

Appendix 1

Climate Change Sustainability Statement Requirements Table

Topic to cover in Climate Change & Sustainability Statement	New development of 1-9 dwellings or 100-<1,000m2 GIA	New development of 10+ dwellings or 1,000m2+ GIA	Major refurbishment and retrofit and heritage buildings (where permission is needed)
Climate adaptation: water efficiency	Core Policy 64: Water Management Infrastructure		
Climate adaptation: Flood and SUDS	Core Policy 63: Managing Flood Risk Core Policy 64: Water Management Infrastructure Core Policy 65: Watercourses		
Circular economy: maximizing reuse of materials & existing buildings	Core Policy 1: Addressing Climate Change	Core Policy 1: Addressing Climate Change	Core Policy 26: Retrofitting and Decarbonisation of Existing Buildings
Green & Blue Infrastructure Strategy and Nature Recovery Network, including SANG provision		Core Policy 60: Biodiversity and Geodiversity Core Policy 70: Green and Blue Infrastructure	
Biodiversity Net Gain	Core Policy 60: Biodiversity and Geodiversity		
Pollution: Land, water, noise and air	Core Policy 66: Pollution and Contaminated Land Core Policy 67: Air Quality		
Sustainable transport, public transport and active travel measures	Chapter 9: Transport		
Health and wellbeing, including open space, culture, community space and with reference to guidance in the district-wide Design Code		Chapter 14: Building Healthy and Sustainable Communities	
Long-term stewardship structure and funding		Core Policy 71: Management of Accessible Green Open Spaces in Residential Developments	
Operational energy and carbon (including renewable energy)	Chapter 8: Sustainable Construction and Renewable Energy		