



Adoption Statement for the Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Local Plan

In accordance with Regulations 17, 26 and 35 of the Town and County Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012, notice is hereby given that the new Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Local Plan was adopted by Nottinghamshire County Council on the 18th of September 2025.

The Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Local Plan covers the whole administrative area of Nottinghamshire and Nottingham and provides the land use planning strategy for waste development up to 2038. It is the basis for determining waste applications within both authorities, with any relevant proposal assessed against its policies. It replaces entirely the Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Core Strategy (adopted 2013) and the saved policies of the Waste Local Plan (adopted 2002).

The Waste Local Plan forms part of the Local Development Framework for Nottingham City Council and the District and Borough Councils within Nottinghamshire. Therefore, applications for non-waste development proposals will need to consider policies within the Waste Local Plan. Similarly, applications for waste development will need to consider adopted policies within the relevant Councils Local Plan.

The Waste Local Plan was subject to an independent Examination in Public from March 2024 to June 2025, undertaken by Inspector Stephen Normington who was appointed by the Secretary of State. The Inspector's report was issued on the 10th of June 2025 and concluded that, with the inclusion of Main Modifications, the Plan is sound and legally compliant. The adopted Waste Local Plan incorporates all the recommended Main Modifications as well as Additional Modifications made by the Council's, which do not materially affect the Plan.

In accordance with Regulations 26 and 35 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (as amended), the adopted Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Local Plan, the Sustainability Appraisal Report, this Adoption Statement and the Inspector's Report have been published and are available to view online on the [Waste Local Plan](#) webpage.

Paper copies of the Waste Local Plan are available at both Council offices of County Hall and Loxley House. If you cannot access the documents online or in these locations, please do contact us.

Any person who may be aggrieved by the Nottinghamshire and Nottingham Waste Local Plan can make an application to the High Court under Section 113 (3A or 3B) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (as amended) on the specific grounds that:

- a) the document is not within the appropriate power of the planning authority conferred by Part 2 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (as amended); and/or
- b) a procedural requirement has not been complied with.

An application may not be made without the leave of the High Court, and an application for leave must be made no later than the end of a period of six weeks from the date of the adoption. With the Plan adopted by the County Council on the 18th of September, any such application must be made no later than the **30th of October 2025**.

If you have any questions or require the documents in an alternative format, please contact our customer service team by telephone on 0300 500 80 80 or email us at planning.policy@nottscc.gov.uk