

# 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 <a href="https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/tenants-selfservice">https://www.westlothian.gov.uk/tenants-selfservice</a> 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.

# **EAST LIVINGSTON AND EAST CALDER**

# **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

#### **BUNGALOW**

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)
East Calder	14	26	1	0	0	0
Kirknewton	5	3	0	0	0	0
Mid Calder	3	1	0	0	0	0
Pumpherston	49	36	2	0	0	0
Uphall Station	23	1	0	0	0	0
Wilkieston	0	0	1	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)
East Calder	0	86	82	6	1	1
Kirknewton	1	11	7	1	0	0
Mid Calder	1	15	1	2	0	0
Pumpherston	0	97	38	5	1	0
Uphall Station	0	26	40	0	0	0
Wilkieston	0	1	3	0	0	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)
East Calder	26	34	15	4	0	0
Kirknewton	2	7	1	0	0	0
Mid Calder	1	10	1	0	0	0
Pumpherston	21	20	12	6	0	0
Uphall Station	11	12	0	0	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)
Kirknewton	0	2	0	0	0	0

#### **SHELTERED**

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

Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Mid Calder	20	0	0	0	0	0

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

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### **EAST LIVINGSTON AND EAST CALDER**

### **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	East Calder	Kirknewton	Mid Calder	Pumpherston	Uphall Station	Wilkieston
3000 to 3500	7	6	7	5	6	4
2500 to 3000	7	3	6	6	6	3
2000 to 2500	21	7	19	19	16	5
1500 to 2000	105	62	108	84	85	45
1000 to 1500	270	170	271	250	243	117
500 to 1000	420	242	414	376	383	169
201 to 500	1208	799	1230	1097	1130	569
1 to 200	862	581	882	822	838	474
0	884	626	899	781	822	492

# 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)
East Calder	3458	4753	546	332	155	37
Kirknewton	2786	3729	356	242	114	26
Mid Calder	3567	4829	539	320	145	33
Pumpherston	3336	4542	443	291	141	31
Uphall Station	3388	4601	470	295	144	33
Wilkieston	2496	3225	278	189	88	21

# 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)
East Calder	255	381	71	28	15	3
Kirknewton	40	58	10	2	1	0
Mid Calder	67	90	16	6	0	0
Pumpherston	64	105	15	9	2	0
Uphall Station	38	57	3	1	1	1
Wilkieston	8	10	2	0	0	0

# 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

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Pumpherston	1	0	0	0	0	0
Uphall Station	1	0	1	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)
East Calder	0	2	2	0	0	0
Kirknewton	0	1	0	0	0	0
Mid Calder	0	1	0	0	0	0
Pumpherston	4	3	0	0	0	0
Uphall Station	1	1	1	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)
East Calder	2	5	0	0	0	0
Kirknewton	3	4	0	0	0	0
Mid Calder	5	3	0	0	0	0
Pumpherston	13	6	1	0	0	0
Uphall Station	4	1	0	0	0	0
Wilkieston	0	1	0	0	0	0

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## 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

**BUNGALOW** 

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
East Calder	3308	4546	520	317	147	34
Kirknewton	2707	3613	348	234	109	25
Mid Calder	3370	4629	518	309	140	32
Pumpherston	3222	4385	431	284	135	30
Uphall Station	3263	4436	455	283	137	32
Wilkieston	2436	3144	271	183	84	20

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
East Calder	3126	4342	512	320	149	34
Kirknewton	2605	3506	334	233	110	24
Mid Calder	3184	4414	505	308	140	31
Pumpherston	3053	4179	416	281	138	29
Uphall Station	3107	4246	441	281	138	30
Wilkieston	2358	3056	261	181	84	19

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East Calder	2995	3905	312	193	84	16
Kirknewton	2519	3226	219	152	74	13
Mid Calder	3029	3932	305	186	82	15
Pumpherston	2933	3797	273	174	80	11
Uphall Station	3010	3897	281	175	80	14
Wilkieston	2299	2861	189	124	60	10

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
East Calder	3065	3971	303	183	86	18
Kirknewton	2559	3270	215	147	71	14
Mid Calder	3109	4014	289	181	85	16
Pumpherston	2972	3819	249	170	85	15
Uphall Station	3042	3910	266	174	87	17
Wilkieston	2313	2880	185	122	58	11

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East Calder	186	197	11	6	2	0
Kirknewton	135	152	6	4	1	0
Mid Calder	250	215	11	5	1	0
Pumpherston	175	194	7	3	1	0
Uphall Station	176	199	6	3	1	0
Wilkieston	123	131	6	3	1	0