

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	98	87	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	78	59	10	0	0
Breich	0	29	8	1	0	0
Fauldhouse	56	173	23	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

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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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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	2	2	2	2	3	2	3
2500 to 3000	2	2	5	6	3	1	3
2000 to 2500	5	6	8	10	9	10	18
1500 to 2000	21	15	24	37	46	26	74
1000 to 1500	79	54	83	90	123	69	180
500 to 1000	145	113	156	171	221	149	326
201 to 500	437	400	564	543	642	492	967
1 to 200	342	318	421	390	450	373	631
0	333	289	420	376	443	361	671

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	1815	2267	166	109	60	21
Breich	1752	2147	145	103	53	20
Fauldhouse	2004	2530	193	132	74	27
Longridge	1933	2469	228	146	70	22
Polbeth	2094	2721	278	165	85	29
Stoneyburn	1893	2362	177	133	65	23
West Calder	2619	3450	401	227	119	34

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	27	40	6	4	0	0
Breich	6	8	2	0	1	0
Fauldhouse	113	172	21	15	6	2
Longridge	33	43	6	3	1	0
Polbeth	40	82	17	6	3	1
Stoneyburn	33	56	7	4	4	0
West Calder	106	196	55	28	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)
Fauldhouse	1	0	1	0	0	0
Polbeth	1	0	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	2	10	6	0	0	0
Breich	0	1	1	0	0	0
Fauldhouse	6	20	11	0	0	0
Longridge	0	2	0	0	0	0
Polbeth	7	5	1	0	0	0
Stoneyburn	4	6	2	0	0	0
West Calder	7	7	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)
Addiewell	6	6	7	1	0	0
Breich	0	4	0	2	0	0
Fauldhouse	7	23	6	0	0	0
Longridge	2	3	0	0	0	0
Polbeth	10	13	6	1	0	0
Stoneyburn	0	7	3	0	0	0
West Calder	6	19	3	3	2	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	1766	2204	163	106	59	21
Breich	1709	2093	141	100	51	20
Fauldhouse	1939	2453	186	129	73	27
Longridge	1881	2399	223	142	68	22
Polbeth	2035	2639	273	159	81	27
Stoneyburn	1843	2290	171	129	64	23
West Calder	2471	3303	386	217	114	32

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1712	2151	157	105	58	20
Breich	1657	2045	138	100	50	19
Fauldhouse	1866	2362	179	127	71	26
Longridge	1811	2313	211	140	66	21
Polbeth	1954	2560	262	159	81	27
Stoneyburn	1779	2231	164	128	62	22
West Calder	2340	3167	372	216	114	32

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1692	2041	106	69	38	10
Breich	1647	1944	87	65	35	9
Fauldhouse	1828	2206	119	85	47	14
Longridge	1776	2157	138	94	45	11
Polbeth	1907	2370	158	88	46	14
Stoneyburn	1754	2111	104	83	43	11
West Calder	2250	2830	208	119	56	18

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Ward Housing Areas	(1 Bed)	(2 Bed)	(3 Bed)	(4 Bed)	(5 Bed)	(6 Bed)
Addiewell	1706	2051	95	62	38	11
Breich	1656	1957	86	57	33	11
Fauldhouse	1840	2212	109	73	45	16
Longridge	1781	2150	123	77	40	12
Polbeth	1936	2384	144	87	50	18
Stoneyburn	1763	2110	99	73	40	12
West Calder	2282	2856	189	111	63	22

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Addiewell	63	67	7	5	1	0
Breich	58	65	7	4	1	0
Fauldhouse	75	78	8	5	1	0
Longridge	66	76	8	5	1	0
Polbeth	71	82	8	4	1	0
Stoneyburn	66	70	6	5	1	0
West Calder	173	145	9	5	1	0