The DLP “Oundle Site Assessment – Detailed Reassessment of Shortlisted Sites” included seeking of comments from Anglian Water on the extent of new drainage infrastructure that would be required to service the site (Appendix 5, paragraph 2.19).

Feedback from Anglian Water had been provided in response to the three sites proposed in the Local Plan Part 2 (policies EN25-EN27). Due to Anglian Water’s processes, the company was unable to provide a response in time for publication of the DLP report. In order to overcome this, the DLP report advised that: “The other [alternative] sites have been given a nominal score (of 0) which does not impact the results. If ENC wish to do so, it may be possible to include these assessment results as an addendum to this study” (Appendix 5, paragraph 2.19).

Feedback from Anglian Water was received on 26 July. This consisted of:

- General comments regarding water supply network, surface water sewer capacity and Water Recycling Centre (WRC) capacity (comments below); and
- Site by site traffic light assessment, regarding water resources, clean water and used water (e.g. sewerage capacity).

**Anglian Water – general comments**

*Water supply network* – as you will see a number of the sites are expected to require improvements to the water supply network to enable a connection to the existing supply networks. This is not an absolute constraint as there is an established mechanism for developers under the Water Industry Act 1991 to pay Anglian Water directly to supply water to their site.

*Surface water sewer capacity* – as you will see there is no capacity for additional surface water flows to be discharged into the public sewerage network from the proposed sites on an individual site basis. Therefore in the event any of these sites were to be identified as allocated sites in the Local Plan alternatives would have to be considered in accordance with the surface water hierarchy. In effect this would require developments to include SuDS rather than connecting to the public sewerage network.

*Water Recycling Centre capacity* – an assessment has been made of the available capacity at the receiving Water Recycling Centre (formerly sewage treatment works)
on an individual site basis. Please note that Anglian Water is responsible for any required investment funded through our business plan at our WRCs or within the sewerage network to ensure sufficient sewage treatment capacity is made available in time to serve development.
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Enhancement to treatment capacity may be required.