



East
Northamptonshire
Council

Which council does what?

Councils are responsible for lots of things that affect YOUR life. But are you, like lots of other people, confused about which council does what? This chart shows who does what in East Northamptonshire.

Northamptonshire County Council

Economic Development

Education

- Most schools and special education
- Nursery, adult, community education

Emergency Planning

Environment

- Refuse disposal
- Recycling
- Traveller sites

Fire & Rescue Service

Grants to Voluntary bodies

Highways/Transport

- Local transport plan and public transport
- Highways and parking
- Highways repairs
- Traffic management
- Footpaths and bridleways
- Transport planning
- Street lighting
- Street Doctor

Library & Information Service

Planning

- Strategic planning/structure plans
- Minerals and waste planning
- Highway development control
- Historic buildings

Recreation

- Country parks
- Archives and Record Office
- Museums/Art Galleries

Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths

Social Services

- Provision for the elderly, children and disabled (including Care in the Community and residential care)
- Inspection services

Tourism Development

Trading Standards

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Building Control

Community Partnerships

- Community Development
- Economic Development
- Community Safety
- Grants for voluntary and community groups

Council Tax and

Business Rates collection

Electoral Registration/Elections

Emergency Planning

Environment

- Refuse collection/street cleansing
- Dog waste bins on public land - emptying
- Recycling
- Travellers
- Food safety
- Dog and pest control
- Noise nuisance
- Pollution
- Health and Safety
- Licensing for taxis, music and dancing and gambling

Housing Benefit and Council Tax Support

Housing Register

- Working with Housing Associations
- Private sector housing grants
- Homelessness and housing advice
- Empty homes
- Enabling affordable housing
- Unfit housing
- Energy efficiency

Leisure

- Swimming pools and leisure centres
 - Sports development
- (all now managed for the council by Cultural Community Partnerships)

Planning

- Design guides and development briefs
- Development Control (Planning applications and enforcement)
- Local plans and planning policy
- Environmental improvements
- Land charges
- Historic buildings and conservation areas
- Tree preservation

Tourism Development

- Tourist Information Centre at Oundle
- Holiday and day visitor guides
- Tourism business advice

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Parish and Town Councils

Allotments

Burials/Cemeteries/ crematoria

Bus shelters

Certain street lighting

Clocks

Closed Churchyards

Grants to Voluntary Bodies

Installing dog waste bins on council owned land

Licensing -as consultees

Maintenance of open spaces

Markets

Museums and the arts

Off-street car parking

Parks, public open spaces and halls

Planning - as consultees

Playing fields

Public conveniences

Public seating

Tourism Development

Village halls

War and other memorials

See your local Parish or Town Council notice board