

# Webpage Glossary

<b>Acronym</b>	<b>Term</b>	<b>Definition</b>
<b>AMR</b>	<b>Annual Monitoring Report</b>	A report that presents an analysis of Minerals and Waste trends policies, progress on the Local Development Scheme (see below) and identifies any need for review of policies.
<b>DPD</b>	<b>Development Plan Document</b>	A Local Development Document which forms part of the statutory development plan, including the Core Strategy, Proposals Map and Area Action Plans.
<b>EfW</b>	<b>Energy from Waste</b>	The combustion of waste under controlled conditions in which the heat released is recovered to provide hot water and steam (usually) for electricity generation.
<b>HRA</b>	<b>Habitats Regulation Assessment</b>	Habitats Regulation Assessment considers the impact on the integrity of Natura 2000 sites of a project or plan, either alone or in combination with other projects or plans, with respect to the sites' structure and function and its conservation objectives. Additionally, where there are adverse impacts, HRA assesses the potential mitigation of those impacts.
<b>LDF</b>	<b>Local Development Framework</b>	A folder containing a number of documents including Local Development Developments setting out a local authority's policies for meeting the economic, environmental and social aims of its area.
<b>LDS</b>	<b>Local Development Scheme</b>	A timetable/project plan for the production of all the Local Development Developments relating to a LDF.
<b>BM&amp;WLP</b>	<b>Minerals and Waste Local Plan</b>	This is the current adopted plan which outlines the Council's policies on mineral and waste planning in Buckinghamshire and the development control policies.
<b>MDPD</b>	<b>Minerals Development Plan Document</b>	A Development Plan Document which provides the framework for development control decisions, including those relating to preferred areas, on minerals matters.
<b>MWLDF</b>	<b>Minerals and Waste Local Development Framework</b>	A collection of Local Development Documents (see above) relating to mineral and waste issues.
<b>MWCS</b>	<b>Minerals and Waste Core Strategy</b>	A Development Plan Document which sets out the County Council's vision, objectives and overall spatial development strategy for minerals and waste matters.
	<b>Proposals Maps</b>	A Proposals Map is a document which will show all of the Minerals and Waste Local Development Framework proposals on one map.

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<b>SFRA</b>	<b>Strategic Flood Risk Assessments</b>	A SFRA looks at flood risk at a strategic level on a local planning authority scale. The SFRA will provide information on whether flood risk is a significant issue in the area, where in the area flood risk is likely to be important, how much of the area is defended, where new development is likely to add risk and where flood risk needs to be considered in more detail
<b>SA</b>	<b>Sustainability Appraisal</b>	A single appraisal tool which provides for the systematic identification and evaluation of the economic, social and environmental impacts of a proposal
<b>SEA</b>	<b>Sustainability Environmental Assessment</b>	A process to ensure that significant environmental effects arising from policies, plans and programmes are identified, assessed, mitigated, communicated to decision-makers, monitored and that opportunities for public involvement are provided.
<b>SCI</b>	<b>Statement of Community Involvement</b>	Document setting out how the community will be consulted on major planning applications and in the preparation of the Local Development Framework
<b>TA</b>	<b>Transport Assessments</b>	A transport assessment will assess the existing highway conditions, traffic flows, local infrastructure and existing and proposed traffic management plans. This will be used to assess the likely impact of new development on the local road network.
<b>WDPD</b>	<b>Waste Development Plan Document</b>	A Development Plan Document which provides the framework for development control decisions, including those relating to preferred areas, on waste management matters.