

SALT CROSS AREA ACTION PLAN (AAP)

ADOPTION STATEMENT

In accordance with Regulation 26 and 35 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 notice is hereby given that West Oxfordshire District Council adopted the Salt Cross Area Action Plan ('the Plan') on 25th February 2026.

The Plan was the subject of two independent examinations conducted by Inspectors appointed by the Secretary of State. In their reports of March 2023 and January 2026 respectively, the Inspectors confirmed that subject to a number of Main Modifications the Plan was sound and recommended its adoption.

The recommended Main Modifications have been included in the Plan which now carries full weight in the consideration of relevant planning applications.

Any person aggrieved by the Plan may make an application to the High Court under Section 113(3) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the grounds that:

- (a) the Plan is not within the powers conferred by Part 2 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004; or
- (b) a procedural requirement of the Act or its associated Regulations has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made no later than 6 weeks after the date of adoption by the Council (25th February 2026).

The Plan is available to view on the Council's website at www.westoxon.gov.uk/gardenvillage together with this adoption statement and the AAP Sustainability Appraisal report.

Copies are also available at the Council's Main Office:

Woodgreen Office
Council Offices
Witney
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A copy of this adoption statement will be sent to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government.

For further information please contact the Council's Planning Policy Team on 01993 861667 or email planning.policy@westoxon.gov.uk