. Consideration to be given to relevant Development Briefs. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES	Ongoing
Policy CH7: Greywalls, Gullane Policy CH8:	Development that harms the landscape setting of Greywalls and its associated Designed Landscape will not be permitted. This greenfield land forms a prominent open	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Consideration to be given to relevant Development Briefs. Planning applications will be 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES ELC (lead)/	Ongoing
West Road Field, Haddington	area on the approaches to the town centre, framing the housing surrounding it on three sides and allowing for expansive southern	managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy.	Developers/ HES	

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
Policy CUO	views. In so doing it contributes to the character and appearance of the Conservation Area. It may be possible to accommodate some limited, carefully located and well-designed housing, appropriate to its site and location.	Comprehensive Conservation Area Character Appraisals and Management Plans to replace Character Statements.	EIC (lood)/	Ongoing
Policy CH9: High Street/Inch View, Prestonpans	In considering development proposals on vacant or underused land on the coastal side of High Street/Inch View, the Council must be satisfied that the overall amenity of the area will not be harmed by the loss of important seaward views.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ HES/SNH/SEPA	Ongoing
DESIGN				
Policy DP1: Landscape Character	New development must integrate with the existing landscape and townscape of the area, maximise the potential to make connections with the surroundings and reflect local vernacular architectural styles.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Preparation of Design Standards for New Housing SPG. Adoption of Development Briefs 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
DP2: Design	The design of all new, with the exception of change of use and alterations and extensions to existing building must adhere to the policy criteria.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Preparation of Design Standards for New Housing SPG. Adoption of Development Briefs SPG. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
DP3: Housing Density	All new housing sites will be expected to achieve a minimum average density of 30 dwellings per ha (net) using a full range of housing types and sizes.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Pre-application advice will give guidance on housing mix. Master plans for the strategic development opportunities reflect this as a key priority. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing
Policy DP4: Major Development Sites	Where major housing, employment or mixed use development is proposed, the developer must provide sufficient information from the outset to allow the design quality of the whole development to be assessed and secured.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Master plans for the strategic development opportunities 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/ Housing Associations	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		reflect this requirement as a key priority. • Adoption of Development Briefs SPG.		
DP5: Extensions and Alterations to Existing Buildings	Extensions and alterations must be well designed and respect the character of the existing building and its surroundings. Generally, any alteration or extensions of, an existing building should be designed to appear as an integral part of the original building.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
DP6: External Security (unlisted buildings and buildings out with a Conservation Area)	External security should be designed to allow the frontage and display area of the building to remain visible.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Policy CH2 may apply. Must be consistent with all associated polices and guidance. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers/HES	Ongoing
Policy DP7: Infill, Backland and Garden Ground Development	In built up areas, infill sites and backland sites can be suitable for new development.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
		All proposals for infill and backland development must be consistent with the general development policies outlined in DP1 and DP2.		
Policy DP8: Design Standards for New Housing Areas	East Lothian Council requires that high quality design principles are incorporated into the design and layout of all new developments.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy Must adhere to Design Standards for New Housing Areas SPG and any other relevant policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
Policy DP9: Development Briefs	Proposals for the development of sites that are subject to a Development Brief must conform to the relevant framework or brief.	 Planning applications will be managed and monitored through the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. Must adhere to Development Briefs SPG and any other relevant policies. 	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing
DELIVERY				
Policy DEL1: Infrastructure	New development will only be permitted where the developer makes appropriate provision for infrastructure and community	Planning applications will be managed and monitored through	ELC (lead)/ Developers	Ongoing

Policy	Policy content	Action	Lead & Joint Working	Timings and Progress
and Facilities Provision	facilities required as a consequence of their development.	the DM process to ensure compliance with the policy. • Must adhere to Developer Contributions Framework Supplementary Guidance as well as other plans and guidance as relevant.		

3.2 To enable additional development in East Lothian further investment will be required from NHS Lothian and developers to meet the health care needs of an increased population. It should be noted that nearly all GP practices in the county are run by GPs as independent contractors and developer contributions for expansion of existing premises will not be sought. However, NHS Lothian will require new premises for GP services at Blindwells, and developer contributions will be required. Following representations received on the 2016 Proposed Plan, the Reporter agreed with the Council's position that it is justified to seek developer contributions towards primary healthcare facilities at Blindwells. It is still the intention of the HSCP not to ask for developer contributions for any area, bar Blindwells. NHS Lothian and the East Lothian Health and Social Care Partnership have identified a number of proposals to help address demand for services within East Lothian. The table below sets out the key proposals and interventions.

HEALTH CARE FACILITIES PROPOSALS					
Location	Intervention	Cost (including contingency)	Developer Proportion	Dependant Sites	Delivery Lead
MUSSELBURG	Н				
General Practitioner Services / Community Health Services	The two Musselburgh Practices: Riverside and Inveresk are accommodated in purpose-built premises in the Musselburgh Primary Care Centre completed in 2012. Although the building can accommodate projected population growth in and around Musselburgh, the two Practices are at capacity and would need to recruit further GP and practice team staff to accommodate the projected increase in population. This is a revenue issue not appropriate to address via developer contributions.	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/ East Lothian Health and Social Care Partnership

Location	Intervention	Cost (including contingency)	Developer Proportion	Dependant Sites	Delivery Lead
PRESTONPAN	S				
General	To meet existing population growth a £2m renovation and extension of	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/
Practitioner	Prestonpans Group Practice was completed in 2017.				East Lothian
Services /	An extension to The Harbours Medical Practice in Cockenzie is also				Health and
Community	planned. Housing developments south of Longniddry will require				Social Care
Health	increased primary care provision for circa 1,500 people. The HSCP will in				Partnership
Services	due course arrange for GP cover for the area concerned. Edinburgh				
	Road/Dolphingstone development, which will house 600 people, is				
	covered by Riverside Practice, having previously been outside existing				
	practice boundary area catchments. This is a revenue issue not				
	appropriate to address via developer contributions.				
TRANENT					
General	Having been extended (£1.5m extension completed in 2014), Tranent	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/
Practitioner	Medical Practice has sufficient capacity to respond to the circa 500				

Location	Intervention	Cost (including contingency)	Developer Proportion	Dependant Sites	Delivery Lead
Services /	population growth resulting from committed developments. However,				East Lothian
Community	the proposed developments will create extra pressure and there is a				Health and
Health	need for on-going monitoring to measure the success of newly				Social Care
Services	established practice in meeting anticipated demands over time. Any				Partnership
	additional demand beyond the capacity of Tranent Medical Practice				
	would need to be met by expansion of existing facility. Land is				
	safeguarded in Tranent for expansion of the medical practice.				
ORMISTON					
General	As Ormiston Practice is within a new building it has spare capacity to	N/A	N/A		NHS Lothian/
Practitioner	respond to the population growth expected within its catchment area.				East Lothian
Services /					Health and
Community					Social Care
Health					Partnership
Services					
BLINDWELLS					
General	Initial development of a new GP Practice for Blindwells residents might	Capital and	£1,800,000	Blindwells	NHS Lothian /
Practitioner	first be accommodated in the short term within another practice until	land issue.		1600	East Lothian
Services /	new dedicated premises provision in Blindwells is available. The first	Currently no			Health and
Community	stage requirement for primary care premises on the Blindwells site would serve 5,000 patients and would need approximately 600m ² of	site size			Social Care
Health	premises to accommodate a GP practice and attached services – this	identified but			Partnership/
Services	would be at an initial cost of around £1.8m which could be provided by a	initial cost of			Developer
	developer in a way other than capital contribution.	£1,800,000			Contributions
	The approval of planning permission for BW1 makes provision for such capacity to be provided.				

Location	Intervention	Cost (including contingency)	Developer Proportion	Dependant Sites	Delivery Lead
HADDINGTON					
General	Current housing commitments will create pressure on the three existing	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/
Practitioner	practices: Lammermuir Medical Practice, The Orchard Medical Practice				East Lothian
Services /	and Tyne Medical Practice, which are all within the Newtonport Surgery				Health and
Community	building, which is under considerable space pressure and has very				Social Care
Health	limited potential for extension. Possible relocations options, such as				Partnership
Services	onto the new East Lothian Community Hospital site in Haddington are				
	identified in the LDP.				
DUNBAR					
General	The Dunbar Medical Centre accommodates three Practices: Cromwell	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/
Practitioner	Harbour Medical Practice, Lauderdale Medical Practice and Whitesands				East Lothian
Services /	Medical Practice. The Practices have some room to grow to meet the				Health and
Community	committed population growth of 2,500 and the further population				Social Care
Health	growth.				Partnership
Services					
EAST LINTON					
General	The impact on East Linton Surgery from population growth is expected	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Practitioner	to be minor.				
Services /					
Community					
Health					
Services					

Location	Intervention	Cost (including contingency)	Developer Proportion	Dependant Sites	Delivery Lead			
NORTH BERW	NORTH BERWICK							
General Practitioner Services / Community Health Services	With a projected increase in population of circa 1,800 people, North Berwick Group Practice will be unable to cope and will need to be extended or reprovided. Potential locations for this either separate or related to the reprovision of the services with Edington Hospital are being considered by the HSCP.	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/ East Lothian Health and Social Care Partnership			
GULLANE								
General Practitioner Services / Community Health Services	The new building accommodating Gullane Medical Practice has inbuilt capacity sufficient to respond to projected population growth.	N/A	N/A	N/A	NHS Lothian/ East Lothian Health and Social Care Partnership			

4 Monitoring and Assessment for LDP Review

- 4.1 The Council has a statutory duty under section 16 (b) of the Planning etc. (Scotland) Act 2006 to keep its Local Development Plan up to date and relevant. The Development Plan must be reviewed at least every five years and a Monitoring Report that measures the effectiveness of the Plan, its policies and proposals must be published regularly. The Monitoring Report will set out performance against the indicators contained in a Monitoring Framework and inform future reviews of both the Action Programme and the LDP itself.
- 4.2 It is intended that the Action Programme will be a live working document, and will be subject to its own monitoring and review process that will occur more frequently than review of the LDP.

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