SETTLEMENT PROFILE LANTON

This profile should be read in conjunction with the relevant settlement map.

DESCRIPTION

Lanton is located 2 miles north west of Jedburgh, just off the A698 Hawick to Kelso road. The population of Lanton is 100 (2001 Census). It is located within the Central Borders Strategic Development Area as defined in the SESplan.

PLACE MAKING CONSIDERATIONS

Lanton is situated on the northern slopes of the Lanton Hill and is surrounded by the Teviot Valleys Special Landscape Area. The village was originally formed in two main groupings, the first around Lanton Tower, the former Inn and smithy to the South West; and the second around the former school and Lanton Farm in the north-east. The remainder of the village comprises detached houses and bungalows set in well landscaped gardens, including several mature trees that contribute significantly to the landscape quality of the settlement.

The most recent development has been small scale infill at the north eastern end of the village. The absence of local services and public transport means that significant levels of development should not be encouraged. Development beyond the plan period should be kept to a minimum and be limited to small scale infill. Development which would negatively impact on the character and setting of the village will be resisted.

There is one area, Lanton Community Garden, identified as key greenspace.

INFRASTRUCTURE CONSIDERATIONS

Affordable Housing will require to be provided under the provisions of Policy HD1 and the Supplementary Guidance/Supplementary Planning Guidance on Affordable Housing.

There is no requirement for contribution towards education provision.

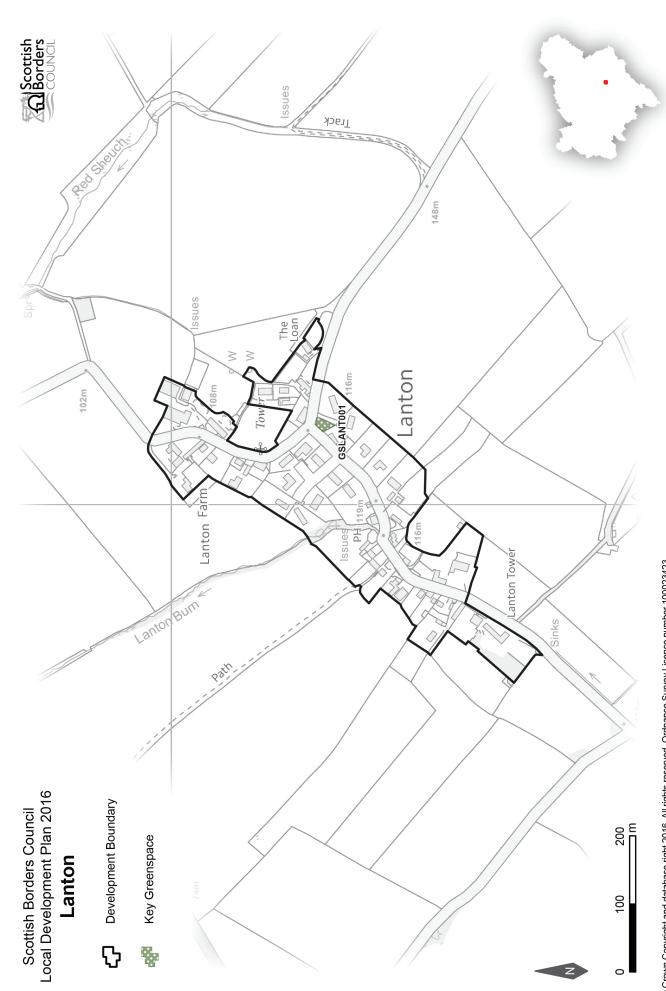
With regards to Waste Water Treatment Works, Lanton has limited capacity. Contributions may be required where upgrades are necessary. In respect of the local water network, developers may be required to contribute towards upgrading to enable development.

Further information is available from Supplementary Guidance/Supplementary Planning Guidance on Developer Contributions and Planning/Development Briefs where applicable.

DEVELOPMENT AND SAFEGUARDING PROPOSALS

KEY GREENSPACE

SITE REFERENCE	SITE NAME	SITE SIZE (HA)
GSLANT001	Lanton Community Garden	0.04



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