

What is an LAP?

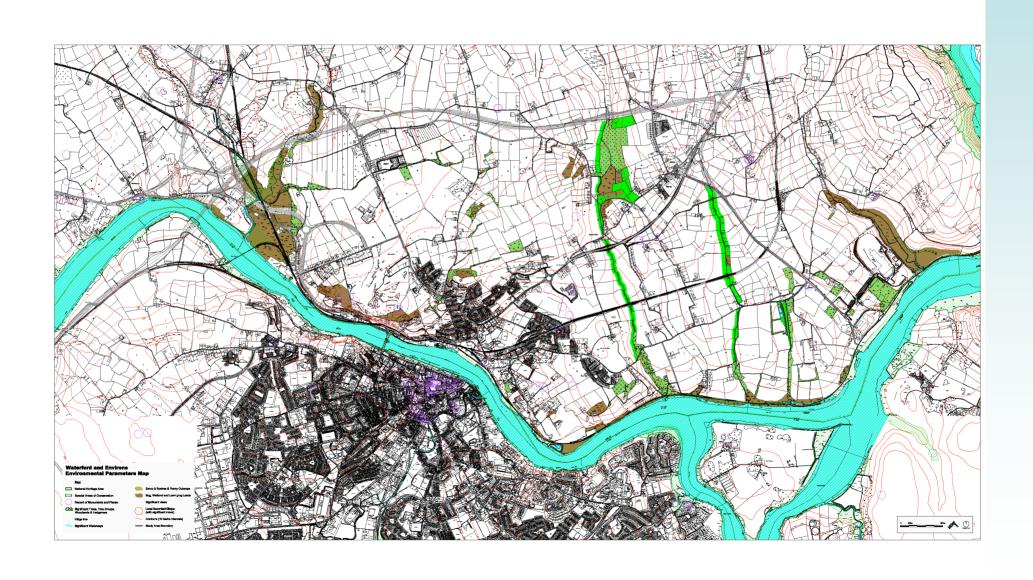
- Statutory Legal Document
- Prepared in Consultation with the Local Community and Elected Members
- 6 year time frame
- Provides a framework on how the Area can develop
- Sets out the strategy for the proper planning and sustainable development of an area
- Consists of a written statement and a plan indicating objectives
- Highlighting such areas of planning such as Housing, Infrastructure, Economic Development, Natural Environment, Urban Design, Amenity and Open Space
- All future planning applications will be measured against the contents of the Adopted Plan

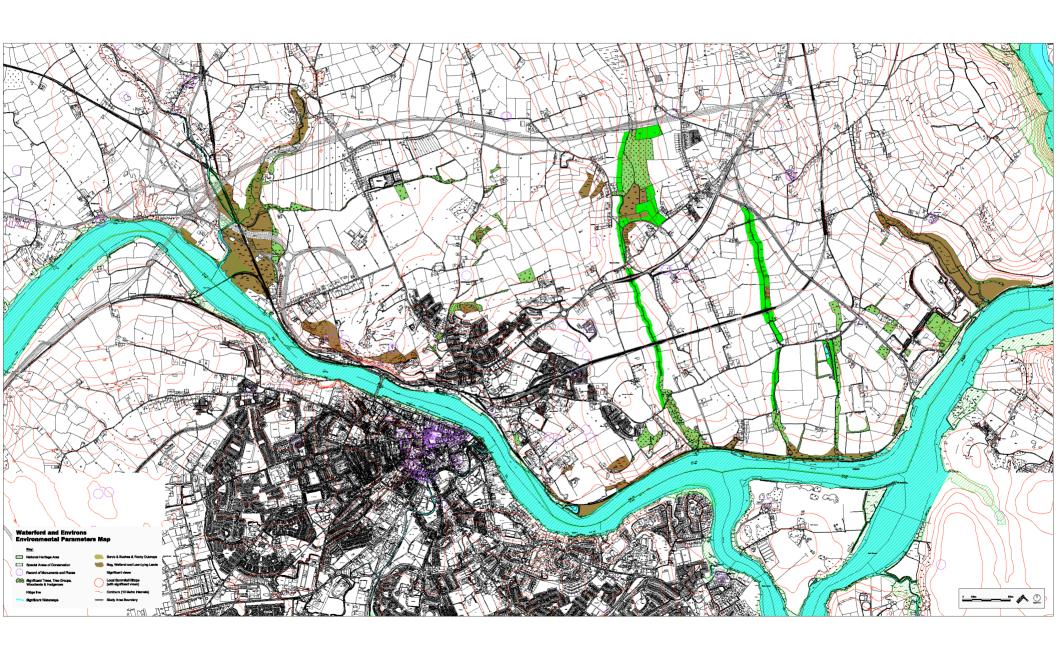




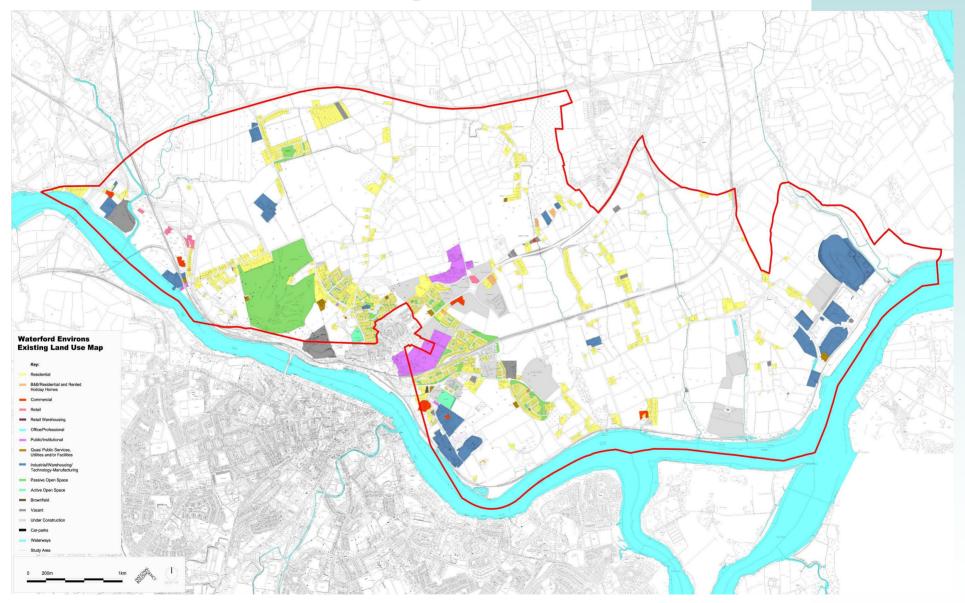


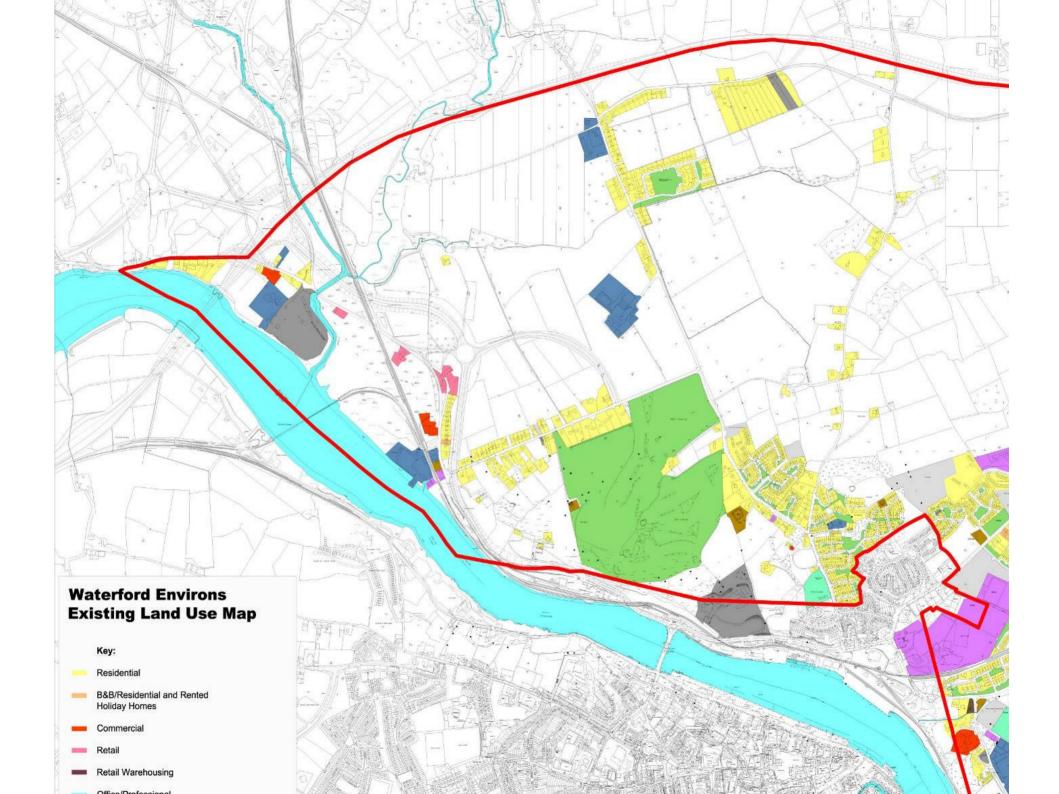
Environmental Parameters

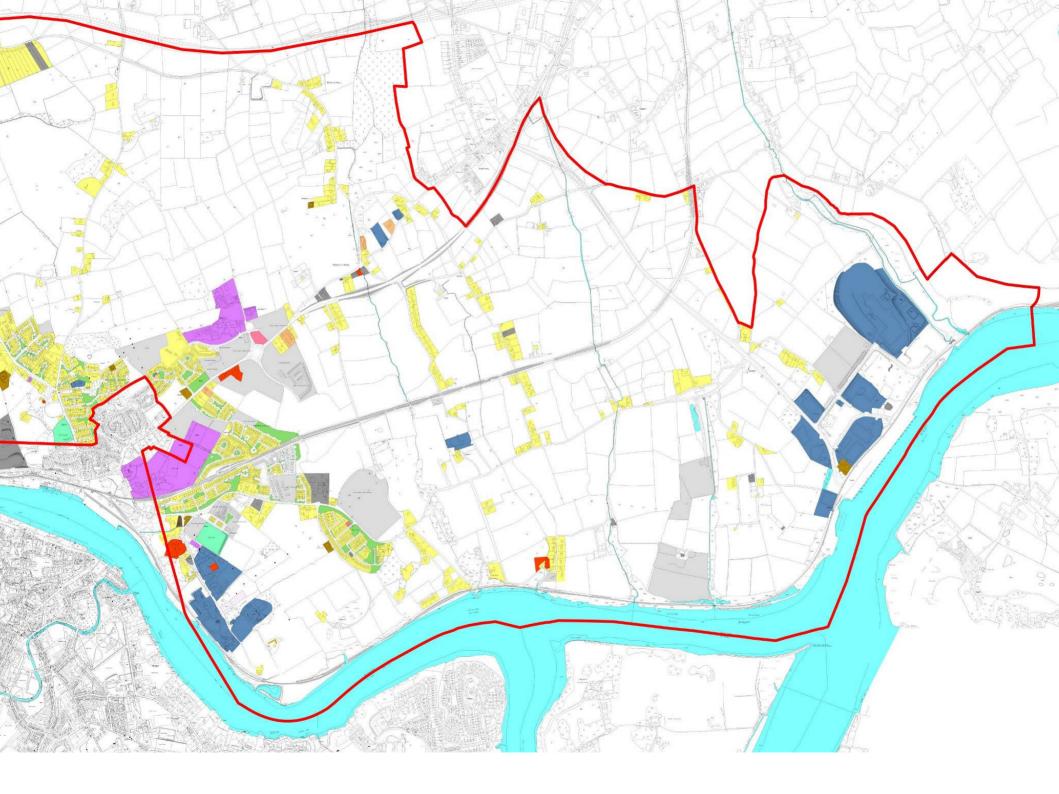




Existing Land Uses







This evening's discussion 14 January 2008

- Focusing on how you want the Area to develop in future years
- How would you like to see the Area grow?
- What areas would you like to see protected from development?
- What areas do you feel are suitable for the different forms of development, i.e. Residential, Business, Retail, Open Space, Community Facilities?







Topics for Discussion

- 1. Infrastructure, including Roads, Traffic, Parking, Public Transport, Access, Pedestrian Connections, Cycleways, Water Supply, Drainage and Sewerage Capacity. Other issues may include linkages to Waterford City, access, circulation and surface issues
- 2. Urban Centre- Creation, Improvementsfootpaths, lighting, entrances to town, litter bins etc







- 4. Zoning of Lands for Residential, Mixed Use, Commercial, Open Space, Community Uses, Business & Industry etc.
- 5. Identification of the Development Boundary
- 6. Sustainable and Renewable Energy – Alternative energy, Building Green Houses







7. Natural Environment – Wildlife
Areas, the River Suir and associated environmentally designated areas, wetlands, stream corridors, woodlands, hilltops, significant tree groupings and hedgerows, stone walls, open spaces other amenity areas.







- 8. Architectural and Archaeological Protection
- Remnants of the past, built fabric of the area







Population Projections

According to the Waterford Planning Land Use & Transportation Study (PLUTS) population growth is forecast to be 4,407 persons between 2009-2014 so therefore we need to identify potential development lands to cater for this Increase.



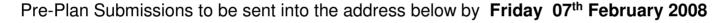




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