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1. Introduction

- 1.1. The Site Selection Methodology identifies and then assesses sites for potential future development, in line with the overarching Spatial Strategy and Strategic Objectives of the Draft Trafford Local Plan and adopted Places for Everyone (PfE) Joint Local Plan 2022 2039.
- 1.2. A wide range of sites have been considered from various sources. A logical, robust and transparent methodology was developed to evaluate their suitability for development and potential allocation. This process also considered whether certain sites may be more appropriate for alternative uses or should remain in their current use. The methodology ensures a rigorous, transparent and objective approach to identifying the most suitable and deliverable sites for allocation.
- 1.3. This Site Selection Methodology therefore sets out:
 - all the sources of potential sites that were included within the process.
 - each stage of the methodology and assessment that was undertaken.
 - the outcome of the process; and a schedule of sites that have been proposed for allocation in the Draft Land Allocations and Designations of the Emerging Trafford Local Plan

2. Background

- 2.1. The Council began preparation of the Trafford Local Plan in 2018, with an initial policy options consultation. This was followed by a consultation on a Draft Local Plan in 2021 and the Draft Policies of the Emerging Local Plan: Policies consultation in Spring 2025. Each Local Plan consultation was accompanied by a Call for Sites exercise.
- 2.2. The preparation of the Trafford Local Plan has been undertaken in the context of the strategic Places for Everyone (PfE) Plan, formerly the Greater Manchester Spatial Framework (GMSF). This plan establishes the overarching spatial strategy, which informed the distribution of development and the housing and employment land requirements for the plan area and for each district covered by the plan.
- 2.3. PfE Policy JP-H1 sets the housing requirement for each district, including Trafford, while PfE Policies JP-J3 and JP-J4 set the employment land requirements, all of which reflect the PfE spatial strategy and distribution of development.
- 2.4. To inform the preparation of PfE, the identified housing land supply was updated and reviewed regularly to ensure that sufficient land was available to meet the emerging housing and employment land requirements. In Trafford, insufficient land was available within the existing urban area to meet the JP-H1 requirement and therefore two strategic allocations were released from the Green Belt (Timperley Wedge [Davenport Green] and New Carrington). PfE was adopted on 21 March 2024, and as such these allocations are now part of the housing and employment land supplies for Trafford.
- 2.5. The focus of the Draft Land Allocations and Designations document is therefore to identify land within the existing urban area for potential allocation to meet Trafford's identified and required development needs.

3. Identification of Sites

- 3.1. A range of sources were used to identify sites for consideration through the site selection methodology process as part of the preparation of the Draft Land Allocations and Designations.
- 3.2. The starting point for the identification of residential sites was the Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessment (SHLAA), which sets out the identified housing land supply. This was last updated on 1 April 2025 and a total of 134 sites from the SHLAA were considered through the process. This included sites that were previously discounted from the housing land supply, as a way of reassessing their suitability for housing development within the emerging Local Plan policy environment.
- 3.3. For employment sites, the starting point was the Employment Land Supply (ELS) which contains sites with planning permission and sites identified as part of previous Local Plan reviews. A total of 58 sites were considered as part of this process.
- 3.4. In addition to these sources, sites under Trafford Council ownership which may be available for development were included in the process. This included public sector sites and land which is surplus, or likely to become surplus, to requirement as well as any sites within relevant emerging masterplan areas. A total of 6 new sites were identified from Public Sector ownership as part of this process. It should be noted that some Public Sector land was already included in the SHLAA and has therefore been categorised as such for this process.
- 3.5. The above sources of sites were supplemented by sites submitted via the various call for sites exercises which have been undertaken as part of the preparation of the Local Plan since 2018. Table 1 details the number of sites submitted through the Call for Sites exercises at each consultation stage.

Table 1: Local Plan Regulation 18 consultation - Call for Sites exercises

Local Plan consultation	No. of Call for Sites submitted
23 July – 14 September 2018	67
4 February – 18 March 2021	20
24 April – 12 June 2025	34

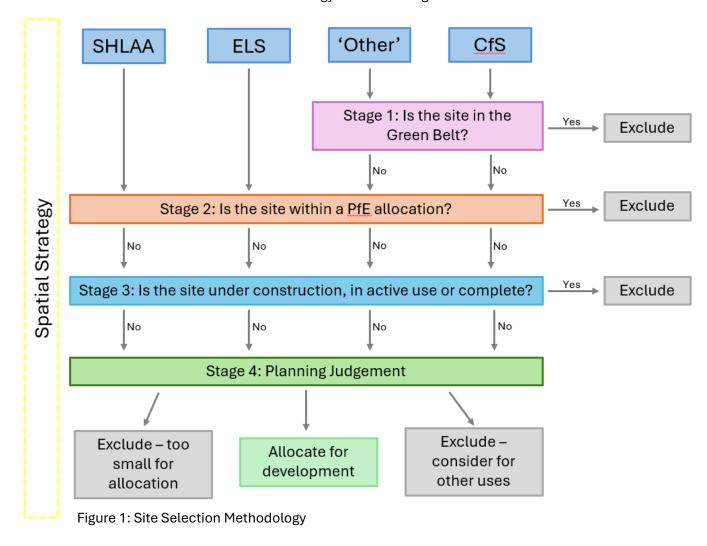
3.6. In total, removing any duplicates, 319 sites were subject to assessment from all sources.

4. Previous Public Consultation

- 4.1. A draft Site Selection Methodology was published for consultation as part of the Draft Local Plan: Policies consultation in spring/summer 2025. No site selection assessment had been undertaken at that stage, however it was considered important to publish the proposed approach to site selection early in the plan making process. This was to ensure that the methodology was prepared transparently and that there was sufficient time for people to consider it and for the Council to refine it (where necessary), taking account of any responses received.
- 4.2. A total of 16 respondents submitted comments, and these are summarised in the 'Local Plan Policies Consultation Statement'.
- 4.3. Following this consultation, the Site Selection Methodology has been reviewed, taking into consideration the comments received, leading to several changes being made.
- 4.4. Accordingly, a more streamlined approach has been developed, which takes greater account of the previous site assessments that have been undertaken for sites in the SHLAA and ELS. The new Site Selection Methodology also has greater regard to the overarching Spatial Strategy and seeks to build on the work undertaken for the PfE evidence base and land supply position.
- 4.5. Additional assessment stages have been included, where appropriate, for the Call for Sites to ensure any potential allocations meet the Spatial Strategy and strategic objectives. A planning constraints assessment has been undertaken for all sites which make it to the later stages of the methodology.
- 4.6. The updated Site Selection Methodology is set out in Section 5.

5. Site Selection Methodology

5.1. The Trafford Local Plan Site Selection Methodology is shown in Figure 1.



- 5.2. The methodology begins with the identification of sites from the following sources:
 - SHLAA (Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessment)
 - ELS (Employment Land Supply)
 - CfS (Call for Sites)
 - Other this includes sites in public ownership, as well as sites identified in emerging Masterplans or regeneration documents.
- 5.3. Further information on the identification of sites is set out in Section 3.
- 5.4. The Site Selection process varies slightly depending on the source of the site, as not all steps are relevant to all site sources.
- 5.5. Sites in the SHLAA and ELS have already been through an assessment to inform their inclusion in the existing land supply. This has been under frequent review as part of the preparation of PfE, to ensure it is up to date and in accordance with the overarching PfE Spatial Strategy.
- 5.6. As the Trafford Local Plan is being prepared under the same Spatial Strategy and as such, the SHLAA and ELS provide an appropriate baseline for identifying potential allocations. The Site Selection exercise for these sites seeks to ensure the sites remain appropriate and identify those which would benefit from an allocation, including reconsidering sites which had previously been discounted from the SHLAA.

Site Size

5.7. The NPPF (December 2024) definition of 'major development' is as follows:

For housing, development where 10 or more homes will be provided, or the site has an area of 0.5 hectares or more. For non-residential development it means additional floorspace of 1,000m² or more, or a site of 1 hectare or more, or as otherwise provided in the Town and Country Planning (Development Management Procedure) (England) Order 2015.

- 5.8. The proposed land allocations are primarily for major development sites and therefore the NPPF definition was considered as a potential size threshold. However, given the different sources of sites, a bespoke approach was adopted which sought to maximise the number of sites included at the start of the process and mitigate any risk of excluding sites which may be suitable for allocation.
- 5.9. For the SHLAA, sites identified for 5 homes or more were included in the site selection process. While this is a lower threshold than the NPPF definition of major development for residential sites, it ensured opportunities to increase the density of development on sites in the most sustainable locations were identified. This is in accordance with the Spatial Strategy which seeks to make the most efficient use of land in the most sustainable locations and PfE Policy JP-H4: Density of new housing.
- 5.10. For the ELS sites, all sites were included apart from where the 'development' related to a change from an existing employment use to a different employment use, or sites which

were an extension to an existing employment use. For these sites, an allocation would not be required. At this stage in the plan making process all other sites were included.

5.11. All Call for Sites and 'Other' sites were included.

- 5.12. 'Stage 1' of the methodology is relevant to the 'Other' sites and Call for Sites only and relates to 'absolute' constraints which would preclude the development of the site, and/or which are fundamentally contrary to the overall Spatial Strategy.
- 5.13. Table 2 outlines the Stage 1 constraints, the Integrated Assessment (IA) objective they relate to, the spatial data and measure used, alongside an explanation of how it has been applied.

Table 2: Stage 1 Planning Constraints

'Stage 1' Planning Constraints Assessment	Local Plan IA Objective	Spatial data	Assessment
Green Belt	10	Green Belt (adopted 2024)	Sites which contain more than 80% Green Belt within the site boundary were excluded from the process at Stage 1. The Green Belt was recently reviewed as part of PfE and two strategic allocations were removed from it. The Spatial Strategy seeks to meet development on sites within the existing urban area, there is therefore no requirement to consider land in the Green Belt.
Sites of Special Scientific Interest	12	Sites of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI)	Sites which included any element of a SSSI were excluded at Stage 1.
Local Green Space	10	Local Green Spaces	There are currently no Local Green Spaces identified within Trafford's adopted Development Plan. However, there are a number of Local Green Spaces proposed in the draft Warburton Neighbourhood Plan which is currently at examination. Given the advanced stage of this Plan the proposed Local Green Space sites have been included in the assessment for completeness.

Irreplaceable	12	Ancient	Irreplaceable Habitats are as defined in the
Habitats		Woodland	NPPF ¹ .
		(England)	The only Irreplaceable Habitat of relevance
			to Trafford is therefore Ancient Woodland.
			Sites which included this Irreplaceable
			Habitats were excluded at Stage 1.
High risk of	15, 16	Flood Zone 3	Sites at high risk of flooding are those within
flooding			Flood Zone 3. Any site which was more than
			50% in Flood Zone 3 was excluded at Stage
			1.

Stage 2

5.14. Any site within a PfE Allocation, at New Carrington or Davenport Green (Timperley Wedge) was excluded at Stage 2. These areas are covered by existing PfE allocation policies – JPA3.2 and JPA30 and the associated Masterplans which are being prepared for the sites. Land which is suitable for allocation within these areas has therefore already been identified for potential development and included within Trafford's land supply.

Stage 3

- 5.15. Stage 3 relates to the current status / use of the site. Sites which have recently been redeveloped were excluded from progressing any further through the process. Sites which are currently under construction, where construction is at an advanced stage, were also excluded. Not all sites which are under construction were excluded, in some cases (generally large schemes) it was still considered appropriate to allocate a site to help ensure the delivery of the scheme.
- 5.16. Sites which are in an existing, viable use were also excluded. This included sites such as leisure centres or community centres, which may have previously been considered for redevelopment, but which are no longer considered to be available.

- 5.17. The final stage of the process relates to 'Planning Judgement'. Sites that remained in the process at this stage were individually assessed and considered, taking into account the planning constraints assessment, existing Local Plan policies and their overall fit with the Spatial Strategy and strategic objectives.
- 5.18. The planning constraints assessment used GIS² data from a range of sources to identify any planning constraints which could preclude the development of the site. It also included information, for example, on the location of the site in relation to local services and its accessibility by sustainable transport modes. A summary of the planning constraints assessment is set out below, which is in addition to the planning constraints used at Stage 1.

¹ Habitats which would be technically very difficult (or take a very significant time) to restore, recreate or replace once destroyed, taking into account their age, uniqueness, species diversity or rarity. They include ancient woodland, ancient and veteran trees, blanket bog, limestone pavement, sand dunes, salt marsh and lowland fen (NPPF, 2024)

² Geographic Information Systems

- Sustainable transport accessibility %age of a site within the 'Site Selection good public transport accessibility area'. This is a combination of the following areas: Greater Manchester Accessibility Level (GMAL) 5.5+, within 800m buffer area of Metrolink stops and Railway Stations with at least two trains per hour.
- Brownfield Land is the site on the brownfield land register?
- Town Centres %age of a site within 800m buffer area of a town or district centre
- Deprivation is the site within or adjacent to one of the 10% most deprived wards in England
- Health and wellbeing %age of a site within an 800m buffer area of parks and gardens and recreation grounds. And, is the site within an outdoor sports provision area?
- Social Infrastructure access distance to the nearest primary school, secondary school, GP surgery and local/neighbourhood centre
- Air quality %age of a site within an Air Quality Management Area (AQMA)
- Designated heritage assets number of listed buildings structures or monuments, Scheduled Monuments and Registered Parks and Gardens within the site, and number within a 250m buffer area. %age of the site within a Conservation Area
- Ecology %age of a site within a Site of Biological Importance (SBI), Local Nature Reserve (LNR), Priority Habitat, Green Infrastructure Network, and Local Nature Recovery Strategy (LNRS) Opportunity Area. Number of ancient and veteran trees within the site.
- Flood Risk %age of a site within Flood Zone 2 and surface water (high chance)
- Water resources %age of a site within a groundwater source protection zone (SPZ)
- Landscape Landscape Character Area the site is within, if relevant
- Best and most versatile agricultural land %age of a site within agricultural land grades 1, 2 or 3
- Control of Major Accident Hazard (COMAH) %age of a site within a COMAH
- Minerals %age of a site within an area of search for gravel, %age of a site within a minerals safeguarding area for sand and gravel
- 5.19. There are three outcomes for sites at Stage 4:
 - Propose for allocation
 - Exclude site too small for allocation, consider for inclusion in the SHLAA or ELS
 - Exclude site unsuitable for development, consider for other uses
- 5.20. Sites considered for allocation were reviewed in the context of Places for Everyone determine an appropriate development quantum. For residential sites, PfE Policy JP-H4: Density of new housing was applied and, where appropriate, exceeded to ensure the most efficient use of the site.
- 5.21. Opportunities to group sites and create a larger allocation were also identified.

5.22. Sites of less than ten units were not proposed for allocation as they are likely and capable of coming forward through the normal planning application process.
Consequently, these sites may still be suitable for development, in which case they were added / retained in the SHLAA or ELS.

6. Application of the Site Selection Methodology

6.1. This section explains how the site selection methodology was applied to the sites and the assessment at each stage. A total of 319 sites were included at the start of the process.

- 6.2. Stage 1 only applies to sites that came from the Call for Sites and 'other' sites of which there were 127.
- 6.3. A total of 34 sites were excluded at Stage 1. These sites were all excluded as more than 80% of the site area was within the Green Belt. The excluded sites are listed in Table 3.

Table 3: Sites excluded at Stage 1

Site		% of site
Selection	Site Name	within the
Reference		Green Belt
SSEL-201	Land off Rossmill Lane, Hale	99.98
SSEL-202	Land south of Bailey Walk, Bowdon	98.66
SSEL-205	Land at Ash Tree Farm, Ashton-on-Mersey	100
SSEL-209	Panflora Nurseries, Barns Lane, Warburton, Lymm	100
SSEL-210	Flixton Railway Station, Flixton Road, Flixton	100
SSEL-212	Land at Bankhall Lane, Hale	99.98
SSEL-213	Land at New Manor Stretford, Bradley Lane, Stretford	100
SSEL-223	Land at Bow Green Farm (Plot 1), Bow Green Road, Bowden	99.77
SSEL-224	Land at Bow Green Farm (Plot 2), Bow Green Road, Bowden	99.60
SSEL-250	Hale Waste Water Treatment Works	91.38
SSEL-251	Bowdon Reservoir	99.96
SSEL-252	Land to the North of Carrington Spur	100
SSEL-253	Land off Brooks Drive and land adjoining Davenport Green Hall	100
SSEL-254	Land south of Clay Lane, Land West of Wellfield Lane (Plot A), Timperley	100
SSEL-255	Land south of Clay Lane, Land East of Wellfield Lane (Plot B), Timperley	100
SSEL-260	Meadowgate Farm, Land off Meadow Road, Urmston	95.52
SSEL-270	Land at Higher House Farm, Dairyhouse Lane	100
SSEL-271	Land off Shay Lane, Davenport Green	100
SSEL-275	Clipper House, Cross Street, Sale	100
SSEL-280	Midlands Farm, Warburton	99.56
SSEL-282	Stretford Meadows	99.39
SSEL-285	Land adjoining Bankwell Farm, Bankhall Lane, Hale, Altrincham, WA15 0LG	99.19
SSEL-287	Land at Ashley Mill Lane North, Hale, Altrincham	99.29
SSEL-289	Land off Green Lane, Timperley	99.88
SSEL-290	Former Dobbies Garden Centre, Green Lane, Timperley	100

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	% of site within the Green Belt
SSEL-294	Shawe House Penny Bridge Lane Flixton Manchester Trafford	97.75
SSEL-295	Garth Bollinway Hale	99.51
SSEL-297	Land off Bailey Walk, Bowdon	99.46
SSEL-298	Land to the East of Thorley Lane and the South of Timperley Brook	100
SSEL-300	Land North of Dane Road, Sale	98.67
SSEL-301	Land at Hawthorn Lane, Ashton Upon Mersey, Sale	100
SSEL-303	Land adjacent to Parcel SR2A, South of Carrington Lane, Carrington	99.62
SSEL-304	Brookheys Road, Carrington	99.83
SSEL-305	Paddock Farm, Wellfield Lane, Timperley, Altrincham, Cheshire	100

6.4. The sites excluded at Stage 1 are mapped alongside the Stage 1 planning constraints at Appendix 1.

- 6.5. Stage 2 relates to all sites remaining after Stage 1. Stage 2 excluded any sites that were within the PfE allocations at New Carrington and Timperley Wedge (Davenport Green).
- 6.6. A total of 40 sites were excluded at Stage 2 which are listed in Table 4, they are also shown on the maps at Appendix 2.

Table 4: Sites excluded at Stage 2.

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Within PfE Allocation
SSEL-122	Timperley Wedge	Davenport Green
SSEL-123	World Of Pets, Thorley Lane, Timperley, WA15 7PJ	Davenport Green
SSEL-124	Land At Dobinetts Lane, Timperley	Davenport Green
SSEL-125	Land To East Of 123 Thorley Lane, Timperley	Davenport Green
SSEL-126	Sale West Area, New Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-127	Land Known As Carrington Village, On Land Off Manchester Road (CR1B)	New Carrington
SSEL-128	Land Known As Carrington Village, On Land Off Manchester Road (CR1A)	New Carrington
SSEL-129	Land Known As Carrington Village On Land Off Manchester Road, Carrington (Parcel R6/R7)	New Carrington
SSEL-130	Warburton Lane Site (Redrow), Warburton Lane Area, New Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-131	Partington East Area, New Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-132	Land At Heath Farm Lane, Partington, M31 4EH	New Carrington
SSEL-133	Land At Heath Farm Lane, Partington, M31 4EH	New Carrington
SSEL-134	Warburton Lane Site (Redrow), Partington East Area, New Carrington	New Carrington

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Within PfE Allocation
SSEL-137	Voltage Park (Ce2b), Common Lane, Partington, M31 4BR	New Carrington
SSEL-139	Power Station, 132 Manchester Road, Carrington, M31 4AY	New Carrington
SSEL-150	Carrington Power Station, 132 Manchester Road, Carrington, M31 4AY	New Carrington
SSEL-151	Land Known As Carrington Village On Land Off Manchester Road, Carrington (CE1B)	New Carrington
SSEL-152	Land Off Common Lane Including Asphodal Farm, Common Lane, Carrington, M31 4QJ (CE2C)	New Carrington
SSEL-153	Disused Brownfield Site To The North Of A6144, Manchester Road, Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-164	Land West Of Manchester Road (A6144) Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-168	Power Station, 132 Manchester Road, Carrington, M31 4AY	New Carrington
SSEL-178	Carrington Employment (CE3A)	New Carrington
SSEL-181	Former Shell Chemical Works (CE2A)	New Carrington
SSEL-191	Davenport Green, Altrincham	Davenport Green
SSEL-193	Ridgeway Nurseries, 6 Ridgeway Road, Timperley, Altrincham	Davenport Green
SSEL-194	Land known as Carrington Moss	New Carrington
SSEL-198	World of Pets & Leisure, Thorley Lane, Timperley, Altrincham	Davenport Green
SSEL-217	Land and buildings at Fairywell & The Dobbinetts, Dobbinetts Lane, Hale	Davenport Green
SSEL-221	Land to the east (Site 1), Warburton Lane, to the south of the urban area of Partington.	New Carrington
SSEL-222	Land to the west (Site 2), Warburton Lane, to the south of the urban area of Partington.	New Carrrington
SSEL-230	Broad Oak Farm	New Carrington
SSEL-256	Southfield Nursery, 27 Clay Lane, Timperley	Davenport Green
SSEL-257	128 Wood Lane, Timperley and land to the rear thereof	Davenport Green
SSEL-258	Land at Heath Farm Lane, Partingon	New Carrington
SSEL-276	Land at Carrington Plains Industrial Estate, Manchester Road, Carrington,	New Carrington
SSEL-277	Former Peaksnook landfill site to the west of Manchester Road (A6144)	New Carrington
SSEL-278	Land to the north of Manchester Road, Carrington	New Carrington
SSEL-281	Carrington Moss	New Carrington
SSEL-299	Paddock Farm, Wellfield Lane, Timperley, Altrincham, Cheshire	Davenport Green
SSEL-313	Moss View Primary School, Partington	New Carrington

- 6.7. Stage 3 relates to all remaining sites. Sites were excluded at Stage 3 if they were:
 - Under construction and the scheme was at an advanced stage.

- Completed; or
- In an existing active use and therefore the site could not be considered to be available for development.
- 6.8. A total of 57 sites were excluded at Stage 3, and these are listed in Table 5 and mapped at Appendix 3.

Table 5: Sites excluded at Stage 3.

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Reason excluded
SSEL-13	289 Hale Road, Hale Barns	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-27	Claremont Centre, Claremont Road, Sale, M33 7DZ	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-31	Clarendon House, Stamford New Road, Altrincham, WA14 1BY	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-34	11 - 13 Raglan Road, Sale, M33 4AN	Under construction
SSEL-35	The Graftons, Stamford New Road, WA14 1DQ	Under construction
SSEL-37	Altrincham Leisure Centre Site And Adjoining Land Oakfield Road, WA15 8EW	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-38	46 - 50 Railway Street, Altrincham, WA14 2RE	Under construction
SSEL-41	Hollycroft, South Downs Road, WA14 3DZ	Under construction
SSEL-44	Neuholme, Manchester Road, Partington, M31 4FB	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-50	479 - 481 Chester Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, M16 9HF	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-51	Mayfield House, Danefield Road And The Lodge, Dane Road, Sale	Under construction
SSEL-55	St Johns Medical Centre, St Johns Road, Altrincham, WA14 2NW.	Under construction
SSEL-56	Parkfield 8 Groby Place, Altrincham, WA14 4AL	Under construction
SSEL-57	Land To The East Of Warwick Road South, Old Trafford	Under construction
SSEL-60	Masonic Hall And Police Station, Tatton Road, Sale, M33 7EE	Under construction
SSEL-63	The Bowdon Hotel, 5 Langham Road, Bowdon, WA14 2HT	Under construction
SSEL-64	Curzon Cinema, Urmston	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-66	Land Within The Ground Of 11/13 Highfield Avenue, Sale	Under construction
SSEL-70	493-495 Chester Road, Old Trafford, M16 9HF	Under construction

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Reason excluded
SSEL-71	Caidan House, 8 Canal Road, Timperley, WA14 1TD	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-75	Land Off Shawe Road, Urmston, M41 5DL	Development complete
SSEL-76	Homestead, 121 Park Road, Timperley, Altrincham, WA15 6QQ	Under construction
SSEL-79	11 - 13 Highfield Avenue, Sale.	Under construction
SSEL-80	Orchard House, Orchard Place, Sale, M33 7YB	Under construction
SSEL-81	71a And 73 Chapel Road, Sale, M33 7EG	Under construction
SSEL-85	Church Hall, Sale United Reformed Church, 10 Montague Road, Sale, M33 3BU	Under construction
SSEL-87	Hullard Hall, 516 Stretford Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, M16 9AF	Development complete
SSEL-88	154-156 Church Road, Urmston, M41 9DL	Development complete
SSEL-89	Sale Point, 126 - 150 Washway Road, Sale, M33 6AG	Under construction
SSEL-90	Development House, 30 Crofts Bank Road, Urmston, M41 0UH	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-108	Land At Lock Lane, Partington	Under construction
SSEL-109	Land Off Hall Lane, Partington	Under construction
SSEL-121	Land To The East Of Thirsk Avenue And Chepstow Avenue, Sale	Under construction
SSEL-136	St Johns Church, St Johns Road, Altrincham, WA14 2NW	Under construction
SSEL-142	390 Lloyd House, Third Avenue, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1JE	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-143	Land Adj To Market Hall, Railway Road, Urmston, M41 0XL	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-15	Former Royal Canal Works, South Of Edge Lane, M32 8	In an existing use, unavailable for development
SSEL-154	Progress House, 17 Cecil Road, Hale, WA15 9NZ.	Development complete
SSEL-160	Site Adjacent To Collier Industrial Waste Ltd, Nash Road, Trafford Park, M17 1SX	Under construction
SSEL-163	1 Lund Street, Old Trafford, Manchester, M16 9EJ.	Development complete
SSEL-169	Procter And Gamble Ltd, Trafford Park Road, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1NX	Development complete
SSEL-184	Land at Village Way / Third Avenue	Development complete
SSEL-187	Land at Nash Road	Development complete

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Reason excluded	
SSEL-188	Land at Nash Road / Ashburton Road West	Development complete	
SSEL-189	Land south of Nash Road	Development complete	
SSEL-207	Former school and Red Brook public house site bound by Oak Road and Warburton Lane	Development complete	
SSEL-208	Land at Warwick Road South	Under construction	
SSEL-211	Empress Business Centre, 380 Chester Road, Manchester	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-216	Beyond (formerly Chill Factore)	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-235	Former Boat Yard and TFGM Land, Edge Lane, Stretford	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-243	Land adjacent to Manchester Ship Canal to the north of Lock Lane	Under construction	
SSEL-247	EventCity, Phoenix Way, Off Barton Dock Road, Manchester	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-249	Land off Trafford Way to the south west of Chill Factore and to the south east of Trafford Sportsdome	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-259	Land on Station Road (rear of the Old Police Station), Urmston	Development complete	
SSEL-302	Trafford Palazzo Car Park, Manchester	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-314	The Jubilee Centre, St Marys Road, Bowdon	In an existing use, unavailable for development	
SSEL-245	Land off Central Road, adjacent to Partington Shopping Centre	Development complete	

- 6.9. A total of 188 sites progressed to Stage 4. At Stage 4, all of the sites that remained in the process were assessed and considered and a planning judgement was made by officers. The potential outcomes for Stage 4 in summary are:
 - Site allocated individually or as part of a wider allocation 151 sites (see Tables 6 a-e)
 - Site excluded unsuitable for allocation 26 sites (see Table 7)
 - Site excluded too small for allocation 11 sites (see Table 7)
- 6.10. The Planning Constraints Assessment for each of the sites assessed at Stage 4 is available at Appendix 4. The Stage 4 sites are mapped, alongside the proposed allocation at Appendix 5.
- 6.11. Sites which were excluded because they were considered to be "too small" for allocation, may still be included as part of the housing land supply and form part of the

SHLAA. Small sites make up an important part of the identified land supply, and as they are likely to come forward and be developed within a shorter period of time, they are not appropriate for allocation.

Table 6a: Sites proposed for allocation in the North Locality

Site Selection Site Name		Dispusing hydronout / Allocation Def
Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-103	Wharfside, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-104	Former Hilti Site, 1 Trafford Wharf Road	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-105	Land At Wharfside Way (Matey Site)	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-106	Land Adj Manchester Ship Canal (Peel), Trafford Wharf Road	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-107	Quay West, Trafford Wharf Road	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-141	International Timber, Trafford Wharf Road, Trafford Park, M17 1DJ	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-190	Victoria Warehouse Site B	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-214	Site bound by Wharfside Way to the north and north east, John Gilbert Way to the south and Europa Way to the west	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-218	Site E3	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-219	Site N4	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-220	Stadium Point, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-233	Wharfside, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-306	Plots 10c and 11 at Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN1
SSEL-100	Former B+Q Site, Great Stone Rd, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-101	Charlton House, 687 Chester Road	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-138	64-66 Talbot Road, Stretford, Manchester, M16 0PP	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-179	Civic Quarter Area Action Plan	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-196	Former B&Q site, Great Stone Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-225	39 Talbot Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-226	17-19 Talbot Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-227	Bingo 3000, 601 Chester Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-229	White City Retail Park, Chester Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-272	97 Talbot Road, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-86	Land To The Front Of Bowling Clubhouse, 49 Talbot Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, M16 0PW	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-91	Civic Quarter AAP	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-92	Mkm House, Warwick Road, Stretford, M16 0XX	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-93	City Point, 701 Chester Road, Stretford, M32 0RW	Allocate as part of AN2

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Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-94	39 Talbot Road, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-95	Chester House, 1 Boyer Street, Stretford, M16 0RE	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-96	64-66 Talbot Road, Stretford, Manchester, M16 0PP	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-97	Lumina Village (Former Kelloggs Site), Talbot Road, Stretford, M16 0PG	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-98	94a Talbot Road, Stretford, M16 0PG	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-99	94b Talbot Road, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN2
SSEL-115	Trafford Waters / Quaysland Between M/Cr Ship Canal & Trafford Boulevard, Old Barton	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-116	Plot 2, Trafford Waters Development Site, Tafford Boulevard, Trafford Park.	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-117	Plot 1, Trafford Waters Development Site, Trafford Boulevard, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-118	Plot 3, Trafford Waters Development Site, Trafford Boulevard, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-177	Land Between Manchester Ship Canal And Trafford Boulevard/Old Barton Road, Urmston	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-215	Trafford Waters	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-234	Land adjoining the Manchester Ship Canal and Western Gateway Infrastructure Scheme	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-246	Land to the north and south of the Manchester Ship Canal adjacent to Barton Road Swing Bridge and Barton Swing Aqueduct	Allocate as part of AN3
SSEL-112	Pomona Docks, Pomona Strand	Allocate as part of AN4
SSEL-113	Pomona Docks II Pomona Strand	Allocate as part of AN4
SSEL-114	Development Site, Waterways Avenue, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN4
SSEL-180	Cornbrook Station, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN4
SSEL-242	Manchester Waters (comprising part of the Cornrbook Hub and Pomona Island)	Allocate as part of AN4
SSEL-165	Land At Stretford Mall And Lacy Street, Chester Road, Stretford, M32 9BD	Allocate as part of AN5
SSEL-19	Stretford Mall, Chester Road	Allocate as part of AN5
SSEL-10	Land Bound By Elsinore Road And Skerton Road, Stretford, M16 0WF	Allocate as part of AN6
SSEL-102	Former Bakemark Uk, Skerton Road, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN6
SSEL-176	Petrol Station And Adjacent Land, 499 Chester Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, Trafford, M16 9HF.	Allocate as part of AN7
SSEL-206	499 Chester Road, Stretford, Manchester	Allocate as part of AN7

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Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-32	Petrol Station And Adj Land At 499 Chester Road, M16 9HF	Allocate as part of AN7
SSEL-17	Globe Trading Estate, 88-118 Chorlton Road, M15 4AL	Allocate as part of AN8
SSEL-195	P Fahey & Sons Limited, Chorlton Road, Old Trafford	Allocate as part of AN8
SSEL-274	Citygate 3, 203 Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as part of AN8
SSEL-119	Land Off Bold Street, Old Trafford, M15 5PW	Allocate as AN9
SSEL-74	Land On Brixham Road, Old Trafford	Allocate as AN10
SSEL-2	Stretford Memorial Hospital, Seymour Grove, M16 0DU	Allocate as AN11
SSEL-61	Land At Christie Road, Stretford, M32 0EW	Allocate as AN12
SSEL-21	Land At Newton St/Lacy St	Allocate as AN13
SSEL-284	332-340 Chester Road	Allocate as AN14
SSEL-59	Greatstone Hotel, Stretford	Allocate as AN15
SSEL-16	Land At Avondale Road	Allocate as AN16
SSEL-11	Former Boat Yard, Edge Lane, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN17
SSEL-236	Former Boat Yard, Edge Lane, Stretford	Allocate as part of AN17
SSEL-46	Vehicle Repair Workshop, Green Street, Stretford, M32 8ND	Allocate as AN18
SSEL-73	Former Northumberland Public House, Chester Road, Northumberland Road /	Allocate as AN19
33EL-73	East Union Street, Old Trafford	Allocate as AN 19
SSEL-72	York House, 1 Bridgenorth Avenue, Urmston, M41 9PA	Allocate as AN20
SSEL-20	Essoldo Cinema, Edge Lane	Allocate as AN21
SSEL-58	Robin Hood Hotel, 125 Barton Road, Stretford	Allocate as AN22
SSEL-82	Trafford Park Hotel, Trafford Park	Allocate as AN23
SSEL-30	Land Between 182/182a Park Road, Stretford, M32 8RD	Allocate as AN24
SSEL-159	Chapman Scaffolding Ltd, Land And Engine Shed, Rear Of Kelloggs Main Site	Allocate as part of AN25
33LL-139	Entrance, Park Road, Stretford, Manchester, M32 8RB.	Attocate as part of AN23
SSEL-309	Land to East of A5181 (Kelloggs Plant) Park Rd, Trafford Park, Stretford,	Allocate as part of AN25
	Manchester M32 8RA	Allocate as part of Alizo
SSEL-310	Land to West of A5181 (Kelloggs Plant) Park Rd, Trafford Park, Stretford,	Allocate as part of AN25
33EL-31U	Manchester M32 8RA	Allocate as part of Alizo
SSEL-167	Tenmat, Ashburton Road West, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1TD	Allocate as AN26
SSEL-170	Sca Hygiene Products, Trafford Park Road	Allocate as AN27

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-161	Ark, 125 Trafford Park Road (Land To Rear Of 125 Trafford Wharf Road), Trafford Park, M17 1HA	Allocate as part of AN28
SSEL-175	Land To Rear Of Units H2 & H3, Westbrook Road, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN28
SSEL-182	10 Tenax Road, Manchester, M17 1JT	Allocate as AN29
SSEL-183	Former Jewson builders yard, First Ave, Stretford, Manchester M17 1JZ	Allocate as AN31
SSEL-173	Former Trafford Bakery, Ashburton Road West, Trafford Park	Allocate as AN32
SSEL-144	F And G Commercials (Manchester) Limited, Trafford Park Road, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1HG. F & G Holding Ltd.	Allocate as AN33
SSEL-135	Unit 24, Severnside Trading Estate, Textilose Road, Trafford Park, Manchester, M17 1WA.	Allocate as AN34
SSEL-145	Former Washington Mills Electro Minerals Ltd, Mosley Road, Trafford Park.	Allocate as AN36
SSEL-158	Warehouse, Cornbrook, 2 Brindley Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, M16 9hq	Allocate as AN37
SSEL-156	Alkane Energy Taylor Road, Trafford Park, M41 7JR	Allocate as part of AN38
SSEL-186	Bridgewater Centre, Robson Avenue	Allocate as part of AN38
SSEL-239	Land comprising the Bridgewater Centre between Barton Dock Road and the Bridgewater Canal	Allocate as part of AN38
SSEL-185	Land south of Taylor Road	Allocate as part of AN39
SSEL-240	Land comprising Fords of Winsford between Barton Dock Road and the Taylor Road	Allocate as part of AN39
SSEL-146	Land West Of Trafford Boulevard	Allocate as part of AN40
SSEL-241	Land between J10 of the M60 and the Trafford Golf Centre, to the west of Trafford Boulevard	Allocate as part of AN40
SSEL-291	Land at Moss Vale Crescent	Allocate as part of AN41
SSEL-43	Circle Court, Stretford, M32 9QJ	Allocate as part of AN41
SSEL-148	Unit 1, Mercury Way, Trafford Park, Manchester, M41 7BZ	Allocate as part of AN42
SSEL-238	Compound behind Holiday Inn, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN42
SSEL-279	Land off Barton Dock Road, Mercury Way and Phoenix Way	Allocated as AN43
SSEL-248	Former Container Base, Barton Dock Road, Trafford Park	Allocate as part of AN44
SSEL-308	Trafford Centre Car Park 7	Allocate as AN44

Table 6b: Sites proposed for allocation in the South Locality

Site Selection	O'the Manua	Diam'r a lada a san A (Alla a Al'an Da)
Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-110	Land At Oakfield Road/Moss Lane Altrincham, WA15 8EP	Allocate as part of AS1
SSEL-174	Land At Oakfield Road/Moss Lane, Altrincham, WA15 8EP	Allocate as part of AS1
SSEL-68	New Street, Altrincham (Albert Court, Lloyd Court And Chapel Court)	Allocate as AS2
SSEL-228	Land fronting Lloyd Street, Denmark Street and Goose Green, Altrincham	Allocate as AS3
SSEL-111	Land At Oakfield Road (Altair) Moss Lane, WA15 8EP	Allocate as part of AS4
SSEL-312	Land at Oakfield Road site (Altair)	Allocate as part of AS4
SSEL-8	Oakfield Road/Balmoral Road	Allocate as part of AS4
SSEL-26	Mansion House, Manchester Road	Allocate as AS5
SSEL-9	Mayors Road/Manor Road	Allocate as AS6
SSEL-83	Bridgeworks, Altrincham	Allocate as AS7
SSEL-25	Trafalgar House, Manchester Road	Allocate as AS8
SSEL-62	Pelican Inn And Hotel, 350 Manchester Road, Altrincham, WA14 5NH	Allocate as AS9
SSEL-283	Hare And Hounds Public House, Wood Lane , Timperley	Allocate as AS11
SSEL-192	Land at Dairyhouse Lane	Allocate as part of AS12
SSEL-231	Land at Dairy House Lane, Altrincham	Allocate as part of AS12
SSEL-311	Land at Higher House Farm, Dairyhouse Lane, Altrincham	Allocate as part of AS12
SSEL-162	Logicor Park Altrincham, (Formerly The Lyon Estate), Atlantic Street, Altrincham	Allocate as AS13
SSEL-232	Land at Rose Cottage, Seamons Road, Altrincham	Allocate as AS14

Table 6c: Sites proposed for allocation in the Central Locality

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-200	The Square Shopping Centre, Sale	Allocate as part of AC1
SSEL-22	The Square, Town Square, Sale, M33 7WZ	Allocate as part of AC1
SSEL-49	Sale West Estate Bounded By Firs Way, Cherry Lane, Woodhouse Lane And Manor Avenue	Allocate as AC2
SSEL-36	Former Trafford Magistrates' Court, Ashton Lane, Sale, M33 7NR	Allocate as AC3
SSEL-52	56 Washway Road, Sale,	Allocate as part of AC4

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SSEL-84	Sale Lido And Car Park, Washway Road, Sale	Allocate as part of AC4
SSEL-317	St Francis Community Hall, Budworth Road, Sale	Allocate as AC5
SSEL-268	Stamford House, Northenden Road, Sale	Allocate as AC6
SSEL-120	77-79 Cross Street, Sale, M33 7AA	Allocated as AC7

Table 6d: Sites proposed for allocation in the West Locality

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-53	Land Off Barton Road, Davyhulme, M41 7NL	Allocate as AW1
SSEL-23	Victoria Parade, Urmston Town Centre	Allocate as AW2
SSEL-14	Former Shawe Lodge Nursing Home, 1 Barton Road, Davyhulme	Allocate as AW3
SSEL-4	Former Mosedales Brickwork S4, Ends Lane	Allocate as AW4
SSEL-5	Higher Road Depot And Adjoining Site	Allocate as AW5
SSEL-54	Former 1-3 Old Crofts Bank, Davyhulme, Urmston, Manchester, M41 7AA	Allocate as AW6
SSEL-67	Former Partington Social Club, Bailey Lane, Partington, M31 4NR	Allocate as AW7
SSEL-3	Land East of Partington Shopping Centre, Off Central Road, Partington	Allocate as AW8
SSEL-29	Land At Oak Road, Partington	Allocate as AW9
SSEL-172	Land South Off Barton Bridge, Trafford Way, Trafford Park	Allocate as AW10
SSEL-166	Land To The South Of Manchester Ship Canal And West Of Barton Bridge, Trafford Way, Trafford Park,	Allocate as part of AW11
SSEL-204	Land to the south of Manchester Ship Canal and west of Barton bridge, Trafford Way, Trafford Park, Manchester	Allocate as part of AW11

Table 6e: Sites proposed for allocation in the Broad Locations

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-261	Cavendish House, Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as AB1 , part of Broad Location A2

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement / Allocation Ref
SSEL-262	Charter House, Woodlands Road, Altrincham	Allocate as AB2 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-263	Citygate 1 and 2, Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as AB3 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-264	Crossgate House, Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as AB4 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-265	Dunham House, Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as AB5 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-266	Marshall House, Cross Street, Sale	Allocate as AB6 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-267	Stafford Court, Washway Road, Sale	Allocate as AB7 , part of Broad Location A2
SSEL-318	Empress Regeneration 1	Allocate as AB8 , part of Broad Location A3
SSEL-1	Trafford Press Site, Chester Road, M16 9	Allocate as AB9 , part of Broad Location A4
SSEL-147	Former Trafford Press	Allocate as AB9 , part of Broad Location A4
SSEL-319	Empress Regeneration 2	Allocate as AB9 , part of Broad Location A4

Table 7: Sites excluded at Stage 4, alongside the Planning Judgement

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement	Outcome
SSEL-6	Land to rear of 28-34 Stokoe Avenue, Altrincham	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-7	Land at the Gorse	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is no longer considered suitable/available for residential development.	Exclude

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement	Outcome
SSEL-12	Land Adj Flixton Station, Flixton Road,	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is no longer considered suitable/available for residential development.	Exclude
SSEL-18	1 to 19 Washway Road, Sale	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-24	Land At Station Rd/Urmston Railway Station, Urmston Town Centre	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is no longer considered suitable/available for residential development.	Exclude
SSEL-28	Britannia Road, Industrial Estate	Within an existing employment land designation. Draft Local Plan (April 2025) continues to designate this land for employment use.	Exclude
SSEL-33	Lynnfield House/Hamilton House, Church Street Altrincham,	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is currently not available for residential development. Site may come forward under A56 Broad Location – allocation policy A2.	Exclude
SSEL-39	Albert Buildings, 3 Scott Drive, Altrincham,	Within an existing employment land designation. Draft Local Plan (April 2025) continues to designate this land for employment use.	Exclude
SSEL-40	Land to the Rear 397 Stockport Road,	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is no longer considered suitable/available for residential development.	Exclude
SSEL-42	Brooks Bar Centre, 162-164 Chorlton Road, Old Trafford	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-45	Land Off Brunswick Street, Stretford	Site may come forward under A56 Broad Location – allocation policy A2. Currently not enough information to allocate as a standalone site.	Exclude
SSEL-47	Sunningdale House And Kingfisher House, 11 George Street, Altrincham,	Previously identified in the housing land supply (SHLAA). Review indicates that the site is no longer considered suitable/available for residential development.	Exclude

Site Selection Reference	Site Name	Planning Judgement	Outcome
SSEL-48	Beech House, Manchester Road, Partington	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-65	Car Park, Cresta Hotel, Altrincham	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-69	43a Park Road, Timperley,	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-77	160 Higher Road, Urmston	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-78	2-8 Kingsway, Altrincham	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-140	Unit 2, The Furrows, Trafford Park,	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-149	Sawfield Nurseries, Fairy Lane, Sale	Site has an approved application for development however as it is in the Green Belt it is not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-155	Sale Golf Club, Golf Road, Sale,	Site has an approved application for development however as it is in the Green Belt it is not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-157	Wild Fowl Farm, Carrington Lane, Carrington, Manchester	Site has an approved application for development however as it is in the Green Belt it is not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-171	Irlam Locks, Irlam Road, Urmston	Site has an approved application for development however as it is in the Green Belt it is not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-197	Turn Moss, Turn Moss Road, Stretford, Manchester	Site already allocated as Open Space – classified under "Parks, Gardens and Recreation Ground".	Exclude
SSEL-199	intu Trafford Centre and its Vicinity	Not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan – submitted for designation as a town centre.	Exclude
SSEL-203	Trafford Retail Park, Barton Road, Urmston	Not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan – submitted for allocation as a retail warehouse park.	Exclude

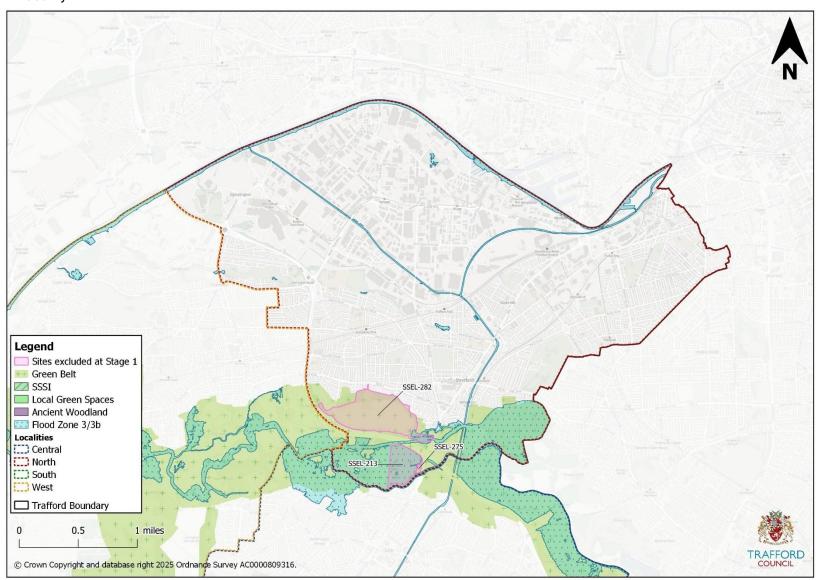
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sSSEL-237	The Chandlery Building, Stretford Marina, Marland Way, Stretford	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-244	Trafford City Strategic Location for Growth, Land bound by M60, Bridgewater Canal, Manchester Ship Canal and Parkway	Submission of wider site – considered too large for allocation. Smaller sites within boundary allocated for a variety of uses.	Exclude
SSEL-269	Land adjacent to Shawe House, Pennybridge Lane, Urmston	Review of site determined that development capacity would not be sufficient for allocation in this Local Plan.	Exclude
SSEL-273	Land off Seymour Grove, Old Trafford	Majority of the site is within an existing local centre designation. Draft Local Plan (April 2025) continues, and expands, this local centre designation.	Exclude
SSEL-286	The Trafford Rye Bank Rd Community Garden, Rye Bank Rd, Firswood, Stretford,	Not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan – does not meet standards required for designation as open space.	Exclude
SSEL-288	Land at the end of Woodcote Road, West Timperley	Not suitable for allocation in this Local Plan – does not meet standards required for designation as open space.	Exclude
SSEL-292	Former RAC Offices and Car Park, Thomas Street, Stretford	Within an existing employment land designation. Draft Local Plan (April 2025) continues to designate this land for employment use.	Exclude
SSEL-293	Land adjacent to Timperley Brook Stamford Brook Road Altrincham	Not available for allocation – site forms part of a designated school playing pitch.	Exclude
SSEL-296	Site of former Flixton Railway Station, Flixton Road, Flixton	Not appropriate for allocation for development as site comprised of Green Belt and land within the Green Infrastructure Network.	Exclude
SSEL-315	Former Trafford High School, Flixton	Not appropriate for allocation for development – site to be considered for new school if required subject to further infrastructure studies.	Exclude
SSEL-307	Trafford Centre Car Park 3	In current use as a Car Park central to Trafford Centre and other leisure uses – redevelopment of site for other uses not considered appropriate.	Exclude
SSEL-316	Land at Vale Road, Timperley	Incidental open space to be retained, not considered appropriate for allocation.	Exclude

7. Conclusion

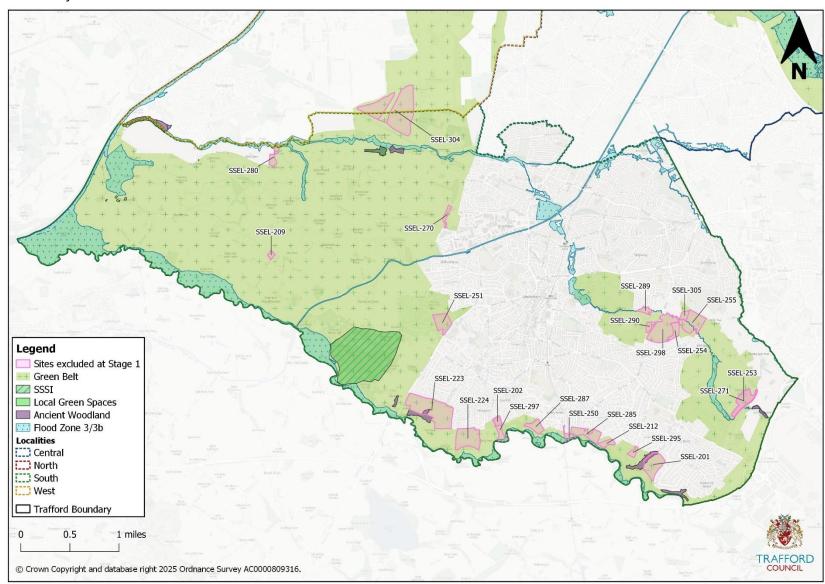
- 7.1. The result of the Site Selection process is a total of 80 proposed allocations for residential, and employment uses.
- 7.2. All of the proposed allocations are within the existing urban area and approximately 90% are on brownfield land. Sufficient land has therefore been identified to meet the housing and employment land requirements set in PfE Policies JP-H1, JP-J3 and JP-J4, as well as draft Local Plan policies R1 and EJ1.
- 7.3. The Site Selection Methodology has taken a logical, open and transparent approach to assessing sites, establishing a clear framework which takes a full account of the overarching Spatial Strategy and Strategic Objectives of the Local Plan.
- 7.4. Resulting in proposed allocations which will help to deliver the identified housing and employment land requirements and achieve the vision of Trafford's emerging Local Plan.

Appendix 1: Stage 1 Planning Constraints and excluded sites

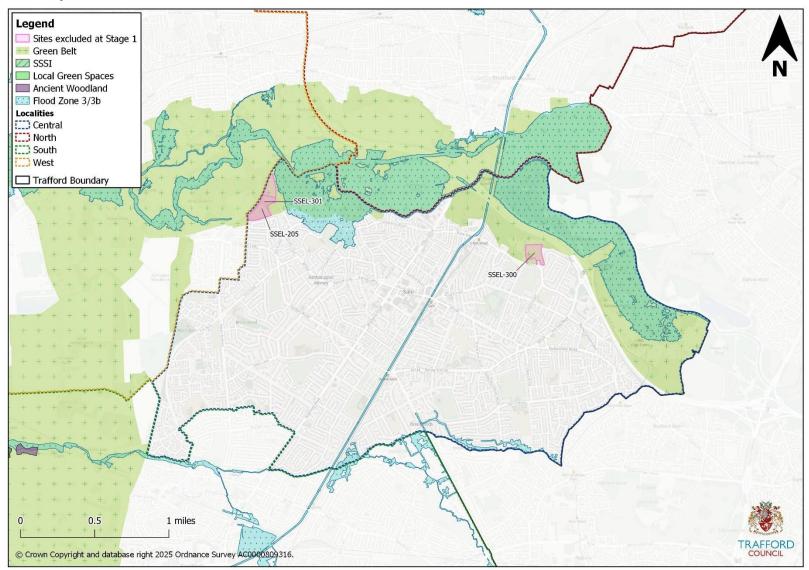
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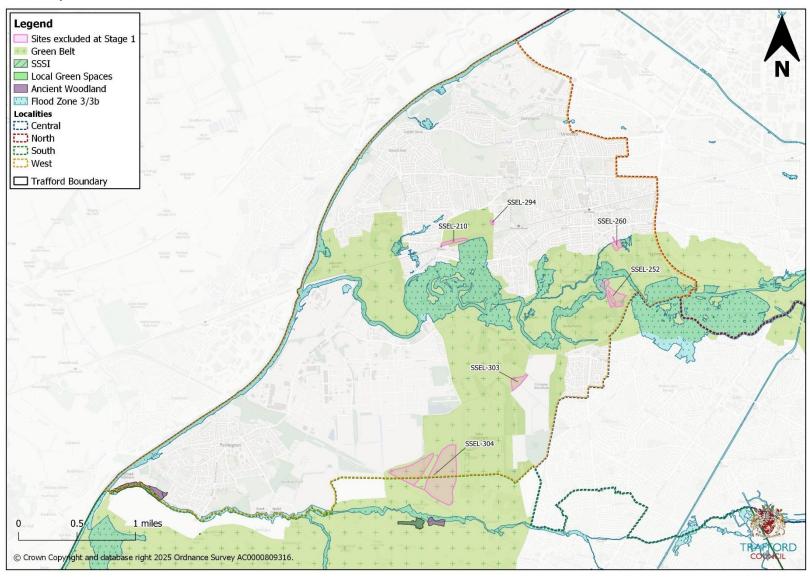
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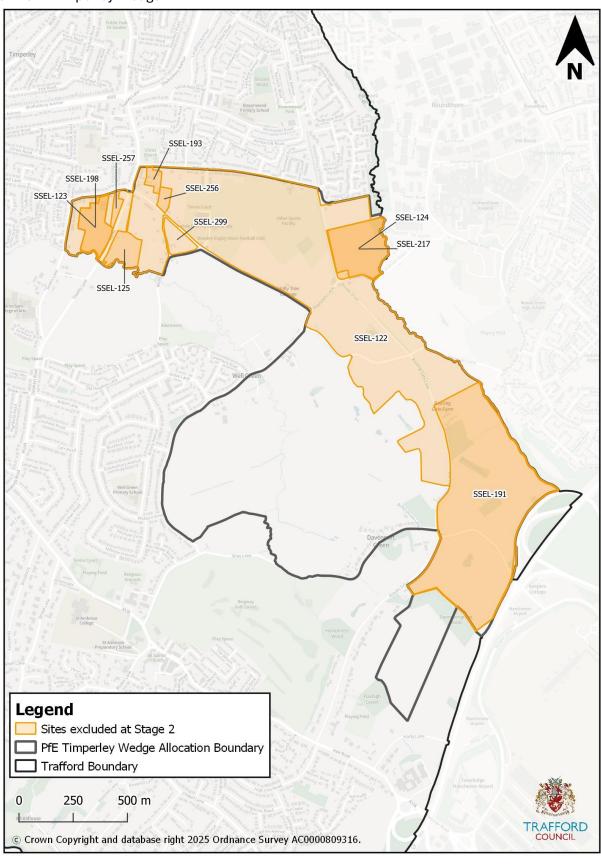


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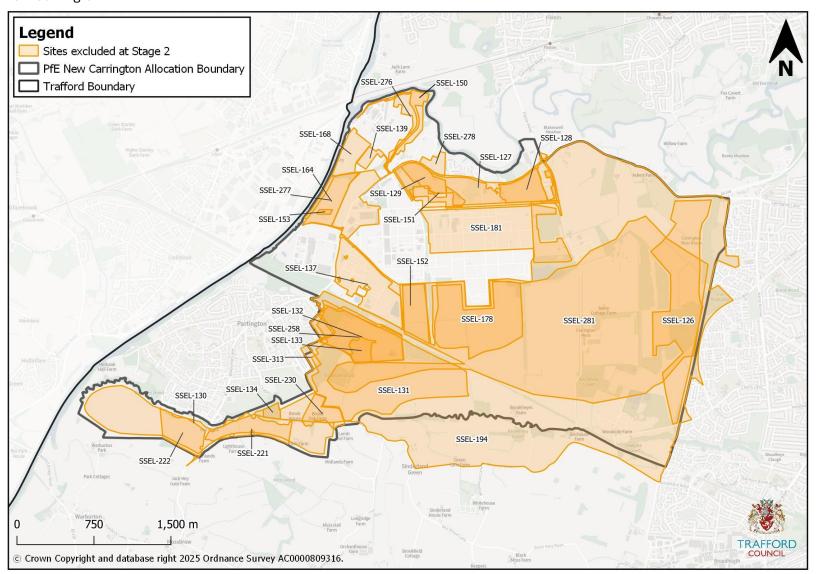


Appendix 2: Stage 2, PfE Allocations and excluded sites

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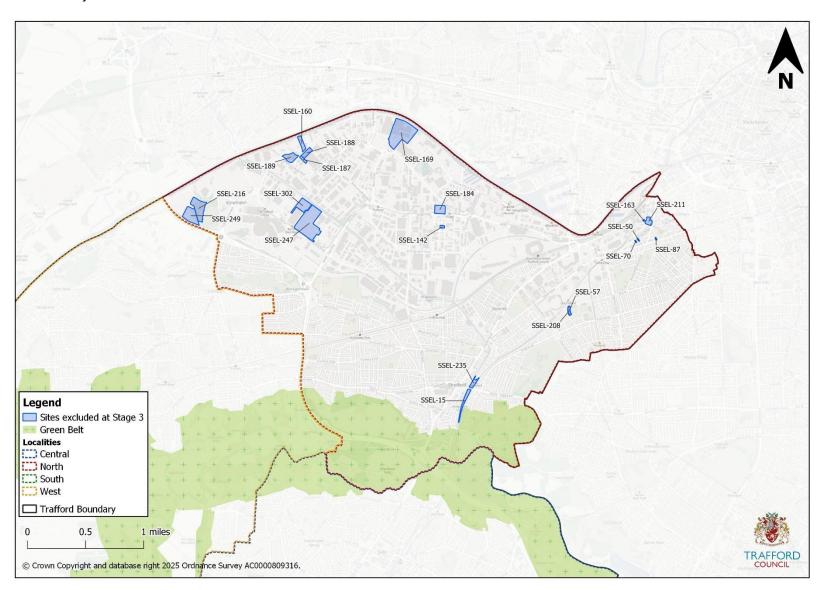


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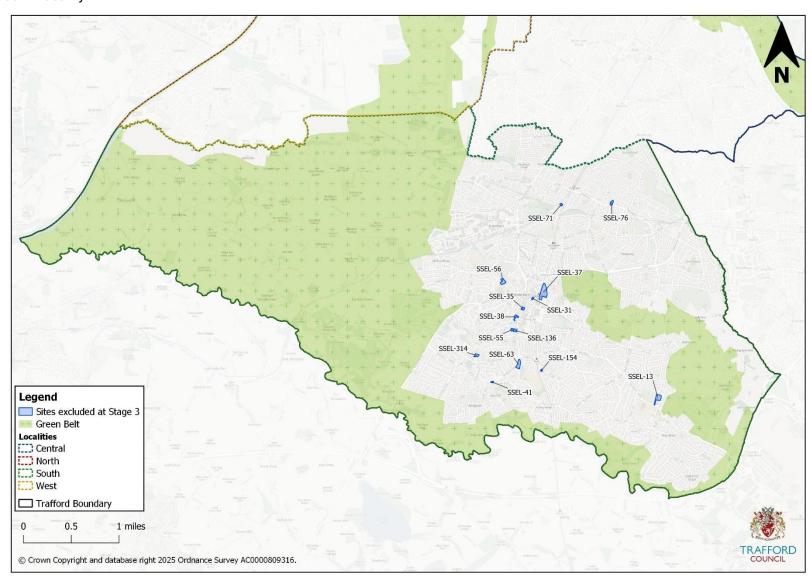


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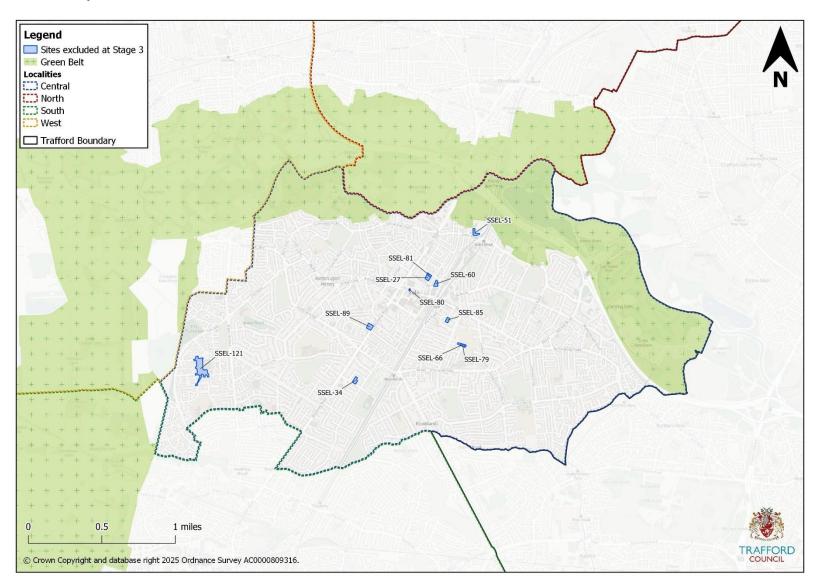
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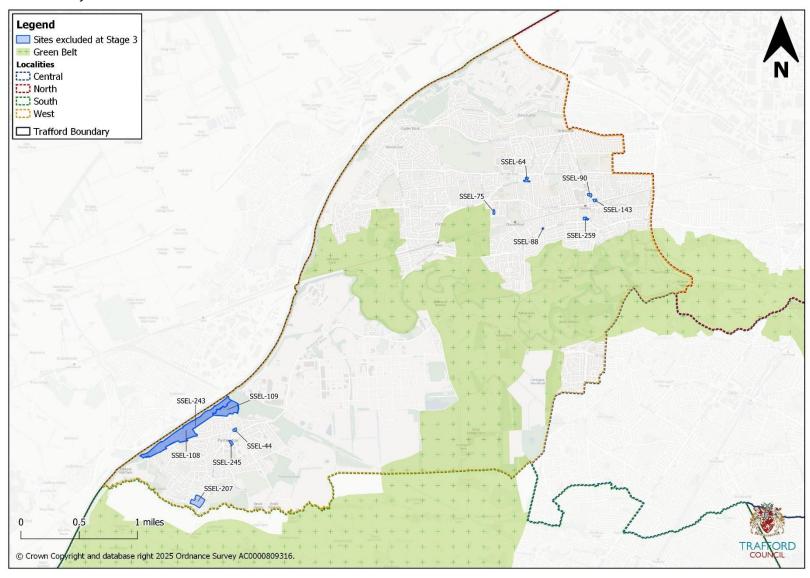
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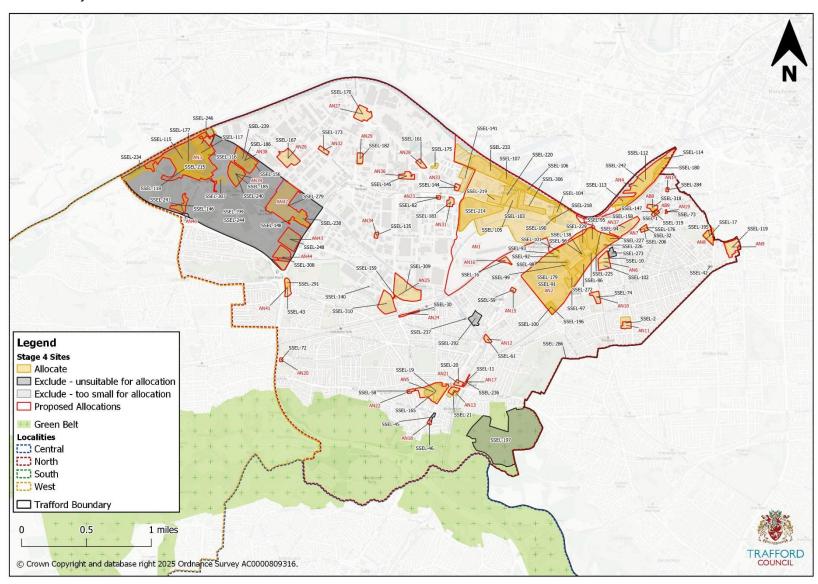
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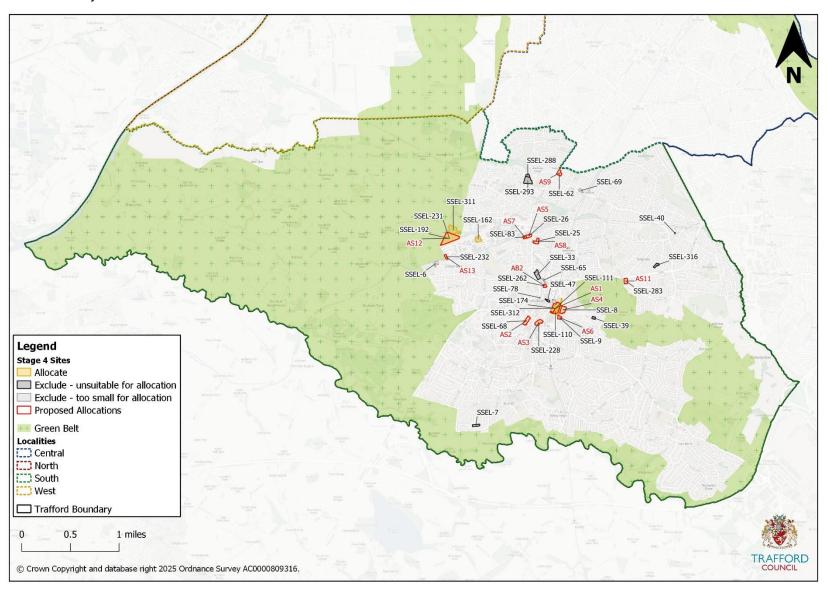
Appendix 4: Planning Constraints Assessment – see separate document.

Appendix 5: Sites proposed for allocations and sites excluded at Stage 4

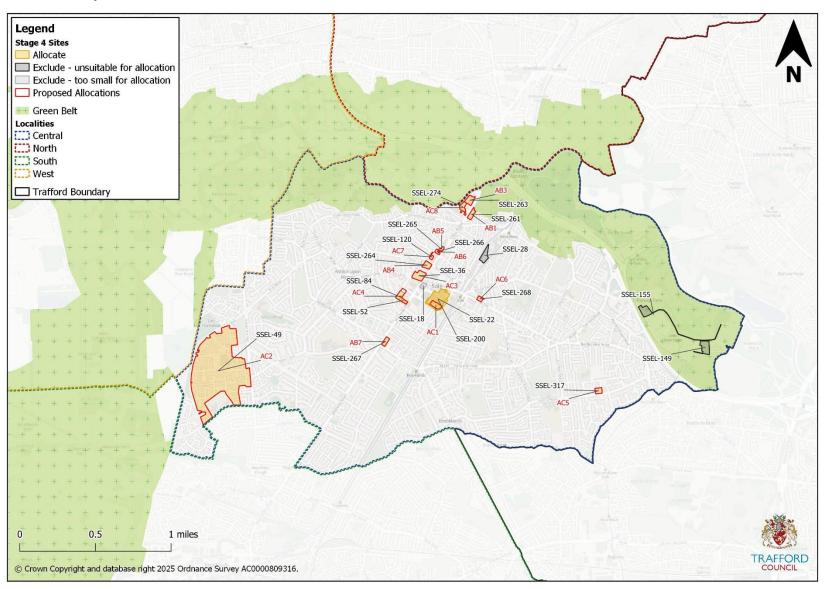
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