

Wyre Forest District Local Plan (Adopted January 2004)

List of Local Plan policies 'saved' beyond 27th September 2007 and those policies which lapsed¹

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¹ Policies 'saved' by virtue of Direction under paragraph 1(3) of Schedule 8 to the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 issued by the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government on 7th September 2007.

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