

Appendix B

Non-Domestic Rating Rural Settlement List 2025/2026

Background

The provisions of the Local Government and Rating Act 1997 relating to Rural Rate Relief for village stores, post offices and small businesses came into force on the 1 April 1998.

Before any business can be considered for mandatory or discretionary relief, it must be in a designated rural settlement. Initially, by the 31 December 1997, Local Authorities were responsible for compiling a rural settlement list comprising of settlements within rural areas where the population is less than 3,000 on the preceding December.

Maintaining the List

The Council has a duty to compile and maintain the list. The new proposed Rural Settlement list for North Norfolk District Council is shown overleaf.

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Alby with Thwaite Aldborough and Thurgarton Antingham Ashmanhaugh Aylmerton Baconsthorpe **Bacton and Edingthorpe** Barsham and Houghton St Giles Barton Turf and Irstead **Beeston Regis** Binham and Cockthorpe Blakeney Bodham Briningham Brinton and Sharington Briston Brumstead Catfield **Cley Next The Sea** Colby and Banningham Corpusty and Saxthorpe Dilham Dunton, Toftrees and Shereford East Beckham East Ruston

Edgefield **Erpingham and Calthorpe** Felbrigg Felmingham **Field Dalling** and Saxlingham Fulmodeston and Barney Gimingham **Great Snoring** Gresham Gunthorpe and Bale Hanworth Happisburgh Helhoughton Hempstead Hempton Hickling **High Kelling** Hindolveston Hindringham Holkham Honing and Crostwight Horning Horsey Hoveton Ingham Ingworth

Itteringham Kelling Kettlestone Knapton Langham Lessingham and Eccles Letheringsett with Glandford Little Barningham Little Snoring Ludham Matlaske Melton Constable Morston Mundesley Neatishead Northrepps Overstrand Paston Plumstead Potter Heigham **Pudding Norton** Raynham Roughton Runton Ryburgh Salthouse Scottow

Sea Palling and Waxham Sidestrand Skevton Slolev Smallburgh Southrepps Stibbard Stiffkey Stody and Hunworth Suffield Sustead, Bessingham and Metton Sutton Swafield and Bradfield Swanton Abbott Swanton Novers Tattersett and Tatterford Thornage **Thorpe Market** Thurning Thursford Trimingham Trunch Tunstead and Sco Ruston **Upper Sheringham** Walcott

Sculthorpe

Walsingham Warham Wells-next-the-Sea West Beckham Westwick Weybourne Wickmere Wighton Witton and Ridlington Wiveton Wood Norton Worstead and Briggate

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