

LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

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

Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan Up to 2031 Adoption Statement

Leicestershire County Council formally adopted the Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan Up to 2031 on 25th September 2019.

Independent Inspectors appointed by the Government examined the Local Plan following its submission to the Secretary of State in March 2018. The Inspectors' Report was issued on 21 May 2019 and concluded that, subject to a number of main modifications, the Local Plan would be sound and should be adopted. The adopted Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan Up to 2031 includes the Inspectors' recommended main modifications and additional modifications that (taken together) do not materially affect the Local Plan policies.

The adopted Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan includes a spatial vision, strategic objectives, and core policies which set out the key principles to guide the future extraction of minerals and the form of waste management development in the County over the period to the end of 2031. For the County of Leicestershire the Plan replaces the Leicestershire Minerals Core Strategy and Development Control Policies Development Plan Document (DPD), and the Leicestershire and Leicester Waste Core Strategy and Development Control Policies DPD (adopted in October 2009), together with remaining saved policies in the Leicestershire Minerals Local Plan (1995) and the Leicestershire, Leicester and Rutland Waste Local Plan (2005).

The adopted Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan Up to 2031, Policies Map documents, the Adoption Statement, the Sustainability Appraisal Report and Adoption Statement and the Inspectors' Report can be viewed on line and downloaded at: <https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/environment-and-planning/planning/minerals-and-waste-local-plan/local-plan-adoption>

and are available for inspection free of charge at County Hall, Glenfield, Leicester LE3 8RA between the following hours:

Monday-Thursday: 8.30am – 5pm

Friday: 8.30am – 4.30pm

Members of the public wishing to view the documents at County Hall are advised to contact the planning team by emailing planningcontrol@leics.gov.uk or phoning 0116 305 1085.

Any person aggrieved by the adoption of the Leicestershire Minerals and Waste Local Plan Up to 2031 may make application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Act 2004 on the grounds that:

- a. the document is not within the appropriate power; and/or
- b. a procedural requirement has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made not later than six weeks after the adoption date.