

APPLICATION AND STOCK INFORMATION

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Customers can now access their existing applications or register their new applications online via our self service portal. Just go to https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/tenants-selfservice and choose 'Application' from the menu at the top. You can view your current choices and update your current housing circumstances as and when they change.

When you update your application online it will move into a suspended status for the attention of our allocations team. They will then review the changes to see if your points will change and then confirm the changes making the application live again.

The information in this document is provided to help applicants understand the demand and capacity of our housing. There are many thousands of applicants seeking to be housed with us with many different kinds of households and needs.

Some of the information will contain 'double counts'. Because applicants can choose multiple areas, property types and bedroom sizes they will be included more than once when we count them. Tables that include application information will have this and tables that look at stock information will not.

Sometimes there might not be information for parts of this report. If there are no results at all the table will still be shown but only as a set of headings.

This information was correct on the day the information was taken from our housing management system but will be subject to change.

FAULDHOUSE AND THE BREICH VALLEY

STOCK INFORMATION

How many properties does the council have in this ward?

The following table shows the types of properties that the council manages for permanent accommodation. On our housing management system there are fourteen property types. This has been simplified by grouping similar types

There are no double counts in the tables below

BUNGALOWThis includes all single storey properties including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	12	0	0	0	0	0
Breich	3	0	0	0	0	0
Fauldhouse	24	19	1	0	0	0
Longridge	13	13	7	0	0	0
Polbeth	34	6	1	0	0	0
Stoneyburn	24	2	4	0	0	0
West Calder	11	3	5	0	0	0

HOUSE

These are all non-bungalows (2 floors or more) including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	0	37	73	0	0	0
Breich	0	5	17	4	0	0
Fauldhouse	0	98	110	4	1	0
Longridge	0	22	36	0	0	0
Polbeth	0	97	89	5	0	0
Stoneyburn	0	44	64	4	0	0
West Calder	0	44	19	9	5	0

BLOCK OF FOUR

These block of four properties may have a shared entrance or each property may have its own entrance

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	4	77	60	10	0	0
Breich	0	29	8	1	0	0
Fauldhouse	55	172	24	0	0	0
Polbeth	0	48	39	12	0	0
Stoneyburn	0	71	26	0	0	0
West Calder	27	71	18	1	0	0

FLATS

Includes all flats and maisonettes. A maisonette is a flat with two floors and an internal staircase

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Fauldhouse	9	65	36	0	0	0
Polbeth	13	5	3	0	0	0
West Calder	3	4	0	0	0	0

SHELTERED

This is special housing for older or vulnerable customers who may need support

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How many properties might be available soon in this area?

Customers give us a month's notice when ending their tenancy. In some cases we might know a little further ahead, for example when a customer is moving from one tenancy to another. Properties in this termination notice period as known as terminating tenancies.

Please note that due to mutual exchanges, succession and assignation a terminating tenancy might not be offered to applicants.

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This includes all single storey properties including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Fauldhouse	1	0	0	0	0	0

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Fauldhouse	0	1	0	0	0	0
West Calder	0	1	0	0	0	0

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Fauldhouse	1	1	1	0	0	0
West Calder	0	1	0	0	0	0

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FAULDHOUSE AND THE BREICH VALLEY

APPLICATION INFORMATION

What are the points levels for applications choosing housing in this area?

The following table shows the number of applications choosing areas in this ward grouped by points. If you know the points of your application first look at which point group you would fall into and then the areas in this ward that interests you.

Houses are generally offered to applications with the highest points but there are examples where this might not happen. The most likely reason is when one of our tenants moves into a new build property. As most of the properties under that programme have been built this happens less often.

As applications can have more than one area selected there will be double counts in the table below.

Point Groups	Addiewell	Breich	Fauldhouse	Longridge	Polbeth	Stoneyburn	West Calder
3000 to 3500	1	1	1	1	2	1	2
2500 to 3000	2	2	2	2	3	2	3
2000 to 2500	7	7	8	9	11	10	22
1500 to 2000	27	20	31	41	53	29	70
1000 to 1500	84	65	96	99	135	83	200
500 to 1000	147	118	165	171	231	162	349
201 to 500	465	413	576	563	658	521	992
1 to 200	371	338	442	407	485	399	671
0	345	307	435	400	457	376	681

How popular are the areas in this ward for applicants?

The following table shows the number of live applications who for each area in this ward and the number of bedrooms needed.

As applications can have more than one area selected there will be double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1976	2506	169	112	58	19
Breich	1900	2360	148	107	52	18
Fauldhouse	2161	2753	195	137	67	22
Longridge	2095	2687	226	147	65	21
Polbeth	2266	2965	270	179	90	27
Stoneyburn	2065	2604	183	144	66	21
West Calder	2818	3739	385	238	113	33

How popular are the areas in this ward when chosen as preferred areas for applicants?

The following table shows the number of live applications who for each area in this ward and the number of bedrooms needed but only when that is their preferred area.

Each application can only have one preferred area but for some applications there can be more than one, bedroom size selected. For example, a couple can choose 1 or 2 bedroom properties.

As applications can have more than one, bedroom size selected there will be double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	29	51	4	2	1	1
Breich	6	7	2	1	1	1
Fauldhouse	113	171	23	15	6	2
Longridge	28	36	6	1	1	1
Polbeth	40	83	17	5	4	1
Stoneyburn	34	59	8	4	4	1
West Calder	114	203	48	27	7	2

How many applications are being offered a home right now?

The following table shows the number of live offers for the housing areas in this ward. A live offer is one that has been created but not accepted, declined or withdrawn.

Offers are created on the system and the application circumstances are checked to ensure they are correct and the points on the application are correct. Live offers can be declined by a customer or withdrawn by us if information is not correct.

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	0	2	0	0	0	0
Fauldhouse	0	1	1	0	0	0
West Calder	0	1	0	0	0	0

How many homes have been let this financial year?

The following table shows the total number of offers that have been accepted by customers in the current financial year. Our financial years run from the first Monday in April until the day before the first Monday in April the following year.

This means the numbers in the table will grow as the report is run each month until a new financial year starts and they reset

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	0	1	2	0	0	0
Breich	0	2	0	0	0	0
Fauldhouse	0	3	2	0	0	0
Stoneyburn	1	1	1	0	0	0
West Calder	0	1	0	0	0	0

How many homes have been let in the previous financial year?

The following table shows the number of offers that have been accepted by customers in the previous financial year. Our financial years run from the first Monday in April until the day before the first Monday in April the following year.

These values will not change as the report is run each month as they are the totals for a complete previous year.

There are no double counts in the table below

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	2	11	6	0	0	0
Breich	0	2	1	0	0	0
Fauldhouse	7	22	13	0	0	0
Longridge	0	2	0	0	0	0
Polbeth	8	6	1	0	0	0
Stoneyburn	4	6	2	0	0	0
West Calder	9	9	1	0	0	0

What kinds of properties do applicants want in this area?

The following table shows the types of properties that customers have selected as part of their application. On our housing management system there are fourteen property types in our application selection choices. This has been simplified by grouping similar types.

As applications can have more than one property type selected there will be double counts in the tables below

BUNGALOWThis includes all single storey properties including detached, semi-detached and terraced housing

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1915	2426	166	110	57	19
Breich	1851	2299	144	104	51	18
Fauldhouse	2092	2665	190	134	66	22
Longridge	2034	2606	222	143	64	21
Polbeth	2199	2876	266	175	86	25
Stoneyburn	2009	2526	178	140	65	21
West Calder	2662	3578	373	228	109	31

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1858	2365	158	108	56	18
Breich	1798	2243	140	104	50	17
Fauldhouse	2016	2573	182	131	64	21
Longridge	1963	2518	210	140	62	20
Polbeth	2111	2780	254	172	86	25
Stoneyburn	1939	2459	170	138	63	20
West Calder	2525	3427	356	227	108	31

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1848	2260	121	74	38	10
Breich	1790	2148	102	68	33	9
Fauldhouse	1976	2417	132	88	43	12
Longridge	1931	2364	148	93	41	11
Polbeth	2072	2591	167	100	50	14
Stoneyburn	1920	2338	120	88	42	11
West Calder	2450	3091	211	127	56	17

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1854	2266	104	66	36	10
Breich	1787	2148	97	62	31	10
Fauldhouse	1979	2419	120	77	39	13
Longridge	1928	2356	135	79	35	11
Polbeth	2096	2605	146	97	51	17
Stoneyburn	1917	2328	109	79	39	11
West Calder	2474	3115	184	117	61	22

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	66	72	5	4	1	0
Breich	60	65	5	4	1	0
Fauldhouse	80	81	6	4	1	0
Longridge	71	77	6	4	1	0
Polbeth	77	86	8	4	1	0
Stoneyburn	72	75	5	4	1	0
West Calder	174	151	9	4	1	0