



WEST SUFFOLK: A SINGLE DISTRICT-LEVEL COUNCIL – INDEPENDENT SURVEY OF RESIDENTS

METHODOLOGY NOTE

ComRes interviewed 1,001 adults aged 18+ living in West Suffolk by telephone between June 30th and July 24th 2017. All respondents lived in and were eligible to vote in elections in either Forest Heath District Council or St Edmundsbury Borough Council areas. Data have been weighted to be representative of all adults across West Suffolk living in Forest Heath District and St Edmundsbury Borough Council areas by age, gender, social grade, ward, ethnicity and council area. ComRes set quotas to ensure 400 interviews in Forest Heath District and 600 in St Edmundsbury Borough Council areas. ComRes is a member of the British Polling Council and abides by its rules.

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<p>achieve by creating a single District-level Council for West Suffolk. Q5_5. For each one, please say how important, if at all, you feel it is that they achieve this objective. Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing</p> <p>Base: All respondents</p>	38
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<p>Currently there are 72 Councillors representing the entire West Suffolk area. A new single District-level Council may lead to some political changes, with a potential reduction in the total number of councillors across the area in line with national trends. Q6. To what extent do you think a reduction in the overall number of councillors would have a positive or negative impact on how your council is run, or make no difference at all?</p> <p>Base: All respondents</p>	44
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Heard of and know a lot about it	52	19	33	34	18	6	4	17	7	6	13	10	24	19
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Heard of but know nothing about it	88	34	54	40	48	1	12	14	22	15	24	14	35	39
	9%	9%	9%	8%	10%	1%	8%	7%	13%	10%	10%	5%	10%	10%
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Never heard of it	500	198	303	213	287	64	105	99	83	71	78	169	182	149
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	50%	47%	52%	58%	42%	38%	36%	47%	49%	54%	65%	37%	48%	61%
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Net: No knowledge	588	232	356	253	335	66	117	113	105	86	102	183	218	188
	59%	62%	57%	50%	67%	63%	71%	60%	64%	55%	45%	68%	62%	49%
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Heard of and know a lot about it	52	17	15	13	8	32	21	50	2	32	17	52	52	-
	5%	9%	4%	6%	3%	6%	4%	5%	3%	5%	4%	13%	10%	-
		df										m	m	
Heard of and know a little about it	360	81	127	80	71	209	152	339	18	197	157	360	360	-
	36%	42%	38%	34%	30%	40%	32%	36%	33%	33%	40%	87%	72%	-
		df	d			df					i	lm	m	
Heard of but know nothing about it	88	13	28	27	20	41	47	87	1	51	36	-	88	-
	9%	7%	8%	11%	8%	8%	10%	9%	2%	9%	9%	-	18%	-
													km	
Never heard of it	500	83	162	117	139	244	256	461	33	308	178	-	-	500
	50%	43%	49%	49%	58%	46%	54%	49%	62%	52%	46%	-	-	100%
					abce		ae			j				kl
NETS														
Net: Knowledge of	413	98	142	94	79	241	172	389	19	228	174	413	413	-
	41%	51%	43%	39%	33%	46%	36%	42%	36%	39%	45%	100%	82%	-
		cdf	d			df						lm	m	
Net: Heard of	501	111	170	121	99	282	219	476	21	279	210	413	501	-
	50%	57%	51%	51%	42%	54%	46%	51%	38%	48%	54%	100%	100%	-
		df	d	d		df					i	m	m	
Net: No knowledge	588	96	189	144	159	285	303	548	35	359	214	-	88	500
	59%	49%	57%	61%	67%	54%	64%	58%	64%	61%	55%	-	18%	100%
				a	abe		ae						k	kl

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At present, all of your District council services are delivered jointly by Forest Heath and St Edmundsbury councils. This survey is about the proposed creation of a new single District-level Council for West Suffolk, replacing Forest Heath District and St Edmundsbury Borough councils.

Q3. Before now, had you ever heard of the proposed creation of a single District Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Heard of and know a lot about it	52	36	14	2	37	16	-	22	29	1	15	19	16	1
	5%	6%	7%	1%	5%	7%	-	5%	5%	4%	4%	6%	6%	2%
		c	c		f	f								
Heard of and know a little about it	360	247	73	41	256	77	27	168	187	5	131	103	110	17
	36%	38%	37%	26%	36%	36%	34%	40%	35%	13%	38%	30%	42%	29%
		c	c		i	i		i	i		k		k	
Heard of but know nothing about it	88	47	23	18	60	21	7	37	49	2	32	32	20	4
	9%	7%	12%	12%	9%	10%	8%	9%	9%	5%	9%	9%	8%	6%
Never heard of it	500	317	85	98	353	102	46	197	275	29	167	184	114	36
	50%	49%	44%	62%	50%	47%	58%	46%	51%	79%	48%	54%	44%	62%
				ab						gh		l		l
NETS														
Net: Knowledge of	413	283	87	43	292	93	27	190	216	6	146	122	126	19
	41%	44%	45%	27%	41%	43%	34%	45%	40%	17%	42%	36%	49%	32%
		c	c		i	i		i	i				km	
Net: Heard of	501	330	110	61	353	114	34	228	265	8	178	154	146	22
	50%	51%	56%	38%	50%	53%	42%	54%	49%	21%	52%	46%	56%	38%
		c	c		i	i		i	i				km	
Net: No knowledge	588	364	108	117	413	123	52	234	324	30	199	215	134	40
	59%	56%	55%	73%	59%	57%	66%	55%	60%	83%	58%	64%	51%	68%
				ab						gh		l		l

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Q4. In general, to what extent are you favourable or unfavourable towards the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

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	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very favourable	(4)	180	127	95	85	16	22	29	26	35	51	38	55	86
		18%	20%	19%	17%	15%	14%	16%	16%	22%	23%	14%	16%	23%
			a							fk	fk			fk
Fairly favourable	(3)	467	296	223	244	66	79	87	73	73	89	145	160	162
		47%	47%	44%	49%	63%	48%	47%	44%	47%	39%	54%	46%	42%
						fghijlm						hijlm		
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	105	59	58	47	9	23	9	21	16	27	32	30	43
		10%	9%	11%	10%	8%	14%	5%	13%	10%	12%	12%	9%	11%
							gl		g		g	g		g
Very unfavourable	(1)	90	45	54	36	4	17	17	11	13	27	21	29	40
		9%	7%	11%	7%	4%	10%	9%	7%	9%	12%	8%	8%	11%
			b								e			
Don't know		159	99	74	85	9	23	44	33	18	32	32	77	50
		16%	16%	15%	17%	9%	14%	24%	20%	12%	14%	12%	22%	13%
								efijkm	eikm				efijkm	
NETS														
Net: Favourable		647	423	318	329	82	101	116	99	108	140	183	216	248
		65%	68%	63%	66%	79%	62%	62%	60%	70%	62%	68%	61%	65%
			a			fghijlm								
Net: Unfavourable		195	103	111	84	13	40	26	33	29	54	53	59	83
		19%	17%	22%	17%	12%	25%	14%	20%	19%	24%	20%	17%	22%
			b	d			egl				egl			g
Mean score		2.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9
			a			f								
Standard deviation		.87	.83	.91	.82	.67	.86	.86	.83	.87	.97	.80	.85	.93
Standard error		.03	.04	.04	.04	.08	.07	.07	.07	.07	.07	.05	.05	.05

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		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very favourable	(4)	180	55	48	37	39	104	76	166	13	95	84	95	106	74
		18%	29%	15%	15%	16%	20%	16%	18%	24%	16%	22%	23%	21%	15%
			bcdef								i	m	m		
Fairly favourable	(3)	467	77	164	118	107	241	226	435	26	289	167	188	224	243
		47%	40%	49%	50%	45%	46%	48%	46%	48%	49%	43%	46%	45%	49%
			a	a											
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	105	17	39	29	20	56	49	99	5	63	40	45	60	45
		10%	9%	12%	12%	8%	11%	10%	11%	9%	11%	10%	11%	12%	9%
Very unfavourable	(1)	90	17	21	22	30	38	52	87	2	44	42	42	49	40
		9%	9%	6%	9%	13%	7%	11%	9%	3%	8%	11%	10%	10%	8%
					be	be									
Don't know		159	27	60	31	41	87	72	150	8	96	57	43	61	98
		16%	14%	18%	13%	17%	17%	15%	16%	15%	16%	15%	10%	12%	20%
															kl
NETS															
Net: Favourable		647	133	212	155	146	345	302	601	39	385	250	283	330	317
		65%	68%	64%	65%	62%	66%	64%	64%	72%	66%	64%	69%	66%	63%
Net: Unfavourable		195	34	60	51	50	94	101	186	7	107	82	87	110	85
		19%	18%	18%	21%	21%	18%	21%	20%	13%	18%	21%	21%	22%	17%
Mean score		2.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9
			cdf				df								
Standard deviation		.87	.92	.78	.85	.93	.84	.89	.87	.75	.82	.93	.91	.90	.83
Standard error		.03	.07	.05	.06	.06	.04	.04	.03	.14	.04	.05	.05	.04	.04

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very favourable	(4)	180	-	-	162	13	5	42	137	1	82	68	26	4
	18%	28%	-	-	23%	6%	6%	10%	25%	2%	24%	20%	10%	7%
		bc			ef				gi		lm	lm		
Fairly favourable	(3)	467	-	-	423	30	14	178	281	8	169	172	99	26
	47%	72%	-	-	60%	14%	17%	42%	52%	23%	49%	51%	38%	45%
		bc			ef			i	gi		l	l		
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	105	105	-	27	73	5	75	27	3	22	30	49	4
	10%	-	54%	-	4%	34%	7%	18%	5%	9%	6%	9%	19%	7%
			ac		df			h					jkm	
Very unfavourable	(1)	90	90	-	12	76	1	71	18	1	15	23	50	1
	9%	-	46%	-	2%	35%	2%	17%	3%	2%	4%	7%	19%	2%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Don't know		159	-	159	82	24	54	58	77	23	57	45	35	22
	16%	-	-	100%	12%	11%	68%	14%	14%	64%	16%	13%	14%	38%
				ab			de			gh				jkl
NETS														
Net: Favourable	647	647	-	-	585	43	19	220	418	9	251	240	125	31
	65%	100%	-	-	83%	20%	24%	52%	77%	25%	73%	71%	48%	52%
		bc			ef			i	gi		lm	lm		
Net: Unfavourable	195	-	195	-	39	149	7	146	45	4	37	53	100	5
	19%	-	100%	-	6%	69%	8%	34%	8%	11%	11%	16%	38%	9%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Mean score	2.9	3.3	1.5	-	3.2	1.9	2.9	2.5	3.2	2.7	3.1	3.0	2.4	2.9
		b			e				g		kl	l		l
Standard deviation	.87	.45	.50	-	.59	.90	.80	.93	.70	.69	.75	.80	.96	.62
Standard error	.03	.02	.04	-	.02	.06	.15	.05	.03	.19	.04	.05	.07	.11

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SUMMARY TABLE

Base: All respondents

	Total	Very important	Fairly important	Not very important	Not at all important	Don't know	Net: Important	Net: Not important	Mean
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	1001 100%	830 83%	141 14%	11 1%	8 1%	10 1%	971 97%	20 2%	3.8
Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	1001 100%	664 66%	266 27%	31 3%	13 1%	27 3%	930 93%	44 4%	3.6
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	1001 100%	637 64%	267 27%	39 4%	21 2%	37 4%	904 90%	60 6%	3.6
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	1001 100%	504 50%	366 37%	71 7%	30 3%	30 3%	871 87%	100 10%	3.4
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	1001 100%	433 43%	413 41%	78 8%	37 4%	40 4%	846 85%	115 11%	3.3
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	1001 100%	468 47%	339 34%	92 9%	40 4%	62 6%	807 81%	132 13%	3.3

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	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	971 97%	360 96%	611 98%	485 96%	486 98%	102 98%	158 96%	179 96%	162 98%	152 98%	219 97%	261 97%	341 97%	370 97%
Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	930 93%	351 93%	579 93%	460 91%	470 94%	97 93%	161 98%	174 93%	158 96%	142 92%	198 88%	258 96%	332 94%	340 89%
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	904 90%	332 88%	572 91%	450 89%	454 91%	99 95%	150 92%	163 87%	152 92%	142 91%	198 88%	249 93%	315 89%	340 89%
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	871 87%	319 85%	552 88%	427 85%	443 89%	94 90%	148 90%	158 85%	145 88%	129 83%	197 87%	242 90%	303 86%	325 85%

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	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	846 85%	304 81%	541 87% a	412 82%	434 87% c	96 92% im	138 84%	155 83%	141 86%	125 81%	191 85%	233 87%	296 84%	317 83%
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	807 81%	292 78%	515 82%	388 77%	419 84% c	87 84%	146 89% ghijlm	142 76%	131 80%	121 78%	180 80%	233 87% ghijlm	273 78%	301 79%
None of the above	10 1%	5 1%	5 1%	7 1%	4 1%	2 2%	1 *	3 1%	2 1%	2 1%	1 1%	2 1%	5 1%	3 1%

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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	971 97%	187 96%	329 99% acdf	229 96%	226 95%	516 98% df	455 96%	911 97%	51 94%	571 97%	377 97%	399 97%	485 97%	487 97%
Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	930 93%	182 94%	315 95% df	219 92%	213 90%	498 95% df	432 91%	871 93%	49 91%	552 94%	356 92%	380 92%	461 92%	469 94%
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	904 90%	181 93% df	307 92% df	221 93% df	195 82%	488 93% df	416 88% d	848 91%	46 85%	541 92% j	341 88%	375 91%	455 91%	449 90%
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	871 87%	171 88%	296 89%	202 85%	201 85%	467 89%	404 85%	819 87%	42 78%	509 87%	341 88%	352 85%	433 86%	438 88%

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Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	846 85%	158 82%	279 84%	211 89% ae	198 83%	437 83%	409 86%	795 85%	42 78%	493 84%	331 85%	345 83%	420 84%	426 85%
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	807 81%	149 77%	263 79%	206 87% abde	189 80%	412 78%	395 83% ae	759 81%	42 77%	474 81%	314 81%	328 79%	399 80%	408 82%
None of the above	10 1%	2 1%	1 *	2 1%	5 2%	3 1%	8 2%	9 1%	2 3%	7 1%	2 1%	5 1%	6 1%	5 1%

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Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	971 97%	639 99%	182 93%	151 95%	697 99%	201 93%	73 92%	409 96%	529 98%	33 90%	335 97%	329 98%	250 96%	57 97%
		bc		ef					i					
Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	930 93%	623 96%	165 85%	142 89%	679 96%	182 84%	69 87%	388 92%	511 95%	30 83%	329 95%	311 92%	234 90%	56 96%
		bc		ef					i		l			
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	904 90%	609 94%	164 84%	131 82%	664 94%	180 84%	59 74%	378 89%	499 92%	26 72%	320 93%	305 90%	229 88%	50 86%
		bc		ef				i	i					
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	871 87%	593 92%	147 75%	131 82%	643 91%	164 76%	63 79%	364 86%	480 89%	27 74%	303 88%	290 86%	224 86%	54 93%
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Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	846	584	144	117	635	159	52	350	472	24	296	289	212	48
	85%	90%	74%	74%	90%	73%	66%	83%	87%	65%	86%	86%	82%	83%
		bc			ef			i	gi					
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	807	577	127	103	628	130	49	321	465	21	300	277	189	40
	81%	89%	65%	65%	89%	60%	62%	76%	86%	58%	87%	82%	73%	69%
		bc			ef			i	gi		lm	lm		
None of the above	10	1	6	4	2	6	3	5	3	2	2	2	5	2
	1%	*	3%	2%	*	3%	4%	1%	1%	6%	1%	1%	2%	3%
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	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
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Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	132 13%	55 15%	77 12%	86 17% d	46 9%	14 13%	13 8%	32 17% fk	21 13%	23 15%	29 13%	27 10%	52 15% f	52 14%
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	115 11%	52 14%	63 10%	74 15% d	40 8%	6 6%	20 12%	21 11%	20 12%	22 14%	25 11%	26 10%	41 12%	48 12%
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	100 10%	43 11%	58 9%	67 13% d	34 7%	7 7%	12 7%	24 13% k	18 11%	19 12%	21 9%	19 7%	41 12%	40 10%
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	60 6%	28 7%	33 5%	36 7%	24 5%	3 3%	11 7%	16 9%	7 4%	8 5%	15 7%	15 6%	23 7%	22 6%

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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	44 4%	16 4%	27 4%	28 5%	16 3%	1 1%	2 1%	9 5%	7 4%	7 4%	18 8%	3 1%	16 4%	25 6%
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	20 2%	11 3%	9 1%	15 3%	5 1%	-	3 2%	6 3%	3 2%	1 1%	6 3%	3 1%	9 3%	7 2%
None of the above	710 71%	251 67%	459 73%	323 64%	387 78%	83 80%	123 75%	124 66%	119 72%	104 67%	157 70%	206 77%	242 69%	262 69%
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	132 13%	33 17%	48 15%	25 10%	26 11%	81 15%	51 11%	121 13%	7 13%	81 14%	48 12%	67 16%	80 16%	52 10%
		cf				f						m	m	
Simplify council decision-making while still keeping offices across both areas	115 11%	28 14%	41 12%	22 9%	24 10%	69 13%	46 10%	109 12%	5 9%	72 12%	41 11%	55 13%	66 13%	49 10%
Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people	100 10%	19 10%	29 9%	28 12%	24 10%	49 9%	52 11%	95 10%	5 9%	58 10%	39 10%	51 12%	56 11%	45 9%
Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster	60 6%	10 5%	16 5%	8 4%	25 11%	27 5%	34 7%	59 6%	1 3%	31 5%	28 7%	28 7%	34 7%	26 5%
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Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing	44 4%	6 3%	9 3%	13 6%	15 6%	15 3%	28 6%	42 4%	2 3%	24 4%	18 5%	20 5%	26 5%	18 4%
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	20 2%	4 2%	3 1%	8 3%	6 2%	6 1%	13 3%	18 2%	2 3%	10 2%	8 2%	9 2%	11 2%	8 2%
None of the above	710 71%	130 67%	230 69%	180 76%	171 72%	359 68%	351 74%	665 71%	38 71%	414 70%	278 72%	272 66%	339 68%	371 74%

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Deliver further efficiency savings in the Councils' budget of around eight-hundred thousand pounds a year	132 13%	48 7%	56 29%	28 17%	56 8%	63 29%	13 16%	72 17%	55 10%	4 11%	32 9%	37 11%	54 21%	8 13%
			ac	a		df	d	h					jk	
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			ac	a		d							jk	
Continue the delivery of important services to local people	20 2%	7 1%	9 4%	4 2%	8 1%	10 5%	1 2%	11 3%	8 1%	1 2%	7 2%	4 1%	8 3%	- -
			a			d								
None of the above	710 71%	508 78%	100 51%	102 64%	554 78%	110 51%	47 59%	286 67%	398 74%	26 72%	252 73%	245 73%	167 64%	46 79%
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		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	830	302	528	408	421	91	129	151	137	134	189	220	288	322
		83%	81%	84%	81%	85%	88%	78%	81%	83%	86%	83%	82%	82%	85%
Fairly important	(3)	141	58	84	77	65	11	30	28	25	18	30	41	53	48
		14%	15%	13%	15%	13%	11%	18%	15%	15%	11%	13%	15%	15%	13%
Not very important	(2)	11	7	4	8	3	-	2	3	1	1	4	2	4	5
		1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	*	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%
Not at all important	(1)	8	4	5	7	1	-	1	4	2	-	1	1	6	1
		1%	1%	1%	1%	*	-	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	*
Don't know		10	5	5	4	6	2	2	1	1	3	2	4	2	4
		1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	*	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%
NETS															
Net: Important		971	360	611	485	486	102	158	179	162	152	219	261	341	370
		97%	96%	98%	96%	98%	98%	96%	96%	98%	98%	97%	97%	97%	97%
Net: Not important		20	11	9	15	5	-	3	6	3	1	6	3	9	7
		2%	3%	1%	3%	1%	-	2%	3%	2%	1%	3%	1%	3%	2%
Mean score		3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
					c		f				fg				
Standard deviation		.48	.52	.45	.54	.40	.31	.51	.58	.49	.36	.48	.45	.54	.44
Standard error		.02	.03	.02	.02	.02	.03	.04	.04	.04	.03	.03	.03	.03	.02

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	830	164	275	199	192	439	391	778	43	492	323	353	425	405
		83%	85%	83%	84%	81%	84%	82%	83%	80%	84%	83%	85%	85%	81%
Fairly important	(3)	141	23	54	30	34	77	64	132	7	80	54	46	60	82
		14%	12%	16%	13%	14%	15%	14%	14%	14%	14%	14%	11%	12%	16% kl
Not very important	(2)	11	2	1	5	3	4	8	11	-	4	6	4	6	6
		1%	1%	*	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
Not at all important	(1)	8	1	1	3	3	3	6	7	2	6	3	5	6	2
		1%	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
Don't know		10	3	-	1	6	3	7	8	2	6	3	5	5	5
		1%	2%	-	*	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
			b		bce										
NETS															
Net: Important		971	187	329	229	226	516	455	911	51	571	377	399	485	487
		97%	96%	99%	96%	95%	98%	96%	97%	94%	97%	97%	97%	97%	97%
				acdf			df								
Net: Not important		20	4	3	8	6	6	13	18	2	10	8	9	11	8
		2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	1%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%
					b										
Mean score		3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
Standard deviation		.48	.45	.42	.53	.51	.43	.52	.47	.62	.47	.48	.49	.49	.46
Standard error		.02	.03	.03	.03	.03	.02	.02	.02	.11	.02	.02	.02	.02	.02

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		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very important (4)	830	552	154	124	598	169	63	347	457	26	287	281	217	46
	83%	85%	79%	78%	85%	78%	79%	82%	85%	71%	83%	83%	83%	79%
		bc			e				i					
Fairly important (3)	141	87	28	26	100	32	10	62	72	7	49	49	34	10
	14%	13%	14%	17%	14%	15%	13%	15%	13%	19%	14%	14%	13%	18%
Not very important (2)	11	5	3	2	5	5	1	7	3	1	6	2	4	-
	1%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	2%	*	2%	-
					d									
Not at all important (1)	8	2	5	1	2	5	1	4	4	-	2	3	4	-
	1%	*	3%	1%	*	2%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	-
		a	a		d	d								
Don't know	10	1	5	5	1	5	5	4	3	3	2	4	2	2
	1%	*	2%	3%	*	2%	6%	1%	1%	8%	1%	1%	1%	3%
			a	a	d	d				gh				
NETS														
Net: Important	971	639	182	151	697	201	73	409	529	33	335	329	250	57
	97%	99%	93%	95%	99%	93%	92%	96%	98%	90%	97%	98%	96%	97%
		bc			ef				i					
Net: Not important	20	7	9	4	8	10	1	11	8	1	7	4	8	-
	2%	1%	4%	2%	1%	5%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	1%	3%	-
		a	a		d	d								
Mean score	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.7	3.8	3.8	3.8	3.8
		b			e									
Standard deviation	.48	.41	.63	.51	.42	.63	.48	.51	.45	.49	.47	.46	.53	.39
Standard error	.02	.02	.05	.04	.02	.04	.06	.02	.02	.08	.02	.03	.03	.05

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Q5_2. For each one, please say how important, if at all, you feel it is that they achieve this objective.

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Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very important	(4)	468	161	307	223	47	84	79	77	66	115	131	155	181
		47%	43%	49%	44%	46%	51%	42%	46%	43%	51%	49%	44%	48%
Fairly important	(3)	339	131	209	165	40	62	63	55	55	64	102	118	120
		34%	35%	33%	33%	38%	38%	34%	33%	36%	29%	38%	33%	31%
Not very important	(2)	92	35	57	58	12	8	22	15	19	15	20	37	35
		9%	9%	9%	12%	11%	5%	12%	9%	12%	7%	7%	11%	9%
Not at all important	(1)	40	20	19	28	2	5	10	5	4	14	7	15	18
		4%	5%	3%	5%	2%	3%	5%	3%	2%	6%	3%	4%	5%
Don't know		62	29	34	30	3	5	14	13	11	17	8	27	28
		6%	8%	5%	6%	3%	3%	7%	8%	7%	7%	3%	8%	7%
								fk	fk	k	fk		fk	fk
NETS														
Net: Important		807	292	515	388	87	146	142	131	121	180	233	273	301
		81%	78%	82%	77%	84%	89%	76%	80%	78%	80%	87%	78%	79%
					c		ghijlm					ghijlm		
Net: Not important		132	55	77	86	14	13	32	21	23	29	27	52	52
		13%	15%	12%	17%	13%	8%	17%	13%	15%	13%	10%	15%	14%
					d			fk					f	
Mean score		3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3
				a	c		g					g		
Standard deviation		.82	.86	.79	.88	.76	.73	.87	.80	.79	.88	.74	.84	.84
Standard error		.03	.04	.03	.04	.08	.05	.07	.06	.07	.06	.05	.05	.05

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		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	468	94	135	123	116	229	239	438	28	266	190	200	236	232
		47%	48%	41%	52%	49%	43%	50%	47%	51%	45%	49%	48%	47%	46%
				be			be								
Fairly important	(3)	339	56	127	83	73	183	156	321	14	208	124	128	163	176
		34%	29%	38%	35%	31%	35%	33%	34%	26%	35%	32%	31%	33%	35%
				a											
Not very important	(2)	92	22	34	18	18	56	36	82	7	56	33	50	59	33
		9%	11%	10%	8%	7%	11%	8%	9%	13%	10%	9%	12%	12%	7%
												m	m		
Not at all important	(1)	40	11	14	7	8	25	15	39	-	25	14	18	21	19
		4%	5%	4%	3%	3%	5%	3%	4%	-	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
Don't know		62	12	21	6	23	33	29	57	5	32	27	18	22	41
		6%	6%	6%	3%	10%	6%	6%	6%	10%	6%	7%	4%	4%	8%
				c		c	c	c							kl
NETS															
Net: Important		807	149	263	206	189	412	395	759	42	474	314	328	399	408
		81%	77%	79%	87%	80%	78%	83%	81%	77%	81%	81%	79%	80%	82%
					abde		ae								
Net: Not important		132	33	48	25	26	81	51	121	7	81	48	67	80	52
		13%	17%	15%	10%	11%	15%	11%	13%	13%	14%	12%	16%	16%	10%
			cf				f					m	m		
Mean score		3.3	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.4
					be	be	be	be							
Standard deviation		.82	.89	.82	.76	.79	.85	.77	.82	.73	.82	.81	.85	.84	.79
Standard error		.03	.06	.05	.05	.05	.04	.03	.03	.13	.04	.04	.04	.04	.04

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		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55	
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	468	346	59	63	378	66	24	164	292	12	189	157	102	19
		47%	54%	30%	39%	54%	30%	30%	39%	54%	33%	55%	47%	39%	33%
			bc			ef				gi		klm			
Fairly important	(3)	339	231	68	40	250	64	25	157	173	9	111	120	87	21
		34%	36%	35%	25%	35%	30%	32%	37%	32%	26%	32%	36%	34%	37%
			c	c											
Not very important	(2)	92	41	36	15	45	39	8	52	37	3	24	30	32	6
		9%	6%	19%	9%	6%	18%	10%	12%	7%	7%	7%	9%	12%	10%
				ac		d			h					j	
Not at all important	(1)	40	7	20	13	11	24	5	20	18	1	8	8	22	2
		4%	1%	10%	8%	2%	11%	6%	5%	3%	4%	2%	2%	8%	4%
				a	a		d	d						jk	
Don't know		62	22	12	28	22	23	18	31	20	11	12	23	17	10
		6%	3%	6%	18%	3%	11%	22%	7%	4%	30%	4%	7%	6%	17%
				ab		d	de		h		gh			ijkl	
NETS															
Net: Important		807	577	127	103	628	130	49	321	465	21	300	277	189	40
		81%	89%	65%	65%	89%	60%	62%	76%	86%	58%	87%	82%	73%	69%
			bc			ef			i	gi		lm	lm		
Net: Not important		132	48	56	28	56	63	13	72	55	4	32	37	54	8
		13%	7%	29%	17%	8%	29%	16%	17%	10%	11%	9%	11%	21%	13%
				ac	a		df	d	h					jk	
Mean score		3.3	3.5	2.9	3.2	3.5	2.9	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.1	3.2
			bc		b		ef			g		lm	l		
Standard deviation		.82	.67	.97	.98	.69	1.02	.91	.85	.77	.87	.74	.75	.95	.82
Standard error		.03	.03	.07	.09	.03	.07	.11	.04	.03	.17	.04	.04	.06	.12

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Q5_3. For each one, please say how important, if at all, you feel it is that they achieve this objective.

Ensure the new Council is better equipped to meet the future challenges facing local government, such as an ageing population, and a reduction in funding from central government in Westminster

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381	
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	637	228	410	317	320	69	111	116	99	104	138	180	215	242
		64%	61%	65%	63%	64%	67%	68%	62%	60%	67%	61%	67%	61%	64%
Fairly important	(3)	267	105	162	133	134	30	39	47	53	38	60	69	100	98
		27%	28%	26%	26%	27%	29%	24%	25%	32%	24%	27%	26%	28%	26%
Not very important	(2)	39	16	23	24	15	2	8	10	3	7	9	10	14	16
		4%	4%	4%	5%	3%	2%	5%	5%	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%
Not at all important	(1)	21	11	10	12	9	1	4	6	3	1	6	5	9	6
		2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	2%	1%	2%	2%	3%	2%
Don't know		37	16	21	17	19	2	2	8	6	5	13	4	14	19
		4%	4%	3%	3%	4%	2%	1%	4%	4%	4%	6%	1%	4%	5%
											fk			fk	
NETS															
Net: Important	904	332	572	450	454	99	150	163	152	142	198	249	315	340	
	90%	88%	91%	89%	91%	95%	92%	87%	92%	91%	88%	93%	89%	89%	
						g						gj			
Net: Not important	60	28	33	36	24	3	11	16	7	8	15	15	23	22	
	6%	7%	5%	7%	5%	3%	7%	9%	4%	5%	7%	6%	7%	6%	
Mean score	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	
Standard deviation	.68	.73	.64	.71	.64	.59	.70	.76	.65	.60	.70	.65	.71	.66	
Standard error	.02	.04	.03	.03	.03	.07	.05	.06	.05	.05	.05	.04	.04	.03	

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	637	139	216	144	138	355	282	598	33	388	236	279	333	305
		64%	72%	65%	61%	58%	68%	59%	64%	61%	66%	61%	68%	66%	61%
			cdf				df					m			
Fairly important	(3)	267	42	91	77	57	133	134	250	13	153	104	96	122	144
		27%	22%	27%	33%	24%	25%	28%	27%	24%	26%	27%	23%	24%	29%
				ade											
Not very important	(2)	39	8	10	5	17	18	22	38	1	21	17	19	23	16
		4%	4%	3%	2%	7%	3%	5%	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	5%	3%
					bce										
Not at all important	(1)	21	2	7	3	9	9	12	21	-	10	11	10	11	10
		2%	1%	2%	1%	4%	2%	3%	2%	-	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%
Don't know		37	3	9	8	18	11	25	30	7	15	19	9	11	25
		4%	1%	3%	3%	7%	2%	5%	3%	13%	5%	5%	2%	2%	5%
					abce		ae		g						kl
NETS															
Net: Important		904	181	307	221	195	488	416	848	46	541	341	375	455	449
		90%	93%	92%	93%	82%	93%	88%	91%	85%	92%	88%	91%	91%	90%
			df	df	df		df	d			j				
Net: Not important		60	10	16	8	25	27	34	59	1	31	28	28	34	26
		6%	5%	5%	4%	11%	5%	7%	6%	3%	5%	7%	7%	7%	5%
					abce										
Mean score		3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6
			df	d			df								
Standard deviation		.68	.62	.65	.61	.80	.64	.71	.68	.54	.64	.73	.69	.69	.66
Standard error		.02	.04	.04	.04	.05	.03	.03	.02	.10	.03	.04	.03	.03	.03

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55	
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	637	435	105	96	475	124	38	269	351	17	233	212	161	31
		64%	67%	54%	61%	67%	57%	48%	63%	65%	48%	68%	63%	62%	53%
		b			ef				i		m				
Fairly important	(3)	267	174	58	35	189	57	21	109	149	9	87	93	68	19
		27%	27%	30%	22%	27%	26%	26%	26%	28%	25%	25%	27%	26%	32%
Not very important	(2)	39	20	13	7	19	15	5	20	19	-	15	15	9	-
		4%	3%	7%	4%	3%	7%	6%	5%	4%	-	4%	4%	3%	-
		a			d										
Not at all important	(1)	21	6	9	6	9	10	2	10	10	1	5	5	10	1
		2%	1%	5%	4%	1%	5%	2%	2%	2%	4%	1%	1%	4%	1%
		a			d									j	
Don't know		37	12	10	15	13	10	14	16	12	9	5	13	11	8
		4%	2%	5%	9%	2%	5%	17%	4%	2%	24%	2%	4%	4%	13%
		a		a	d		de				gh			j	kl
NETS															
Net: Important		904	609	164	131	664	180	59	378	499	26	320	305	229	50
		90%	94%	84%	82%	94%	84%	74%	89%	92%	72%	93%	90%	88%	86%
		bc			ef				i	i					
Net: Not important		60	25	22	13	28	25	7	30	29	1	20	20	19	1
		6%	4%	11%	8%	4%	12%	8%	7%	5%	4%	6%	6%	7%	1%
		a		a	d										
Mean score		3.6	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.6
		b			ef										
Standard deviation		.68	.59	.82	.78	.61	.83	.75	.70	.65	.76	.64	.66	.76	.58
Standard error		.02	.02	.06	.07	.02	.06	.09	.03	.03	.14	.03	.04	.05	.08

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Strengthen West Suffolk's political voice in the region and nationally, while remaining small enough to support local people

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381	
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	504	177	328	247	258	59	81	88	83	75	118	140	171	193
		50%	47%	52%	49%	52%	57%	50%	47%	50%	48%	52%	52%	49%	51%
Fairly important	(3)	366	142	224	181	186	35	67	70	63	54	78	102	132	132
		37%	38%	36%	36%	37%	33%	41%	37%	38%	35%	35%	38%	38%	35%
Not very important	(2)	71	28	43	47	23	7	8	17	14	10	14	15	31	25
		7%	7%	7%	9%	5%	7%	5%	9%	8%	7%	6%	6%	9%	7%
Not at all important	(1)	30	15	15	19	10	-	4	7	4	8	6	4	11	15
		3%	4%	2%	4%	2%	-	2%	4%	2%	5%	3%	1%	3%	4%
Don't know		30	14	16	10	20	3	4	5	2	8	8	7	7	16
		3%	4%	3%	2%	4%	3%	2%	3%	1%	5%	4%	3%	2%	4%
NETS															
Net: Important		871	319	552	427	443	94	148	158	145	129	197	242	303	325
		87%	85%	88%	85%	89%	90%	90%	85%	88%	83%	87%	90%	86%	85%
Net: Not important		100	43	58	67	34	7	12	24	18	19	21	19	41	40
		10%	11%	9%	13%	7%	7%	7%	13%	11%	12%	9%	7%	12%	10%
Mean score		3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.4
Standard deviation		.75	.79	.73	.80	.69	.63	.70	.79	.74	.84	.75	.67	.77	.79
Standard error		.02	.04	.03	.04	.03	.07	.05	.06	.06	.07	.05	.04	.04	.04

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	504	107	158	117	122	265	240	471	28	293	198	210	254	250
		50%	55%	48%	49%	52%	50%	50%	50%	52%	50%	51%	51%	50%	
Fairly important	(3)	366	64	138	85	79	202	164	348	14	216	143	142	179	188
		37%	33%	42%	36%	33%	38%	35%	37%	27%	37%	37%	34%	36%	37%
Not very important	(2)	71	15	22	19	15	36	34	66	5	42	26	35	38	32
		7%	8%	6%	8%	6%	7%	7%	7%	9%	7%	7%	8%	8%	6%
Not at all important	(1)	30	5	8	8	9	12	17	29	-	16	13	16	17	12
		3%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	-	3%	3%	4%	3%	2%
Don't know		30	4	7	7	12	10	20	23	7	20	9	10	12	18
		3%	2%	2%	3%	5%	2%	4%	2%	12%	3%	2%	2%	2%	4%
					e		e		g						
NETS															
Net: Important	871	171	296	202	201	467	404	819	42	509	341	352	433	438	
	87%	88%	89%	85%	85%	89%	85%	87%	78%	87%	88%	85%	86%	88%	
Net: Not important	100	19	29	28	24	49	52	95	5	58	39	51	56	45	
	10%	10%	9%	12%	10%	9%	11%	10%	9%	10%	10%	12%	11%	9%	
Mean score	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	
Standard deviation	.75	.74	.72	.78	.79	.72	.78	.76	.69	.75	.76	.80	.78	.73	
Standard error	.02	.05	.05	.05	.05	.03	.03	.02	.13	.03	.04	.04	.04	.03	

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	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
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Very important (4)	504	332	93	80	356	103	46	206	282	16	182	148	144	30
	50%	51%	47%	50%	50%	48%	58%	49%	52%	45%	53%	44%	55%	51%
											k		k	
Fairly important (3)	366	262	54	51	288	62	17	157	198	11	121	142	79	24
	37%	40%	28%	32%	41%	29%	21%	37%	37%	29%	35%	42%	31%	42%
		bc			ef							l		
Not very important (2)	71	37	22	11	40	24	7	31	38	2	22	24	23	2
	7%	6%	11%	7%	6%	11%	9%	7%	7%	4%	6%	7%	9%	3%
			a			d								
Not at all important (1)	30	6	18	6	10	18	2	16	14	-	15	7	7	-
	3%	1%	9%	4%	1%	8%	2%	4%	3%	-	4%	2%	3%	-
			ac	a		d								
Don't know	30	10	8	12	13	10	8	14	8	8	5	16	6	2
	3%	2%	4%	7%	2%	5%	10%	3%	2%	22%	2%	5%	2%	4%
			a	a		d	d			gh		j		
NETS														
Net: Important	871	593	147	131	643	164	63	364	480	27	303	290	224	54
	87%	92%	75%	82%	91%	76%	79%	86%	89%	74%	88%	86%	86%	93%
		bc			ef				i					
Net: Not important	100	43	40	17	50	42	9	47	52	2	37	31	31	2
	10%	7%	20%	11%	7%	19%	11%	11%	10%	4%	11%	9%	12%	3%
			ac			d								
Mean score	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.5
		b		b	e		e							
Standard deviation	.75	.65	.98	.79	.67	.96	.78	.78	.74	.61	.79	.71	.78	.57
Standard error	.02	.03	.07	.07	.03	.07	.09	.04	.03	.11	.04	.04	.05	.06

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Allow the Council to better plan for the future, including a long-term plan for improving the local economy and housing

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very important	(4) 664 66%	244 65%	420 67%	319 63%	345 69%	73 70%	117 72%	124 67%	109 66%	98 63%	142 63%	190 71%	234 66%	241 63%
					c		m					m		
Fairly important	(3) 266 27%	107 28%	159 25%	141 28%	125 25%	24 23%	44 27%	50 27%	48 29%	44 28%	56 25%	68 25%	98 28%	100 26%
Not very important	(2) 31 3%	9 2%	22 4%	18 4%	13 3%	1 1%	1 *	8 4%	5 3%	5 3%	11 5%	2 1%	13 4%	16 4%
								fk			fk		fk	fk
Not at all important	(1) 13 1%	7 2%	5 1%	10 2%	3 1%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	2 1%	7 3%	1 1%	3 1%	9 2%
											kl			
Don't know	27 3%	8 2%	19 3%	16 3%	11 2%	6 6%	1 *	4 2%	1 *	6 4%	10 4%	6 2%	4 1%	16 4%
						fhl				fhl	fhl			fhl
NETS														
Net: Important	930 93%	351 93%	579 93%	460 91%	470 94%	97 93%	161 98%	174 93%	158 96%	142 92%	198 88%	258 96%	332 94%	340 89%
							egijlm		jm			ijm	jm	
Net: Not important	44 4%	16 4%	27 4%	28 5%	16 3%	1 1%	2 1%	9 5%	7 4%	7 4%	18 8%	3 1%	16 4%	25 6%
								fk			efk		k	fk
Mean score	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.7	3.6	3.6
					c	j	jm					jm		
Standard deviation	.61	.64	.60	.66	.56	.48	.52	.60	.59	.62	.73	.51	.60	.69
Standard error	.02	.03	.02	.03	.03	.05	.04	.04	.05	.05	.05	.03	.03	.04

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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	664	137	222	144	161	359	305	626	34	390	260	271	323	341
		66%	71%	67%	61%	68%	68%	64%	67%	64%	66%	67%	66%	65%	68%
			c												
Fairly important	(3)	266	45	94	75	52	139	127	246	15	162	97	109	138	128
		27%	23%	28%	31%	22%	26%	27%	26%	27%	28%	25%	26%	27%	26%
				d											
Not very important	(2)	31	5	8	7	11	13	19	30	2	18	12	14	19	13
		3%	2%	2%	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%
Not at all important	(1)	13	1	1	6	4	3	10	13	-	6	6	7	8	5
		1%	1%	*	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%
				e			e								
Don't know		27	5	7	5	9	13	14	24	3	12	14	13	13	14
		3%	3%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	3%	6%	2%	4%	3%	3%	3%
NETS															
Net: Important		930	182	315	219	213	498	432	871	49	552	356	380	461	469
		93%	94%	95%	92%	90%	95%	91%	93%	91%	94%	92%	92%	92%	94%
				df			df								
Net: Not important		44	6	9	13	15	15	28	42	2	24	18	20	26	18
		4%	3%	3%	6%	6%	3%	6%	4%	3%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%
					be		e								
Mean score		3.6	3.7	3.6	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.7
			cf				cf								
Standard deviation		.61	.56	.55	.68	.66	.55	.67	.62	.55	.60	.63	.64	.64	.58
Standard error		.02	.04	.03	.04	.04	.03	.03	.02	.10	.03	.03	.03	.03	.03

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Fairly important (3)	266 27%	167 26%	57 29%	42 26%	182 26%	62 29%	22 28%	113 27%	144 27%	9 25%	83 24%	87 26%	71 27%	25 43% jkl
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Not at all important (1)	13 1%	2 *	9 5% ac	2 1%	3 *	9 4% d	1 1%	8 2%	4 1%	1 2%	2 1%	3 1%	8 3% j	- -
Don't know	27 3%	11 2%	8 4% a	9 5% a	8 1%	12 6% d	7 9% d	13 3%	10 2%	4 11% gh	7 2%	13 4%	5 2%	2 3%
NETS														
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Mean score	3.6	3.7 b	3.4	3.6 b	3.7 e	3.4	3.6	3.6	3.7	3.6	3.7 lm	3.6 l	3.5	3.5
Standard deviation	.61	.52	.82	.63	.53	.80	.61	.66	.57	.70	.54	.59	.73	.53
Standard error	.02	.02	.06	.05	.02	.06	.07	.03	.02	.12	.03	.03	.05	.07

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381	
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very important	(4)	433	151	282	203	230	51	68	73	70	63	108	118	144	171
		43%	40%	45%	40%	46%	49%	41%	39%	43%	41%	48%	44%	41%	45%
Fairly important	(3)	413	154	259	208	205	45	70	81	71	62	84	115	152	146
		41%	41%	41%	41%	41%	43%	43%	44%	43%	40%	37%	43%	43%	38%
Not very important	(2)	78	38	40	45	33	4	14	14	16	15	16	17	29	31
		8%	10%	6%	9%	7%	4%	8%	7%	10%	10%	7%	7%	8%	8%
Not at all important	(1)	37	14	23	30	7	2	6	7	5	7	9	8	12	17
		4%	4%	4%	6%	1%	2%	4%	4%	3%	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%
Don't know		40	19	21	17	23	2	7	11	4	8	9	9	15	17
		4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	2%	4%	6%	2%	5%	4%	3%	4%	4%
NETS															
Net: Important		846	304	541	412	434	96	138	155	141	125	191	233	296	317
		85%	81%	87%	82%	87%	92%	84%	83%	86%	81%	85%	87%	84%	83%
Net: Not important		115	52	63	74	40	6	20	21	20	22	25	26	41	48
		11%	14%	10%	15%	8%	6%	12%	11%	12%	14%	11%	10%	12%	12%
Mean score		3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
					c										
Standard deviation		.77	.79	.76	.85	.68	.67	.78	.77	.76	.82	.79	.74	.77	.81
Standard error		.02	.04	.03	.04	.03	.08	.06	.06	.06	.07	.05	.05	.04	.04

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Very important	(4)	433	79	139	105	110	218	215	413	17	249	176	190	227	206
		43%	41%	42%	44%	46%	41%	45%	44%	32%	42%	45%	46%	45%	41%
Fairly important	(3)	413	79	139	106	88	219	194	382	25	244	155	155	194	219
		41%	41%	42%	45%	37%	42%	41%	41%	45%	42%	40%	37%	39%	44%
Not very important	(2)	78	19	32	14	13	51	27	72	5	51	25	34	45	33
		8%	10%	10%	6%	5%	10%	6%	8%	9%	9%	6%	8%	9%	7%
			f	f			df								
Not at all important	(1)	37	9	9	8	11	17	19	37	-	21	16	21	21	16
		4%	4%	3%	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	-	4%	4%	5%	4%	3%
Don't know		40	8	13	4	16	20	20	33	7	22	16	13	15	26
		4%	4%	4%	2%	7%	4%	4%	4%	13%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%
					c					g					
NETS															
Net: Important		846	158	279	211	198	437	409	795	42	493	331	345	420	426
		85%	82%	84%	89%	83%	83%	86%	85%	78%	84%	85%	83%	84%	85%
					ae										
Net: Not important		115	28	41	22	24	69	46	109	5	72	41	55	66	49
		11%	14%	12%	9%	10%	13%	10%	12%	9%	12%	11%	13%	13%	10%
Mean score		3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3
Standard deviation		.77	.82	.75	.74	.80	.78	.77	.78	.65	.78	.78	.83	.81	.74
Standard error		.02	.06	.05	.05	.05	.04	.03	.03	.12	.03	.04	.04	.04	.03

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Very important (4)	433	300	77	57	327	81	25	184	240	9	159	135	118	21
	43%	46%	39%	36%	46%	37%	32%	43%	44%	24%	46%	40%	45%	36%
		c			ef			i	i					
Fairly important (3)	413	285	68	60	308	78	27	166	232	15	137	154	94	27
	41%	44%	35%	38%	44%	36%	34%	39%	43%	41%	40%	46%	36%	47%
		b										l		
Not very important (2)	78	39	23	16	36	31	11	40	36	2	28	26	23	1
	8%	6%	12%	10%	5%	14%	14%	10%	7%	4%	8%	8%	9%	2%
			a			d	d							
Not at all important (1)	37	11	16	9	20	14	3	15	21	1	14	10	12	1
	4%	2%	8%	6%	3%	7%	3%	4%	4%	2%	4%	3%	5%	1%
			a	a		d								
Don't know	40	12	11	17	15	12	13	18	12	10	7	12	13	8
	4%	2%	6%	11%	2%	6%	17%	4%	2%	28%	2%	4%	5%	14%
			a	a		d	de			gh				ijkl
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		bc			ef			i	gi					
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	11%	8%	20%	16%	8%	21%	17%	13%	10%	6%	12%	11%	13%	3%
			a	a		d	d				m		m	
Mean score	3.3	3.4	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.1	3.1	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4
		bc			ef									
Standard deviation	.77	.68	.94	.86	.71	.90	.84	.79	.76	.69	.79	.74	.83	.60
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No difference	(3) 34%	119 32%	218 35%	162 32%	176 35%	42 40%	56 34%	56 30%	61 37%	55 35%	68 30%	98 37%	117 33%	123 32%
Fairly negative	(2) 17%	58 15%	108 17%	71 14%	95 19%	19 18%	26 16%	29 15%	26 16%	29 18%	37 16%	45 17%	55 16%	66 17%
Very negative	(1) 9%	37 10%	58 9%	59 12%	36 7%	7 7%	13 8%	20 11%	17 10%	12 8%	25 11%	20 8%	37 10%	38 10%
Don't know	58 6%	25 7%	33 5%	20 4%	38 8%	7 7%	8 5%	18 10%	11 7%	5 3%	9 4%	16 6%	29 8%	13 3%
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Net: Negative	260 26%	94 25%	166 27%	129 26%	131 26%	25 24%	40 24%	48 26%	43 26%	41 26%	62 28%	65 24%	91 26%	103 27%
Mean score	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1
Standard deviation	1.15	1.15	1.15	1.21	1.08	.94	1.16	1.19	1.13	1.11	1.22	1.08	1.16	1.18
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.05	.11	.09	.09	.09	.09	.08	.07	.06	.06

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Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very positive	(5)	121	36	35	17	32	71	49	114	6	62	55	55	63	57
		12%	18%	11%	7%	14%	14%	10%	12%	11%	11%	14%	13%	13%	11%
		bcf			c	c									
Fairly positive	(4)	225	48	68	61	46	117	108	212	10	135	88	91	115	110
		22%	25%	21%	26%	20%	22%	23%	23%	19%	23%	23%	22%	23%	22%
No difference	(3)	338	53	116	81	87	169	168	323	11	210	118	122	154	184
		34%	27%	35%	34%	37%	32%	35%	34%	21%	36%	30%	30%	31%	37%
					a	a	a								kl
Fairly negative	(2)	165	33	56	40	37	89	76	147	16	94	69	77	86	80
		17%	17%	17%	17%	15%	17%	16%	16%	30%	16%	18%	19%	17%	16%
									g						
Very negative	(1)	95	15	33	27	19	48	46	90	4	52	38	49	61	34
		9%	8%	10%	11%	8%	9%	10%	10%	7%	9%	10%	12%	12%	7%
												m	m		
Don't know		58	8	23	11	16	31	27	50	6	34	21	19	22	36
		6%	4%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%	5%	12%	6%	5%	4%	4%	7%
NETS															
Net: Positive		345	84	104	79	79	188	157	326	16	197	143	146	178	167
		34%	43%	31%	33%	33%	36%	33%	35%	30%	34%	37%	35%	36%	33%
			bcdf												
Net: Negative		260	49	89	67	56	138	123	238	20	146	107	126	146	114
		26%	25%	27%	28%	23%	26%	26%	25%	37%	25%	27%	31%	29%	23%
												m	m		
Mean score		3.1	3.3	3.1	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.2
			bcf												
Standard deviation		1.15	1.21	1.14	1.11	1.13	1.17	1.12	1.15	1.19	1.11	1.19	1.22	1.21	1.08
Standard error		.04	.09	.07	.07	.07	.06	.05	.04	.22	.05	.06	.06	.06	.05

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Currently there are 72 Councillors representing the entire West Suffolk area. A new single District-level Council may lead to some political changes, with a potential reduction in the total number of councillors across the area in line with national trends.

Q6. To what extent do you think a reduction in the overall number of councillors would have a positive or negative impact on how your council is run, or make no difference at all?

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	121 12%	84 13%	13 7%	24 15%	99 14%	13 6%	9 11%	33 8%	84 16%	3 9%	121 35%	-	-	-
		b	b	b	e	b			g		klm			
Fairly positive (4)	225 22%	167 26%	24 13%	33 21%	192 27%	25 11%	8 10%	81 19%	138 25%	6 17%	225 65%	-	-	-
		b		b	ef				g		klm			
No difference (3)	338 34%	240 37%	53 27%	45 28%	256 36%	53 25%	29 37%	117 28%	208 38%	13 36%	-	338 100%	-	-
		bc			e		e		g			jlm		
Fairly negative (2)	165 17%	94 15%	46 23%	25 16%	99 14%	55 25%	12 15%	97 23%	68 13%	1 4%	-	-	165 64%	-
			a		d			hi					jkm	
Very negative (1)	95 9%	31 5%	54 28%	10 6%	26 4%	63 29%	5 6%	76 18%	18 3%	1 2%	-	-	95 36%	-
			ac		df			hi					jkm	
Don't know	58 6%	31 5%	5 3%	22 14%	34 5%	8 4%	16 21%	20 5%	26 5%	12 32%	-	-	-	58 100%
				ab			de			gh				jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	345 34%	251 39%	37 19%	57 36%	291 41%	37 17%	17 21%	114 27%	221 41%	9 26%	345 100%	-	-	-
		b		b	ef				g		klm			
Net: Negative	260 26%	125 19%	100 51%	35 22%	125 18%	118 55%	17 22%	173 41%	85 16%	2 6%	-	-	260 100%	-
			ac		df			hi					jkm	
Mean score	3.1	3.3	2.5	3.3	3.4	2.4	3.1	2.7	3.4	3.4	4.3	3.0	1.6	-
		b		b	ef		e		g		l			
Standard deviation	1.15	1.04	1.22	1.17	1.03	1.20	1.11	1.21	1.02	.91	.48	-	.48	-
Standard error	.04	.04	.09	.10	.04	.08	.14	.06	.04	.18	.03	-	.03	-

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

SUMMARY TABLE

Base: All respondents

	Total	Very positive	Fairly positive	No difference	Fairly negative	Very negative	Don't know	Net: Positive	Net: Negative	Mean
Young people, for example children and teenagers	1001	134	245	362	100	63	97	379	163	3.3
	100%	13%	24%	36%	10%	6%	10%	38%	16%	
Disabled people	1001	153	214	327	126	85	97	367	211	3.2
	100%	15%	21%	33%	13%	8%	10%	37%	21%	
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	1001	149	214	336	138	71	93	363	210	3.3
	100%	15%	21%	34%	14%	7%	9%	36%	21%	
People on low incomes	1001	116	205	384	129	69	99	320	198	3.2
	100%	12%	20%	38%	13%	7%	10%	32%	20%	
People living in rural areas	1001	106	203	337	177	77	101	309	253	3.1
	100%	11%	20%	34%	18%	8%	10%	31%	25%	
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	1001	78	198	474	87	41	123	276	128	3.2
	100%	8%	20%	47%	9%	4%	12%	28%	13%	

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Positive summary

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Young people, for example children and teenagers	379 38%	143 38%	236 38%	195 39%	184 37%	43 41%	66 40%	67 36%	47 28%	62 40%	95 42%	109 41%	114 32%	156 41%
						h	h			h	hl	hl		hl
Disabled people	367 37%	129 34%	237 38%	181 36%	186 37%	45 43%	64 39%	58 31%	45 27%	65 42%	91 40%	108 40%	103 29%	156 41%
						hl	hl			ghl	hl	ghl		ghl
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	363 36%	132 35%	231 37%	185 37%	178 36%	41 40%	62 38%	63 34%	48 29%	61 39%	87 39%	103 39%	111 31%	149 39%
										h	h			hl
People on low incomes	320 32%	111 29%	210 34%	163 32%	158 32%	34 33%	58 35%	58 31%	41 25%	47 30%	83 37%	92 34%	99 28%	130 34%
							h				hl	h		h
People living in rural areas	309 31%	107 29%	202 32%	150 30%	159 32%	36 34%	51 31%	49 26%	36 22%	51 33%	86 38%	87 32%	85 24%	137 36%
						h				hl	ghl	hl		ghl
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	276 28%	99 26%	177 28%	132 26%	143 29%	35 34%	51 31%	40 21%	37 22%	51 33%	62 27%	86 32%	77 22%	113 30%
						gl	gl			ghl		ghl		gl
None of the above	453 45%	174 46%	279 45%	226 45%	226 46%	46 44%	74 45%	91 48%	94 57%	63 40%	86 38%	120 45%	184 52%	149 39%
								jm	fijkm				ijm	

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Positive summary

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Young people, for example children and teenagers	379 38%	66 34%	119 36%	92 39%	103 43%	185 35%	195 41%	362 39%	16 30%	212 36%	163 42%	153 37%	188 38%	191 38%
Disabled people	367 37%	67 35%	113 34%	86 36%	100 42%	180 34%	186 39%	343 37%	20 38%	206 35%	158 41%	144 35%	173 35%	194 39%
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	363 36%	64 33%	114 34%	87 37%	97 41%	179 34%	184 39%	340 36%	20 38%	203 35%	153 39%	133 32%	167 33%	195 39%
People on low incomes	320 32%	59 30%	100 30%	75 32%	87 37%	159 30%	162 34%	301 32%	17 32%	179 30%	137 35%	131 32%	156 31%	165 33%
People living in rural areas	309 31%	55 28%	79 24%	79 33%	97 41%	134 25%	175 37%	293 31%	16 29%	161 27%	145 37%	121 29%	142 28%	167 33%
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	276 28%	52 27%	88 27%	65 27%	71 30%	140 27%	136 29%	255 27%	20 37%	159 27%	112 29%	101 24%	123 25%	152 30%
None of the above	453 45%	94 48%	167 50%	102 43%	90 38%	261 50%	192 40%	422 45%	24 44%	288 49%	149 38%	190 46%	225 45%	228 46%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Positive summary

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Young people, for example children and teenagers	379	281	49	50	327	40	13	146	226	7	186	118	62	15
	38%	43%	25%	31%	46%	18%	16%	34%	42%	18%	54%	35%	24%	25%
		bc			ef			i	gi		klm	l		
Disabled people	367	285	38	43	316	36	14	128	230	8	183	117	56	11
	37%	44%	20%	27%	45%	17%	18%	30%	43%	22%	53%	35%	21%	19%
		bc			ef				gi		klm	lm		
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	363	285	36	41	312	34	16	131	227	5	175	116	61	11
	36%	44%	19%	26%	44%	16%	20%	31%	42%	15%	51%	34%	23%	18%
		bc			ef			i	gi		klm	lm		
People on low incomes	320	243	34	43	271	37	13	121	194	5	164	95	55	7
	32%	38%	17%	27%	38%	17%	16%	28%	36%	15%	47%	28%	21%	12%
		bc		b	ef				gi		klm	m		
People living in rural areas	309	243	33	34	266	34	10	109	195	5	154	97	49	9
	31%	38%	17%	21%	38%	16%	12%	26%	36%	12%	45%	29%	19%	16%
		bc			ef				gi		klm	lm		
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	276	216	32	27	240	27	8	103	168	5	147	72	49	9
	28%	33%	16%	17%	34%	13%	10%	24%	31%	13%	42%	21%	19%	15%
		bc			ef				gi		klm			
None of the above	453	254	111	87	263	138	52	210	221	22	97	167	151	39
	45%	39%	57%	55%	37%	64%	65%	49%	41%	61%	28%	49%	58%	66%
			a	a		d	d	h		h		j	jk	jk

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Negative summary

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
People living in rural areas	253	104	150	132	121	23	37	48	40	55	51	60	88	106
	25%	28%	24%	26%	24%	22%	22%	25%	24%	35%	22%	22%	25%	28%
Disabled people	211	93	118	108	103	21	39	36	36	35	44	60	71	79
	21%	25%	19%	21%	21%	21%	24%	19%	22%	23%	20%	22%	20%	21%
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	210	84	125	108	102	22	38	38	31	38	43	60	69	80
	21%	22%	20%	21%	21%	21%	23%	20%	19%	24%	19%	22%	20%	21%
People on low incomes	198	84	114	95	103	20	31	34	31	34	48	51	65	82
	20%	22%	18%	19%	21%	19%	19%	18%	19%	22%	21%	19%	18%	22%
Young people, for example children and teenagers	163	64	99	84	79	15	27	27	27	29	39	41	54	68
	16%	17%	16%	17%	16%	14%	16%	14%	16%	18%	17%	15%	15%	18%
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	128	46	82	69	59	13	22	26	19	22	26	35	45	48
	13%	12%	13%	14%	12%	12%	13%	14%	12%	14%	12%	13%	13%	13%
None of the above	630	224	407	312	318	72	102	121	104	85	147	174	225	232
	63%	60%	65%	62%	64%	69%	62%	65%	63%	55%	65%	65%	64%	61%

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Negative summary

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
People living in rural areas	253	50	90	57	56	140	113	237	13	160	87	119	139	115
	25%	26%	27%	24%	24%	27%	24%	25%	25%	27%	22%	29%	28%	23%
												m		
Disabled people	211	37	83	51	40	121	90	196	14	134	72	97	115	96
	21%	19%	25%	21%	17%	23%	19%	21%	26%	23%	19%	23%	23%	19%
			df			d								
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	210	33	82	55	40	115	95	196	12	134	71	93	113	97
	21%	17%	25%	23%	17%	22%	20%	21%	22%	23%	18%	22%	23%	19%
			ad											
People on low incomes	198	39	72	41	46	111	87	181	15	119	75	87	104	94
	20%	20%	22%	17%	19%	21%	18%	19%	28%	20%	19%	21%	21%	19%
Young people, for example children and teenagers	163	23	65	36	39	89	75	151	9	101	59	67	83	80
	16%	12%	20%	15%	16%	17%	16%	16%	17%	17%	15%	16%	17%	16%
			a											
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	128	22	46	27	33	68	60	124	4	76	48	55	67	61
	13%	11%	14%	12%	14%	13%	13%	13%	7%	13%	12%	13%	13%	12%
None of the above	630	123	204	150	153	327	304	600	26	362	251	249	303	327
	63%	63%	61%	63%	65%	62%	64%	64%	47%	62%	65%	60%	61%	65%
								h						

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q7_SUM. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Negative summary

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
People living in rural areas	253	123	105	25	116	124	14	172	78	3	49	57	137	11
	25%	19%	54%	16%	16%	57%	17%	40%	14%	9%	14%	17%	53%	18%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Disabled people	211	90	94	26	88	111	12	153	53	5	42	43	122	4
	21%	14%	48%	17%	12%	51%	15%	36%	10%	13%	12%	13%	47%	7%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired	210	89	98	23	82	119	9	149	56	4	40	38	129	2
	21%	14%	50%	14%	12%	55%	11%	35%	10%	11%	12%	11%	50%	3%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
People on low incomes	198	93	83	22	88	97	12	131	63	4	40	42	109	7
	20%	14%	42%	14%	12%	45%	16%	31%	12%	11%	12%	12%	42%	12%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Young people, for example children and teenagers	163	67	75	21	62	91	10	115	44	4	27	34	99	4
	16%	10%	38%	13%	9%	42%	12%	27%	8%	11%	8%	10%	38%	7%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
People from minority religions or ethnic groups	128	55	57	16	52	70	6	86	40	2	24	23	78	3
	13%	8%	29%	10%	7%	32%	8%	20%	7%	5%	7%	7%	30%	6%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
None of the above	630	455	59	117	518	54	58	199	400	31	254	252	79	46
	63%	70%	30%	73%	73%	25%	73%	47%	74%	85%	73%	75%	30%	79%
		b		b	e		e		g	g	l	l		l

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Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 134 13%	53 14%	81 13%	67 13%	68 14%	21 20% ghl	23 14%	18 9%	14 8%	21 14%	38 17% ghl	44 16% ghl	32 9%	59 16% ghl
Fairly positive	(4) 245 24%	90 24%	155 25%	128 26%	116 23%	22 21%	43 26%	50 27%	33 20%	40 26%	57 25%	65 24%	83 23%	97 26%
No difference	(3) 362 36%	133 35%	229 37%	183 36%	179 36%	44 42% jm	58 36% j	76 41% jm	74 45% ijm	53 34%	57 25%	102 38% jm	150 43% jm	109 29%
Fairly negative	(2) 100 10%	38 10%	62 10%	48 10%	52 10%	12 11%	19 12%	11 6%	20 12% g	18 12%	20 9%	31 11% g	32 9%	38 10%
Very negative	(1) 63 6%	26 7%	37 6%	35 7%	27 6%	3 3%	7 4%	16 8% k	7 4%	11 7%	19 9% k	10 4%	22 6%	30 8% k
Don't know	97 10%	35 9%	61 10%	42 8%	55 11%	3 3%	13 8%	16 9%	17 10% e	12 8%	35 16% efgikl	16 6%	33 9%	48 12% ek
NETS														
Net: Positive	379 38%	143 38%	236 38%	195 39%	184 37%	43 41% h	66 40% h	67 36%	47 28%	62 40% h	95 42% hl	109 41% hl	114 32%	156 41% hl
Net: Negative	163 16%	64 17%	99 16%	84 17%	79 16%	15 14%	27 16%	27 14%	27 16%	29 18%	39 17%	41 15%	54 15%	68 18%
Mean score	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.5 h	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4 hl	3.2	3.4
Standard deviation	1.07	1.10	1.06	1.08	1.07	1.04	1.04	1.04	.94	1.11	1.21	1.04	1.00	1.16
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.05	.12	.08	.08	.08	.09	.09	.07	.06	.06

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Young people, for example children and teenagers

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very positive	(5)	134	16	47	28	44	63	72	125	9	72	61	52	61	74
		13%	8%	14%	12%	19%	12%	15%	13%	17%	12%	16%	13%	12%	15%
					ace		a								
Fairly positive	(4)	245	50	72	64	59	122	123	237	7	140	102	101	127	118
		24%	26%	22%	27%	25%	23%	26%	25%	12%	24%	26%	24%	25%	24%
No difference	(3)	362	86	111	92	73	197	164	333	22	227	120	152	183	178
		36%	44%	34%	39%	31%	38%	35%	36%	42%	39%	31%	37%	37%	36%
			bdf							j					
Fairly negative	(2)	100	13	42	20	25	55	45	91	7	64	35	42	54	46
		10%	6%	13%	8%	11%	10%	9%	10%	13%	11%	9%	10%	11%	9%
			a												
Very negative	(1)	63	11	23	16	14	33	29	60	2	37	24	25	29	34
		6%	5%	7%	7%	6%	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%
Don't know		97	19	37	19	23	55	41	90	6	46	46	41	47	50
		10%	10%	11%	8%	10%	11%	9%	10%	12%	8%	12%	10%	9%	10%
										i					
NETS															
Net: Positive		379	66	119	92	103	185	195	362	16	212	163	153	188	191
		38%	34%	36%	39%	43%	35%	41%	39%	30%	36%	42%	37%	38%	38%
						ae									
Net: Negative		163	23	65	36	39	89	75	151	9	101	59	67	83	80
		16%	12%	20%	15%	16%	17%	16%	16%	17%	17%	15%	16%	17%	16%
			a												
Mean score		3.3	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.3
					e										
Standard deviation		1.07	.94	1.13	1.04	1.13	1.06	1.09	1.08	1.08	1.06	1.11	1.06	1.05	1.10
Standard error		.04	.07	.08	.07	.07	.05	.05	.04	.20	.05	.06	.06	.05	.05

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	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	134	97	13	25	114	12	8	52	78	4	68	46	15	5
	13%	15%	7%	16%	16%	6%	11%	12%	14%	12%	20%	14%	6%	9%
		b	b	b	e	e					kl	l		
Fairly positive (4)	245	184	37	24	213	28	4	94	148	2	117	71	47	9
	24%	28%	19%	15%	30%	13%	5%	22%	27%	7%	34%	21%	18%	16%
		bc			ef			i	i		klm			
No difference (3)	362	253	55	54	265	68	29	122	231	8	111	157	77	15
	36%	39%	28%	34%	37%	31%	37%	29%	43%	22%	32%	47%	30%	26%
		b							gi			jlm		
Fairly negative (2)	100	47	39	14	48	46	6	67	31	1	15	21	60	4
	10%	7%	20%	9%	7%	21%	8%	16%	6%	4%	4%	6%	23%	7%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Very negative (1)	63	20	36	7	14	46	4	47	13	3	12	12	39	-
	6%	3%	18%	4%	2%	21%	4%	11%	2%	7%	4%	4%	15%	-
			ac			df		h					jkm	
Don't know	97	46	17	34	52	17	28	41	38	18	21	29	22	24
	10%	7%	8%	22%	7%	8%	35%	10%	7%	49%	6%	9%	9%	42%
			ab			de				gh				jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	379	281	49	50	327	40	13	146	226	7	186	118	62	15
	38%	43%	25%	31%	46%	18%	16%	34%	42%	18%	54%	35%	24%	25%
		bc			ef			i	gi		klm	l		
Net: Negative	163	67	75	21	62	91	10	115	44	4	27	34	99	4
	16%	10%	38%	13%	9%	42%	12%	27%	8%	11%	8%	10%	38%	7%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Mean score	3.3	3.5	2.7	3.4	3.6	2.6	3.2	3.1	3.5	3.2	3.7	3.4	2.7	3.5
		b		b	ef		e		g		kl	l		l
Standard deviation	1.07	.96	1.20	1.10	.93	1.16	1.06	1.21	.92	1.31	.98	.96	1.13	.91
Standard error	.04	.04	.09	.10	.04	.08	.14	.06	.04	.29	.05	.05	.08	.16

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Q7_2. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	149 15%	62 17%	86 14%	80 16%	69 14%	19 18%	23 14%	25 13%	18 11%	25 16%	39 17%	42 16%	43 12%	64 17%
Fairly positive (4)	214 21%	69 18%	145 23%	105 21%	109 22%	22 21%	39 24%	38 20%	30 18%	37 24%	48 21%	61 23%	68 19%	85 22%
No difference (3)	336 34%	118 32%	217 35%	172 34%	164 33%	35 34%	52 32%	64 34%	67 41% im	45 29%	72 32%	87 33%	131 37%	118 31%
Fairly negative (2)	138 14%	54 14%	84 13%	71 14%	67 14%	18 18%	23 14%	21 11%	20 12%	27 17%	29 13%	41 15%	41 12%	56 15%
Very negative (1)	71 7%	30 8%	41 7%	37 7%	35 7%	4 4%	15 9%	17 9%	11 7%	11 7%	14 6%	19 7%	28 8%	25 6%
Don't know	93 9%	41 11%	52 8%	39 8%	54 11%	5 5%	12 7%	22 12%	19 12%	11 7%	24 10%	17 6%	42 12%	34 9%
NETS														
Net: Positive	363 36%	132 35%	231 37%	185 37%	178 36%	41 40%	62 38%	63 34%	48 29%	61 39%	87 39% h	103 39% h	111 31%	149 39% hl
Net: Negative	210 21%	84 22%	125 20%	108 21%	102 21%	22 21%	38 23%	38 20%	31 19%	38 24%	43 19%	60 22%	69 20%	80 21%
Mean score	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.3
Standard deviation	1.14	1.19	1.10	1.15	1.13	1.12	1.17	1.16	1.06	1.17	1.15	1.15	1.11	1.15
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.05	.13	.09	.09	.09	.10	.08	.07	.06	.06

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Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
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Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 149	19	46	33	51	64	84	138	10	76	72	53	64	84
	15%	10%	14%	14%	22%	12%	18%	15%	18%	13%	18%	13%	13%	17%
					abce		ae				i			
Fairly positive	(4) 214	46	69	54	45	114	99	202	11	128	82	80	103	111
	21%	24%	21%	23%	19%	22%	21%	22%	20%	22%	21%	19%	21%	22%
No difference	(3) 336	83	99	76	78	182	154	315	15	195	130	149	176	159
	34%	43%	30%	32%	33%	35%	32%	34%	28%	33%	34%	36%	35%	32%
		bcdef												
Fairly negative	(2) 138	22	52	37	27	74	64	126	10	86	51	68	80	58
	14%	11%	16%	16%	11%	14%	14%	13%	18%	15%	13%	17%	16%	12%
												m	m	
Very negative	(1) 71	11	29	18	13	41	31	69	2	48	20	24	33	39
	7%	6%	9%	7%	5%	8%	6%	7%	3%	8%	5%	6%	7%	8%
Don't know	93	14	37	20	23	50	43	86	7	54	34	38	44	49
	9%	7%	11%	8%	10%	10%	9%	9%	13%	9%	9%	9%	9%	10%
NETS														
Net: Positive	363	64	114	87	97	179	184	340	20	203	153	133	167	195
	36%	33%	34%	37%	41%	34%	39%	36%	38%	35%	39%	32%	33%	39%
														k
Net: Negative	210	33	82	55	40	115	95	196	12	134	71	93	113	97
	21%	17%	25%	23%	17%	22%	20%	21%	22%	23%	18%	22%	23%	19%
			ad											
Mean score	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.3
					abce						i			
Standard deviation	1.14	1.00	1.18	1.14	1.16	1.12	1.16	1.14	1.15	1.14	1.13	1.09	1.10	1.17
Standard error	.04	.07	.08	.08	.07	.05	.05	.04	.21	.05	.06	.06	.05	.05

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Q7_2. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Old people, for example pensioners and those who are retired

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55	
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very positive	(5)	149	115	12	21	122	17	9	54	93	2	74	41	27	6
	15%	18%	6%	13%	17%	8%	12%	13%	17%	6%	21%	12%	11%	10%	
		b		b	e						kl				
Fairly positive	(4)	214	170	24	20	190	17	7	77	134	3	101	75	33	5
	21%	26%	13%	13%	27%	8%	8%	18%	25%	9%	29%	22%	13%	8%	
		bc			ef				gi		klm	lm			
No difference	(3)	336	230	47	59	260	47	29	109	220	7	103	162	56	15
	34%	35%	24%	37%	37%	22%	36%	26%	41%	18%	30%	48%	21%	26%	
		b		b	e		e		gi		l	jlm			
Fairly negative	(2)	138	64	61	14	61	72	6	92	44	1	26	28	82	2
	14%	10%	31%	8%	9%	33%	7%	22%	8%	4%	8%	8%	32%	3%	
		ac			df			hi						jkm	
Very negative	(1)	71	25	37	9	21	48	3	57	12	3	14	11	47	-
	7%	4%	19%	6%	3%	22%	4%	13%	2%	8%	4%	3%	18%	-	
		ac			df			h		h				jkm	
Don't know		93	44	13	36	52	16	26	36	37	20	27	22	14	30
	9%	7%	7%	23%	7%	7%	33%	8%	7%	56%	8%	6%	6%	52%	
				ab			de			gh				jkl	
NETS															
Net: Positive		363	285	36	41	312	34	16	131	227	5	175	116	61	11
	36%	44%	19%	26%	44%	16%	20%	31%	42%	15%	51%	34%	23%	18%	
		bc			ef			i	gi		klm	lm			
Net: Negative		210	89	98	23	82	119	9	149	56	4	40	38	129	2
	21%	14%	50%	14%	12%	55%	11%	35%	10%	11%	12%	11%	50%	3%	
			ac		df			hi						jkm	
Mean score		3.3	3.5	2.5	3.2	3.5	2.4	3.3	2.9	3.5	3.0	3.6	3.3	2.6	3.5
			bc		b	e		e		g		kl	l		
Standard deviation		1.14	1.05	1.15	1.11	1.00	1.19	1.05	1.25	.97	1.27	1.06	.93	1.25	.92
Standard error		.04	.04	.08	.10	.04	.08	.14	.06	.04	.31	.06	.05	.08	.18

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Q7_3. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People from minority religions or ethnic groups

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	78 8%	30 8%	48 8%	34 7%	44 9%	8 7%	11 6%	10 5%	15 9%	17 11%	17 8%	18 7%	25 7%	35 9%
Fairly positive (4)	198 20%	68 18%	130 21%	99 20%	99 20%	27 26% ghl	40 25% ghl	30 16%	22 14%	34 22%	45 20%	68 25% ghl	52 15%	78 21% l
No difference (3)	474 47%	181 48%	293 47%	247 49%	227 46%	50 48%	77 47%	96 52% jm	89 54% jm	67 43%	95 42%	127 47%	186 53% ijm	162 42%
Fairly negative (2)	87 9%	32 9%	55 9%	47 9%	41 8%	11 11%	16 10%	15 8%	15 9%	13 8%	18 8%	27 10%	30 9%	31 8%
Very negative (1)	41 4%	14 4%	27 4%	23 4%	18 4%	1 1%	6 4%	11 6%	4 2%	9 6%	9 4%	8 3%	15 4%	18 5%
Don't know	123 12%	50 13%	74 12%	55 11%	68 14%	6 6%	14 9%	25 13%	20 12%	16 10%	43 19% efikl	21 8%	44 13%	58 15% efk
NETS														
Net: Positive	276 28%	99 26%	177 28%	132 26%	143 29%	35 34% gl	51 31% gl	40 21%	37 22%	51 33% ghl	62 27%	86 32% ghl	77 22%	113 30% gl
Net: Negative	128 13%	46 12%	82 13%	69 14%	59 12%	13 12%	22 13%	26 14%	19 12%	22 14%	26 12%	35 13%	45 13%	48 13%
Mean score	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3 g	3.1	3.3
Standard deviation	.91	.90	.91	.90	.92	.83	.88	.89	.86	1.01	.93	.86	.88	.96
Standard error	.03	.05	.04	.04	.04	.09	.07	.07	.07	.09	.07	.06	.05	.05

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q7_3. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People from minority religions or ethnic groups

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very positive	(5)	78	9	27	19	23	36	42	68	9	38	37	23	25	53
		8%	5%	8%	8%	10%	7%	9%	7%	18%	7%	10%	5%	5%	11%
					a				g						kl
Fairly positive	(4)	198	42	61	46	48	104	94	187	11	121	75	78	99	99
		20%	22%	18%	19%	20%	20%	20%	20%	20%	21%	19%	19%	20%	20%
No difference	(3)	474	106	152	119	96	259	215	438	27	291	172	216	260	214
		47%	55%	46%	50%	40%	49%	45%	47%	50%	50%	44%	52%	52%	43%
			df	d	d	d	d					m	m		
Fairly negative	(2)	87	14	34	17	22	48	39	83	4	52	34	42	50	37
		9%	7%	10%	7%	9%	9%	8%	9%	7%	9%	9%	10%	10%	7%
Very negative	(1)	41	7	12	10	11	20	21	41	-	23	14	13	17	24
		4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	-	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%
Don't know		123	14	45	26	38	60	64	120	3	62	56	42	50	73
		12%	7%	14%	11%	16%	11%	13%	13%	6%	10%	14%	10%	10%	15%
			a	a	a	a	a	a							kl
NETS															
Net: Positive		276	52	88	65	71	140	136	255	20	159	112	101	123	152
		28%	27%	27%	27%	30%	27%	29%	27%	37%	27%	29%	24%	25%	30%
															kl
Net: Negative		128	22	46	27	33	68	60	124	4	76	48	55	67	61
		13%	11%	14%	12%	14%	13%	13%	13%	7%	13%	12%	13%	13%	12%
Mean score		3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.3
															kl
Standard deviation		.91	.81	.92	.90	.98	.88	.94	.91	.88	.87	.94	.83	.83	.98
Standard error		.03	.06	.06	.06	.06	.04	.04	.03	.16	.04	.05	.04	.04	.05

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q7_3. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People from minority religions or ethnic groups

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	78 8%	60 9%	11 5%	7 4%	65 9%	11 5%	1 2%	31 7%	44 8%	2 7%	45 13%	19 6%	11 4%	3 6%
					f						kl			
Fairly positive (4)	198 20%	156 24%	21 11%	20 13%	175 25%	16 8%	6 8%	72 17%	124 23%	2 6%	102 30%	53 16%	37 14%	5 9%
		bc			ef				gi		klm			
No difference (3)	474 47%	314 49%	86 44%	74 46%	342 49%	99 46%	32 41%	185 44%	279 52%	9 26%	139 40%	206 61%	110 42%	18 31%
								i	gi			jlm		
Fairly negative (2)	87 9%	41 6%	35 18%	11 7%	44 6%	41 19%	3 4%	56 13%	31 6%	- -	15 4%	16 5%	53 20%	3 6%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Very negative (1)	41 4%	14 2%	22 11%	5 3%	8 1%	29 13%	4 5%	30 7%	9 2%	2 5%	9 2%	7 2%	25 10%	- -
			ac			df	d	h					jkm	
Don't know	123 12%	62 10%	20 10%	42 26%	71 10%	20 9%	33 41%	51 12%	52 10%	20 56%	36 10%	36 11%	23 9%	28 48%
			ab			de				gh				jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	276 28%	216 33%	32 16%	27 17%	240 34%	27 13%	8 10%	103 24%	168 31%	5 13%	147 42%	72 21%	49 19%	9 15%
		bc			ef				gi		klm			
Net: Negative	128 13%	55 8%	57 29%	16 10%	52 7%	70 32%	6 8%	86 20%	40 7%	2 5%	24 7%	23 7%	78 30%	3 6%
			ac			df		hi					jkm	
Mean score	3.2	3.4	2.8	3.1	3.4	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.2	2.8	3.3
		bc		b	ef				g		kl	l		
Standard deviation	.91	.85	1.02	.82	.81	1.01	.80	1.00	.80	1.13	.90	.73	.98	.81
Standard error	.03	.04	.08	.08	.03	.07	.11	.05	.04	.28	.05	.04	.07	.15

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q7_4. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Disabled people

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	153 15%	60 16%	93 15%	80 16%	73 15%	18 18%	26 16%	23 13%	17 10%	24 15%	45 20%	44 16%	41 12%	69 18%
Fairly positive (4)	214 21%	70 19%	144 23%	101 20%	113 23%	26 25%	38 23%	35 18%	27 17%	42 27%	46 20%	64 24%	62 18%	87 23%
No difference (3)	327 33%	114 30%	212 34%	176 35%	151 30%	32 31%	50 31%	70 38%	69 42%	44 29%	61 27%	82 31%	139 40%	105 28%
Fairly negative (2)	126 13%	57 15%	69 11%	64 13%	62 12%	17 16%	25 15%	18 10%	23 14%	16 10%	27 12%	42 16%	42 12%	43 11%
Very negative (1)	85 8%	36 10%	49 8%	44 9%	41 8%	4 4%	14 8%	17 9%	12 8%	19 13%	17 8%	18 7%	30 8%	37 10%
Don't know	97 10%	39 10%	58 9%	39 8%	58 12%	6 6%	12 7%	23 12%	16 9%	11 7%	30 13%	18 7%	39 11%	40 11%
NETS														
Net: Positive	367 37%	129 34%	237 38%	181 36%	186 37%	45 43%	64 39%	58 31%	45 27%	65 42%	91 40%	108 40%	103 29%	156 41%
Net: Negative	211 21%	93 25%	118 19%	108 21%	103 21%	21 21%	39 24%	36 19%	36 22%	35 23%	44 20%	60 22%	71 20%	79 21%
Mean score	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.1	3.3
Standard deviation	1.17	1.22	1.14	1.17	1.17	1.11	1.18	1.14	1.06	1.24	1.23	1.16	1.10	1.23
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.06	.13	.09	.09	.09	.10	.09	.07	.06	.07

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q7_4. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Disabled people

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 153 15%	15 8%	41 12%	41 17%	55 23%	56 11%	97 20%	145 15%	8 14%	80 14%	70 18%	52 13%	62 12%	91 18%
			ae	abe	abe	abe	abe							kl
Fairly positive	(4) 214 21%	52 27%	72 22%	45 19%	45 19%	124 24%	90 19%	199 21%	13 23%	125 21%	87 22%	92 22%	111 22%	103 21%
		cdf												
No difference	(3) 327 33%	79 41%	95 29%	81 34%	72 30%	174 33%	152 32%	307 33%	13 24%	194 33%	122 31%	141 34%	177 35%	150 30%
		bdf												
Fairly negative	(2) 126 13%	25 13%	52 16%	29 12%	20 9%	77 15%	49 10%	116 12%	9 17%	86 15%	40 10%	55 13%	66 13%	60 12%
			df			df								
Very negative	(1) 85 8%	12 6%	32 10%	22 9%	19 8%	44 8%	41 9%	80 9%	5 9%	49 8%	32 8%	41 10%	49 10%	36 7%
Don't know	97 10%	11 6%	40 12%	20 8%	26 11%	51 10%	46 10%	90 10%	7 12%	54 9%	37 9%	32 8%	36 7%	61 12%
			a		a									kl
NETS														
Net: Positive	367 37%	67 35%	113 34%	86 36%	100 42%	180 34%	186 39%	343 37%	20 38%	206 35%	158 41%	144 35%	173 35%	194 39%
					e									
Net: Negative	211 21%	37 19%	83 25%	51 21%	40 17%	121 23%	90 19%	196 21%	14 26%	134 23%	72 19%	97 23%	115 23%	96 19%
			df			d								
Mean score	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.3	3.5	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.3
					abe		be				i			kl
Standard deviation	1.17	.99	1.19	1.20	1.23	1.12	1.22	1.17	1.23	1.15	1.18	1.16	1.15	1.19
Standard error	.04	.07	.08	.08	.08	.05	.06	.04	.23	.05	.06	.06	.05	.06

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q7_4. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

Disabled people

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	153	117	16	20	130	16	7	60	88	5	75	45	27	6
	15%	18%	8%	13%	18%	8%	9%	14%	16%	14%	22%	13%	10%	10%
		b			ef						kl			
Fairly positive (4)	214	168	22	23	187	20	7	68	143	3	108	72	29	5
	21%	26%	12%	15%	26%	9%	9%	16%	26%	8%	31%	21%	11%	9%
		bc			ef				gi		klm	lm		
No difference (3)	327	221	52	53	248	53	26	106	214	6	98	151	65	14
	33%	34%	27%	34%	35%	24%	33%	25%	40%	16%	28%	45%	25%	23%
		e			e				gi			jlm		
Fairly negative (2)	126	61	51	14	64	56	6	86	38	1	20	31	73	3
	13%	9%	26%	9%	9%	26%	8%	20%	7%	4%	6%	9%	28%	5%
		ac			df			hi					jkm	
Very negative (1)	85	30	43	12	24	55	6	67	14	4	21	12	50	2
	8%	5%	22%	8%	3%	25%	7%	16%	3%	10%	6%	4%	19%	3%
		ac			df			h		h			jkm	
Don't know	97	50	10	36	53	16	27	36	43	18	23	27	17	29
	10%	8%	5%	23%	8%	8%	34%	9%	8%	49%	7%	8%	7%	50%
			ab			de				gh				jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	367	285	38	43	316	36	14	128	230	8	183	117	56	11
	37%	44%	20%	27%	45%	17%	18%	30%	43%	22%	53%	35%	21%	19%
		bc			ef				gi		klm	lm		
Net: Negative	211	90	94	26	88	111	12	153	53	5	42	43	122	4
	21%	14%	48%	17%	12%	51%	15%	36%	10%	13%	12%	13%	47%	7%
		ac			df			hi					jkm	
Mean score	3.2	3.5	2.5	3.2	3.5	2.4	3.1	2.9	3.5	3.2	3.6	3.3	2.6	3.4
		bc		b	ef		e		g		kl	l		
Standard deviation	1.17	1.07	1.22	1.15	1.03	1.22	1.12	1.31	.97	1.45	1.11	.98	1.24	1.10
Standard error	.04	.04	.09	.10	.04	.09	.15	.07	.04	.33	.06	.06	.08	.21

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q7_5. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People living in rural areas

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	106 11%	40 11%	67 11%	56 11%	50 10%	8 8%	19 11%	16 9%	11 7%	20 13%	32 14% hl	27 10%	27 8%	52 14% hl
Fairly positive (4)	203 20%	67 18%	135 22%	94 19%	109 22%	28 27% hl	33 20%	33 18%	25 15%	31 20%	54 24% hl	60 22%	58 16%	85 22% l
No difference (3)	337 34%	123 33%	214 34%	183 36%	154 31%	41 39% ijm	59 36% ijm	71 38% ijm	70 42% ijm	39 25%	58 26%	99 37% ijm	141 40% ijm	97 25%
Fairly negative (2)	177 18%	70 19%	107 17%	89 18%	88 18%	16 15%	25 16%	35 19%	33 20%	35 22%	33 15%	41 15%	67 19%	68 18%
Very negative (1)	77 8%	34 9%	43 7%	43 9%	34 7%	7 7%	11 7%	13 7%	8 5%	20 13% hkl	17 8%	19 7%	21 6%	37 10% hl
Don't know	101 10%	42 11%	59 10%	38 8%	63 13% c	5 4%	18 11%	20 11%	18 11%	10 7%	31 14% ei	22 8%	38 11%	41 11%
NETS														
Net: Positive	309 31%	107 29%	202 32%	150 30%	159 32%	36 34% h	51 31%	49 26%	36 22%	51 33% hl	86 38% ghl	87 32% hl	85 24%	137 36% ghl
Net: Negative	253 25%	104 28%	150 24%	132 26%	121 24%	23 22%	37 22%	48 25%	40 24%	55 35% efghjkl	51 22%	60 22%	88 25%	106 28%
Mean score	3.1	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.3 ghil	3.1	3.0	3.1
Standard deviation	1.11	1.14	1.09	1.12	1.10	1.03	1.09	1.05	.96	1.26	1.18	1.06	1.01	1.22
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.05	.12	.08	.08	.08	.10	.08	.07	.06	.07

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q7_5. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People living in rural areas

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 106	11	26	31	38	37	69	98	8	50	54	39	45	62
	11%	6%	8%	13%	16%	7%	15%	10%	14%	9%	14%	9%	9%	12%
				ae	abe		abe				i			
Fairly positive	(4) 203	44	53	47	59	97	106	195	8	111	91	82	98	105
	20%	22%	16%	20%	25%	18%	22%	21%	15%	19%	23%	20%	19%	21%
					be		b							
No difference	(3) 337	77	122	84	53	200	137	313	18	214	112	142	180	157
	34%	40%	37%	36%	22%	38%	29%	33%	34%	36%	29%	34%	36%	31%
		df	df	d		df	d			j				
Fairly negative	(2) 177	35	64	38	40	99	78	165	10	109	65	79	95	82
	18%	18%	19%	16%	17%	19%	16%	18%	18%	19%	17%	19%	19%	16%
Very negative	(1) 77	15	26	19	16	41	35	72	4	51	22	39	44	33
	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	8%	7%	8%	7%	9%	6%	10%	9%	7%
Don't know	101	12	40	17	32	52	49	94	7	52	44	31	40	61
	10%	6%	12%	7%	13%	10%	10%	10%	13%	9%	11%	8%	8%	12%
			a		ac									kl
NETS														
Net: Positive	309	55	79	79	97	134	175	293	16	161	145	121	142	167
	31%	28%	24%	33%	41%	25%	37%	31%	29%	27%	37%	29%	28%	33%
				be	abe		abe				i			
Net: Negative	253	50	90	57	56	140	113	237	13	160	87	119	139	115
	25%	26%	27%	24%	24%	27%	24%	25%	25%	27%	22%	29%	28%	23%
												m		
Mean score	3.1	3.0	3.0	3.2	3.3	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.3	3.0	3.0	3.2
					abe		abe				i			kl
Standard deviation	1.11	1.01	1.06	1.14	1.20	1.04	1.17	1.11	1.17	1.08	1.13	1.12	1.09	1.12
Standard error	.04	.07	.07	.08	.07	.05	.05	.04	.22	.05	.06	.06	.05	.05

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q7_5. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People living in rural areas

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	106 11%	84 13% b	8 4%	14 9%	92 13% e	9 4%	5 7%	36 8%	69 13% g	2 4%	56 16% kl	29 9%	17 7%	5 8%
Fairly positive (4)	203 20%	158 24% bc	25 13%	20 13%	173 25% ef	25 12%	4 5%	74 17%	126 23% gi	3 8%	98 28% klm	68 20% lm	32 12%	5 8%
No difference (3)	337 34%	235 36% b	45 23%	57 36% b	263 37% e	46 21%	28 36% e	110 26%	219 41% gi	8 22%	114 33% lm	154 46% jlm	57 22%	11 20%
Fairly negative (2)	177 18%	101 16%	59 30% ac	17 11%	98 14%	70 32% df	9 11%	112 26% hi	64 12%	1 2%	33 10%	46 14%	87 33% jkm	11 18%
Very negative (1)	77 8%	23 3%	45 23% ac	9 5%	17 2%	54 25% df	5 6%	60 14% h	14 3%	3 7%	16 5%	10 3%	50 19% jkm	- -
Don't know	101 10%	46 7%	13 7%	43 27% ab	61 9%	13 6%	28 35% de	33 8%	47 9%	21 57% gh	28 8%	30 9%	17 6%	27 46% jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	309 31%	243 38% bc	33 17%	34 21%	266 38% ef	34 16%	10 12%	109 26%	195 36% gi	5 12%	154 45% klm	97 29% lm	49 19%	9 16%
Net: Negative	253 25%	123 19%	105 54% ac	25 16%	116 16%	124 57% df	14 17%	172 40% hi	78 14%	3 9%	49 14%	57 17%	137 53% jkm	11 18%
Mean score	3.1	3.3 b	2.4	3.1 b	3.3 ef	2.3	2.9 e	2.8	3.3 g	3.0	3.5 kl	3.2 l	2.5	3.1 l
Standard deviation	1.11	1.03	1.13	1.04	.99	1.13	1.03	1.19	.97	1.17	1.06	.92	1.16	1.04
Standard error	.04	.04	.08	.10	.04	.08	.14	.06	.04	.28	.06	.05	.08	.19

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Q7_6. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People on low incomes

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 116 12%	45 12%	71 11%	67 13%	49 10%	13 12%	19 11%	20 11%	14 8%	19 13%	31 14%	31 12%	34 10%	51 13%
Fairly positive	(4) 205 20%	66 17%	139 22%	95 19%	109 22%	22 21%	39 24%	38 20%	27 16%	28 18%	51 23%	61 23%	65 18%	79 21%
No difference	(3) 384 38%	139 37%	245 39%	203 40%	181 36%	46 45%	64 39%	77 41%	74 45%	57 37%	66 29%	111 41%	150 43%	123 32%
Fairly negative	(2) 129 13%	57 15%	72 12%	67 13%	63 13%	12 12%	25 15%	22 12%	25 15%	16 10%	29 13%	38 14%	47 13%	45 12%
Very negative	(1) 69 7%	27 7%	42 7%	28 6%	40 8%	7 7%	6 4%	12 7%	6 3%	19 12%	19 8%	13 5%	18 5%	38 10%
Don't know	99 10%	42 11%	57 9%	43 9%	56 11%	4 4%	11 7%	18 10%	20 12%	17 11%	29 13%	15 5%	38 11%	46 12%
									ek	k	efk		k	efk
NETS														
Net: Positive	320 32%	111 29%	210 34%	163 32%	158 32%	34 33%	58 35%	58 31%	41 25%	47 30%	83 37%	92 34%	99 28%	130 34%
							h				hl	h		h
Net: Negative	198 20%	84 22%	114 18%	95 19%	103 21%	20 19%	31 19%	34 18%	31 19%	34 22%	48 21%	51 19%	65 18%	82 22%
Mean score	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2
Standard deviation	1.07	1.10	1.06	1.06	1.09	1.05	1.00	1.04	.94	1.19	1.18	1.02	1.00	1.18
Standard error	.04	.06	.05	.05	.05	.12	.08	.08	.08	.10	.08	.06	.06	.06

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q7_6. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People on low incomes

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive	(5) 116	17	32	28	39	49	67	108	8	61	54	42	47	69
	12%	9%	10%	12%	17%	9%	14%	11%	14%	10%	14%	10%	9%	14%
					abe		ae							l
Fairly positive	(4) 205	42	68	48	47	110	95	194	10	118	84	90	109	96
	20%	22%	20%	20%	20%	21%	20%	21%	18%	20%	22%	22%	22%	19%
No difference	(3) 384	82	128	97	76	210	174	361	17	234	138	159	200	184
	38%	42%	39%	41%	32%	40%	37%	38%	31%	40%	35%	39%	40%	37%
		d		d		d								
Fairly negative	(2) 129	31	44	29	25	74	55	117	10	82	45	62	73	56
	13%	16%	13%	12%	11%	14%	12%	13%	19%	14%	12%	15%	15%	11%
Very negative	(1) 69	9	28	11	20	37	32	64	5	37	30	26	31	38
	7%	4%	9%	5%	9%	7%	7%	7%	9%	6%	8%	6%	6%	8%
Don't know	99	14	32	25	28	46	53	94	5	55	38	35	41	58
	10%	7%	10%	10%	12%	9%	11%	10%	9%	9%	10%	9%	8%	12%
NETS														
Net: Positive	320	59	100	75	87	159	162	301	17	179	137	131	156	165
	32%	30%	30%	32%	37%	30%	34%	32%	32%	30%	35%	32%	31%	33%
Net: Negative	198	39	72	41	46	111	87	181	15	119	75	87	104	94
	20%	20%	22%	17%	19%	21%	18%	19%	28%	20%	19%	21%	21%	19%
Mean score	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.3	3.1	3.3	3.2	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.1	3.2
Standard deviation	1.07	.98	1.08	1.02	1.19	1.04	1.11	1.07	1.21	1.04	1.13	1.04	1.03	1.12
Standard error	.04	.07	.07	.07	.07	.05	.05	.04	.22	.05	.06	.05	.05	.05

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q7_6. For each of the following groups of people, please say if you think the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk will have a positive or negative impact on that group, or make no difference at all.

People on low incomes

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very positive (5)	116 12%	84 13% b	13 6%	19 12%	92 13%	19 9%	5 6%	46 11%	67 12%	2 7%	58 17% kl	34 10%	19 7%	5 9%
Fairly positive (4)	205 20%	160 25% bc	21 11%	24 15%	178 25% ef	18 8%	8 10%	74 18%	127 24% gi	3 8%	106 31% klm	61 18% m	36 14% m	2 4%
No difference (3)	384 38%	262 40% b	64 33%	58 37%	292 41% e	67 31%	25 31%	138 32%	237 44% gi	9 25%	114 33% jlm	175 52% jlm	74 29%	21 36%
Fairly negative (2)	129 13%	72 11%	45 23% ac	12 7%	67 9%	57 26% df	6 7%	74 17% hi	56 10% i	- -	30 9%	31 9%	62 24% jk	7 12%
Very negative (1)	69 7%	21 3%	37 19% ac	10 7%	21 3%	41 19% df	7 8% d	58 14% h	7 1% h	4 11% h	10 3%	11 3%	47 18% jkm	- -
Don't know	99 10%	49 8%	15 8%	35 22% ab	54 8%	15 7%	30 37% de	34 8%	47 9%	18 49% gh	28 8%	27 8%	22 8%	23 39% jkl
NETS														
Net: Positive	320 32%	243 38% bc	34 17%	43 27% b	271 38% ef	37 17%	13 16%	121 28%	194 36% gi	5 15%	164 47% klm	95 28% m	55 21%	7 12%
Net: Negative	198 20%	93 14%	83 42% ac	22 14%	88 12%	97 45% df	12 16%	131 31% hi	63 12%	4 11%	40 12%	42 12%	109 42% jkm	7 12%
Mean score	3.2	3.4 b	2.6	3.2 b	3.4 ef	2.6	3.0 e	2.9	3.4 g	3.0	3.5 klm	3.2 l	2.7	3.2 l
Standard deviation	1.07	.98	1.15	1.10	.96	1.18	1.10	1.20	.91	1.28	1.00	.90	1.19	.91
Standard error	.04	.04	.08	.10	.04	.08	.15	.06	.04	.29	.06	.05	.08	.16

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Q8. I am now going to read out a list of priorities for local government generally. Please select the top three priorities that are most important to you personally.

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Support for the vulnerable, for example children and disabled people	561 56%	216 57%	345 55%	268 53%	292 59%	62 59%	97 59%	90 48%	96 58%	90 58%	126 56%	159 59%	186 53%	216 57%
Keeping council tax rates as low as possible	430 43%	172 46%	259 41%	199 40%	231 46%	31 30%	73 45%	80 43%	75 46%	58 37%	114 50%	104 39%	155 44%	171 45%
Efficient and consistent delivery of services	392 39%	147 39%	245 39%	190 38%	202 41%	45 43%	56 34%	70 37%	74 45%	61 39%	87 38%	101 38%	144 41%	147 39%
Engaging with and listening to residents	335 33%	133 35%	201 32%	162 32%	173 35%	28 27%	52 32%	52 28%	56 34%	61 39%	86 38%	80 30%	108 31%	147 38%
Improving local places, for example parks and community centres	333 33%	121 32%	212 34%	181 36%	152 31%	37 36%	61 37%	77 41%	58 35%	50 32%	50 22%	98 37%	135 38%	100 26%
Driving growth in employment	301 30%	111 30%	190 30%	159 32%	142 29%	38 36%	51 31%	70 38%	49 29%	46 30%	48 21%	88 33%	119 34%	94 25%
Driving growth in housing	256 26%	90 24%	166 27%	144 29%	112 23%	30 29%	46 28%	47 25%	42 26%	39 25%	52 23%	76 28%	90 25%	91 24%
Strong and accountable local leadership	193 19%	76 20%	117 19%	106 21%	87 17%	21 20%	30 19%	28 15%	27 17%	33 21%	54 24%	51 19%	55 16%	87 23%
Don't know	27 3%	9 2%	18 3%	11 2%	17 3%	3 3%	3 2%	6 3%	- -	4 2%	11 5%	6 2%	6 2%	15 4%
None of the above	6 1%	2 1%	4 1%	6 1%	1 *	- -	1 *	4 2%	- -	- -	2 1%	1 *	4 1%	2 *

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q8. I am now going to read out a list of priorities for local government generally. Please select the top three priorities that are most important to you personally.

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Support for the vulnerable, for example children and disabled people	561 56%	112 58%	181 55%	130 55%	138 58%	293 56%	268 56%	527 56%	28 52%	319 54%	228 59%	213 52%	268 54%	293 58% k
Keeping council tax rates as low as possible	430 43%	57 29%	138 42%	113 48%	122 51%	195 37%	235 50%	405 43%	24 44%	252 43%	164 42%	148 36%	189 38%	241 48% kl
Efficient and consistent delivery of services	392 39%	87 45%	142 43%	78 33%	85 36%	228 43%	164 34%	375 40%	13 24%	237 40%	148 38%	188 46%	216 43%	176 35% m
Engaging with and listening to residents	335 33%	61 31%	105 32%	94 40%	75 31%	166 32%	169 36%	314 34%	17 32%	188 32%	143 37%	157 38%	186 37%	148 30% m
Improving local places, for example parks and community centres	333 33%	60 31%	135 41%	65 28%	72 30%	195 37%	138 29%	301 32%	28 51%	218 37%	109 28%	130 32%	151 30%	182 36% l
Driving growth in employment	301 30%	69 36%	108 33%	72 31%	51 22%	177 34%	124 26%	289 31%	10 19%	198 34%	96 25%	132 32%	156 31%	145 29% j
Driving growth in housing	256 26%	57 29%	76 23%	72 30%	51 22%	133 25%	123 26%	245 26%	9 16%	155 26%	99 25%	111 27%	135 27%	121 24%
Strong and accountable local leadership	193 19%	54 28%	52 16%	49 20%	39 16%	106 20%	87 18%	179 19%	12 23%	97 16%	92 24%	93 22%	107 21%	86 17% i
Don't know	27 3%	2 1%	8 2%	2 1%	15 6%	11 2%	17 4%	21 2%	5 9%	11 2%	14 4%	6 1%	12 2%	15 3% c

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q8. I am now going to read out a list of priorities for local government generally. Please select the top three priorities that are most important to you personally.

Base: All respondents

	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
	Total	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
None of the above	6	1	1	3	1	2	4	6	-	3	1	1	1	5
	1%	*	*	1%	1%	*	1%	1%	-	1%	*	*	*	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m



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Q8. I am now going to read out a list of priorities for local government generally. Please select the top three priorities that are most important to you personally.

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Support for the vulnerable, for example children and disabled people	561 56%	360 56%	117 60%	85 53%	393 56%	130 60%	38 48%	251 59%	295 55%	15 40%	180 52%	193 57%	162 62%	26 46%
							i						jm	
Keeping council tax rates as low as possible	430 43%	283 44%	76 39%	71 45%	334 47%	70 32%	27 34%	174 41%	240 44%	15 42%	157 45%	147 43%	108 41%	19 33%
					ef									
Efficient and consistent delivery of services	392 39%	265 41%	65 34%	62 39%	281 40%	75 35%	36 46%	164 39%	217 40%	11 31%	133 39%	137 41%	94 36%	28 47%
Engaging with and listening to residents	335 33%	201 31%	78 40%	56 35%	213 30%	90 42%	31 40%	144 34%	174 32%	16 43%	119 35%	108 32%	86 33%	22 38%
			a		d									
Improving local places, for example parks and community centres	333 33%	208 32%	74 38%	51 32%	239 34%	72 33%	22 27%	146 34%	176 33%	10 28%	118 34%	101 30%	97 37%	16 28%
Driving growth in employment	301 30%	210 32%	43 22%	48 30%	233 33%	55 26%	13 17%	111 26%	185 34%	5 14%	111 32%	95 28%	72 28%	23 39%
		b			ef				gi					
Driving growth in housing	256 26%	186 29%	44 22%	26 17%	181 26%	60 28%	15 19%	104 24%	146 27%	6 18%	91 26%	96 28%	63 24%	8 13%
		c								m		m		
Strong and accountable local leadership	193 19%	123 19%	45 23%	25 15%	129 18%	51 23%	13 16%	91 22%	96 18%	6 15%	73 21%	56 17%	56 21%	8 14%
Don't know	27 3%	15 2%	4 2%	8 5%	13 2%	6 3%	8 10%	12 3%	10 2%	6 16%	6 2%	14 4%	2 1%	6 10%
						de			gh			l		jl
None of the above	6 1%	1 *	2 1%	4 2%	2 *	2 1%	2 3%	1 *	3 1%	2 6%	1 *	2 1%	2 1%	1 3%
			a			d			gh					j

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Q9. Based on everything we have discussed so far today and having heard the various benefits and concerns, to what extent are you favourable or unfavourable towards the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very favourable	(4) 207 21%	58 15%	149 24% a	115 23%	93 19%	26 25%	33 20%	44 24% h	25 15%	32 20%	49 21%	58 22%	69 20%	80 21%
Fairly favourable	(3) 498 50%	185 49%	313 50%	235 47%	263 53% c	55 53%	77 47%	93 50%	92 56% j	78 50%	103 46%	132 49%	185 53%	181 48%
Fairly unfavourable	(2) 107 11%	48 13%	59 9%	52 10%	55 11%	11 11%	25 15% m	19 10%	17 10%	15 10%	21 9%	36 13%	36 10%	36 9%
Very unfavourable	(1) 109 11%	51 14% b	58 9%	69 14% d	40 8%	6 6%	21 13%	18 10%	12 7%	21 13%	31 14% hl	27 10%	30 9%	52 14% ehl
Don't know	79 8%	34 9%	46 7%	33 6%	47 9%	7 6%	8 5%	13 7%	20 12% fk	10 6%	22 10%	15 6%	32 9%	32 8%
NETS														
Net: Favourable	706 70%	243 65%	463 74% a	350 69%	356 72%	80 77%	110 67%	137 74%	117 71%	110 71%	152 67%	190 71%	254 72%	262 69%
Net: Unfavourable	216 22%	99 26% b	117 19%	121 24%	95 19%	17 17%	46 28% ehl	37 20%	29 17%	36 23%	52 23%	63 24%	66 19%	87 23%
Mean score	2.9	2.7	3.0 a	2.8	2.9	3.0 f	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8
Standard deviation	.89	.91	.87	.96	.82	.79	.93	.88	.77	.93	.96	.89	.83	.95
Standard error	.03	.05	.04	.04	.04	.09	.07	.07	.06	.08	.07	.06	.05	.05

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Q9. Based on everything we have discussed so far today and having heard the various benefits and concerns, to what extent are you favourable or unfavourable towards the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very favourable	(4)	207	49	60	50	48	109	98	194	13	114	89	101	111	97
		21%	25%	18%	21%	20%	21%	21%	21%	24%	19%	23%	24%	22%	19%
Fairly favourable	(3)	498	89	171	121	117	260	238	466	28	306	184	192	242	256
		50%	46%	52%	51%	49%	50%	50%	50%	51%	52%	47%	46%	48%	51%
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	107	23	44	22	19	67	41	99	5	70	35	44	51	56
		11%	12%	13%	9%	8%	13%	9%	11%	9%	12%	9%	11%	10%	11%
Very unfavourable	(1)	109	22	30	32	24	52	57	104	5	57	48	50	63	46
		11%	12%	9%	14%	10%	10%	12%	11%	10%	10%	12%	12%	13%	9%
Don't know		79	11	26	13	29	38	42	75	3	41	32	27	34	46
		8%	6%	8%	5%	12%	7%	9%	8%	6%	7%	8%	7%	7%	9%
ace															
NETS															
Net: Favourable	706	138	232	171	165	370	336	660	41	419	273	292	353	353	
	70%	71%	70%	72%	70%	70%	71%	70%	75%	71%	70%	71%	70%	71%	
Net: Unfavourable	216	45	74	54	43	119	97	203	10	127	83	93	114	102	
	22%	23%	22%	23%	18%	23%	20%	22%	19%	22%	21%	23%	23%	20%	
Mean score	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	
Standard deviation	.89	.94	.84	.93	.89	.88	.91	.90	.88	.86	.94	.94	.93	.85	
Standard error	.03	.07	.06	.06	.05	.04	.04	.03	.16	.04	.05	.05	.04	.04	

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Q9. Based on everything we have discussed so far today and having heard the various benefits and concerns, to what extent are you favourable or unfavourable towards the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55	
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very favourable	(4)	207	190	5	12	207	-	-	45	161	2	108	82	18	1
		21%	29%	3%	7%	29%	-	-	11%	30%	5%	31%	24%	7%	1%
			bc		b	ef				gi		klm	lm		
Fairly favourable	(3)	498	395	34	70	498	-	-	191	298	9	183	174	107	33
		50%	61%	17%	44%	71%	-	-	45%	55%	25%	53%	52%	41%	57%
			bc		b	ef			i	gi		l	l		l
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	107	29	61	18	-	107	-	76	29	1	19	30	51	6
		11%	4%	31%	11%	-	50%	-	18%	5%	4%	6%	9%	20%	11%
			ac		a	df			hi					jk	
Very unfavourable	(1)	109	15	88	6	-	109	-	91	17	1	18	23	66	1
		11%	2%	45%	4%	-	50%	-	21%	3%	4%	5%	7%	26%	2%
			ac		df				hi					jkm	
Don't know		79	19	7	54	-	-	79	21	35	23	17	29	17	16
		8%	3%	3%	34%	-	-	100%	5%	6%	63%	5%	9%	7%	28%
				ab		de				gh			j		kl
NETS															
Net: Favourable		706	585	39	82	706	-	-	236	459	11	291	256	125	34
		70%	90%	20%	51%	100%	-	-	56%	85%	30%	84%	76%	48%	58%
			bc		b	ef			i	gi		klm	lm		
Net: Unfavourable		216	43	149	24	-	216	-	167	46	3	37	53	118	8
		22%	7%	77%	15%	-	100%	-	39%	9%	8%	11%	16%	45%	13%
				ac	a	df			hi					jkm	
Mean score		2.9	3.2	1.8	2.8	3.3	1.5	-	2.5	3.2	2.8	3.2	3.0	2.3	2.8
			bc		b	e				g		klm	l		l
Standard deviation		.89	.63	.84	.70	.46	.50	-	.96	.69	.81	.76	.81	.95	.52
Standard error		.03	.03	.06	.07	.02	.03	-	.05	.03	.21	.04	.05	.06	.08

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by Forest Heath District Council and St Edmundsbury Borough Council are currently considering proposals to replace the two councils with a single District-level Council covering both areas.

Both councils have been working in partnership for over 10 years, and all of their services are run together on behalf of both councils.

Q4. In general, to what extent are you favourable or unfavourable towards the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

		FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS PROPOSALS Q4						
Total		Very favourable	Fairly favourable	Fairly unfavourable	Very unfavourable	Don't know	Net: Favourable	Net: Unfavourable
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g
Significance Level: 95%								
Unweighted Total	1001	180	463	102	97	159	643	199
Weighted Total	1001	180	467	105	90	159	647	195
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Very favourable	(4)	207	79	2	3	12	190	5
	21%	62%	17%	2%	3%	7%	29%	3%
		bcdefg	cdeg			g	bcdeg	
Fairly favourable	(3)	498	344	24	9	70	395	34
	50%	28%	74%	23%	10%	44%	61%	17%
		dg	acdefg	d		acd	acdeg	
Fairly unfavourable	(2)	107	24	47	14	18	29	61
	11%	3%	5%	45%	15%	11%	4%	31%
				abdefg	abf	abf		abdef
Very unfavourable	(1)	109	7	26	63	6	15	88
	11%	4%	1%	24%	70%	4%	2%	45%
		b		abef	abcefg			abcef
Don't know		79	14	5	1	54	19	7
	8%	3%	3%	5%	2%	34%	3%	3%
						abcdg		
NETS								
Net: Favourable	706	162	423	27	12	82	585	39
	70%	90%	91%	25%	14%	51%	90%	20%
		cdeg	cdeg	d		cdg	cdeg	
Net: Unfavourable	216	13	30	73	76	24	43	149
	22%	7%	7%	69%	85%	15%	7%	77%
				abef	abcef	abf		abef
Mean score	2.9	3.5	3.1	2.0	1.5	2.8	3.2	1.8
		bcdefg	cdeg	dg		cdg	bcdeg	d
Standard deviation	.89	.76	.53	.78	.81	.70	.63	.84
Standard error	.03	.06	.02	.08	.08	.07	.03	.06

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f,g

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Q10. To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the proposals to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
		Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381	
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very concerned	(4)	115	39	75	72	43	8	17	26	9	22	32	25	35	54
		11%	10%	12%	14%	9%	8%	11%	14%	6%	14%	14%	10%	10%	14%
					d				h		h	h			h
Fairly concerned	(3)	310	129	180	147	162	26	54	50	50	48	81	80	100	130
		31%	34%	29%	29%	33%	25%	33%	27%	30%	31%	36%	30%	28%	34%
											g				
Not very concerned	(2)	308	108	201	149	160	41	59	48	64	43	53	100	112	96
		31%	29%	32%	30%	32%	39%	36%	26%	39%	27%	24%	37%	32%	25%
							gjm	gjm		gjm			gjm	jm	
Not at all concerned	(1)	232	82	150	123	109	24	28	55	39	37	49	52	93	86
		23%	22%	24%	24%	22%	23%	17%	29%	23%	24%	22%	19%	26%	23%
									fk					fk	
Don't know		37	17	19	13	24	4	5	8	3	5	10	10	11	15
		4%	5%	3%	3%	5%	4%	3%	4%	2%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%
NETS															
Net: Concerned		424	169	256	219	205	34	71	76	59	70	113	106	135	183
		42%	45%	41%	44%	41%	33%	43%	41%	36%	45%	50%	39%	38%	48%
												ehkl			ehkl
Net: Not concerned		540	190	350	271	269	65	87	103	103	80	103	152	205	182
		54%	51%	56%	54%	54%	63%	53%	55%	62%	51%	45%	57%	58%	48%
							jm			jm			jm	jm	
Mean score		2.3	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.4
								h				ehl			hl
Standard deviation		.97	.95	.98	1.01	.92	.90	.90	1.05	.86	1.01	1.00	.90	.97	1.01
Standard error		.03	.05	.04	.05	.04	.10	.07	.08	.07	.08	.07	.06	.05	.05

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Q10. To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the proposals to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508	
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very concerned	(4)	115	19	40	25	31	59	56	100	13	58	55	59	69	46
		11%	10%	12%	10%	13%	11%	12%	11%	23%	10%	14%	14%	14%	9%
									g		i	m	m		
Fairly concerned	(3)	310	62	104	73	71	166	144	291	16	182	122	132	159	151
		31%	32%	31%	31%	30%	32%	30%	31%	30%	31%	32%	32%	32%	30%
Not very concerned	(2)	308	62	104	67	76	166	142	296	10	195	106	121	151	157
		31%	32%	31%	28%	32%	32%	30%	32%	18%	33%	27%	29%	30%	31%
Not at all concerned	(1)	232	47	70	70	45	117	115	218	12	138	90	95	114	118
		23%	24%	21%	29%	19%	22%	24%	23%	22%	23%	23%	23%	23%	24%
				bde											
Don't know		37	4	14	3	15	18	19	32	3	14	15	6	8	29
		4%	2%	4%	1%	6%	3%	4%	3%	6%	2%	4%	1%	2%	6%
					ac									kl	
NETS															
Net: Concerned		424	81	144	98	102	225	200	391	29	240	177	190	228	197
		42%	42%	43%	41%	43%	43%	42%	42%	54%	41%	46%	46%	45%	39%
												m	m		
Net: Not concerned		540	109	174	136	120	283	257	514	22	333	196	216	265	275
		54%	56%	53%	57%	51%	54%	54%	55%	40%	57%	51%	52%	53%	55%
Mean score		2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.6	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3
					c										
Standard deviation		.97	.95	.96	.99	.96	.98	.96	1.11	.94	1.01	1.00	.99	.94	
Standard error		.03	.07	.06	.06	.05	.04	.03	.20	.04	.05	.05	.04	.04	

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Q10. To what extent, if at all, are you concerned about the proposals to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
		Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know	
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%															
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55	
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58	
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	
Very concerned	(4)	115	33	63	18	37	71	7	115	-	-	22	25	61	7
		11%	5%	33%	11%	5%	33%	9%	27%	-	-	6%	7%	24%	12%
				ac	a		df		hi					jk	
Fairly concerned	(3)	310	187	82	41	199	96	15	310	-	-	93	92	112	13
		31%	29%	42%	25%	28%	45%	18%	73%	-	-	27%	27%	43%	23%
				ac			df		hi					jkm	
Not very concerned	(2)	308	242	29	37	263	29	16	-	308	-	124	112	56	17
		31%	37%	15%	23%	37%	13%	20%	-	57%	-	36%	33%	21%	29%
			bc		ef		gi				l	l			
Not at all concerned	(1)	232	175	16	41	196	17	19	-	232	-	98	95	29	9
		23%	27%	8%	26%	28%	8%	24%	-	43%	-	28%	28%	11%	16%
			b		b		e				gi	l	l		
Don't know		37	9	4	23	11	3	23	-	-	37	9	13	2	12
		4%	1%	2%	15%	2%	1%	29%	-	-	100%	3%	4%	1%	20%
				ab		de		gh				l		l	l
NETS															
Net: Concerned		424	220	146	58	236	167	21	424	-	-	114	117	173	20
		42%	34%	75%	37%	33%	77%	27%	100%	-	-	33%	35%	67%	35%
				ac			df		hi					jkm	
Net: Not concerned		540	418	45	77	459	46	35	-	540	-	221	208	85	26
		54%	65%	23%	49%	65%	21%	44%	-	100%	-	64%	61%	33%	45%
			bc		b		ef				gi	lm	lm		
Mean score		2.3	2.1	3.0	2.3	2.1	3.0	2.2	3.3	1.6	-	2.1	2.1	2.8	2.4
			ac		df		h							jkm	
Standard deviation		.97	.87	.91	1.03	.88	.89	1.03	.44	.50	-	.90	.93	.93	.98
Standard error		.03	.03	.06	.09	.03	.06	.13	.02	.02	-	.05	.05	.06	.15

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Q11. What concerns, if any, do you have regarding the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All those who have concerns about the proposals to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk

Significance Level: 95%

Unweighted Total

Weighted Total

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

Total	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE								
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
731	296	435	365	366	61	147	126	122	111	164	208	248	275
733	276	457	368	365	76	131	124	123	113	166	206	247	279
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

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Significance Level: 95%

Unweighted Total

Weighted Total

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	*h	i	j	k	l	m
731	151	188	169	223	339	392	699	24	423	292	298	369	362
733	143	248	164	178	391	342	687	39	435	283	311	379	354
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q11. What concerns, if any, do you have regarding the proposed creation of a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All those who have concerns about the proposals to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	731	459	179	93	497	195	39	420	311	-	247	228	219	37
Weighted Total	733	462	175	95	499	196	38	424	308	-	238	229	229	37
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	-	100%	100%	100%	100%

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q12. What further information, if anything, would you like to see from the two councils about the proposed changes going forward?

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q12. What further information, if anything, would you like to see from the two councils about the proposed changes going forward?

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

Unweighted Total

Weighted Total

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q12. What further information, if anything, would you like to see from the two councils about the proposed changes going forward?

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

Unweighted Total

Weighted Total

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

Total	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS			
	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q13. How, if at all, would you like to hear from Forest Heath and St Edmundsbury Councils about the proposal to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Leaflet or flyer	569	213	356	273	296	60	93	117	92	94	113	153	209	207
	57%	57%	57%	54%	60%	58%	57%	63%	56%	60%	50%	57%	59%	54%
								j		j			j	
Local newspaper	512	191	321	268	244	65	73	93	73	73	135	138	166	209
	51%	51%	51%	53%	49%	62%	45%	50%	44%	47%	60%	51%	47%	55%
						fhil					fghil			fhl
Email	290	104	186	156	134	38	45	56	53	47	52	82	109	99
	29%	28%	30%	31%	27%	36%	27%	30%	32%	30%	23%	31%	31%	26%
						j			j				j	
Social media	266	111	155	120	146	45	47	57	47	43	27	93	104	69
	27%	30%	25%	24%	29%	44%	29%	30%	28%	28%	12%	35%	29%	18%
					c	fghijlm	jm	jm	jm	jm		jm	jm	j
Public event	260	107	154	129	131	27	42	49	49	41	53	70	97	94
	26%	28%	25%	26%	26%	26%	26%	26%	29%	26%	23%	26%	28%	25%
Telephone	80	28	53	40	41	12	15	15	6	12	20	27	22	31
	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	12%	9%	8%	4%	7%	9%	10%	6%	8%
						h	h					h		
Don't know	7	3	5	3	4	-	2	2	-	1	2	2	2	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
None of the above	43	15	28	21	22	3	10	5	11	4	9	13	16	14
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	6%	3%	7%	3%	4%	5%	5%	4%

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q13. How, if at all, would you like to hear from Forest Heath and St Edmundsbury Councils about the proposal to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Leaflet or flyer	569	104	215	129	121	319	250	538	27	351	208	227	280	290
	57%	54%	65% acdf	54%	51%	61% df	53%	57%	50%	60%	54%	55%	56%	58%
Local newspaper	512	90	172	121	130	262	250	483	23	288	212	227	281	231
	51%	46%	52%	51%	55%	50%	53%	52%	42%	49%	55%	55% m	56% m	46%
Email	290	72	105	65	47	177	112	272	14	184	103	136	155	135
	29%	37% cdf	32% df	27% d	20%	34% df	24%	29%	25%	31%	26%	33% m	31%	27%
Social media	266	42	108	64	51	151	115	250	12	192	72	114	133	133
	27%	22%	33% adf	27%	22%	29% d	24%	27%	23%	33% j	19%	28%	27%	27%
Public event	260	54	102	44	61	155	105	251	8	158	100	113	136	124
	26%	28% c	31% cf	19%	26%	30% cf	22%	27%	15%	27%	26%	27%	27%	25%
Telephone	80	10	30	17	23	40	40	77	3	44	34	32	38	43
	8%	5%	9%	7%	10%	8%	8%	8%	6%	7%	9%	8%	8%	9%
Don't know	7	-	1	3	4	1	6	6	2	4	2	2	3	5
	1%	-	* e	1% e	2% e	* e	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	* e	1% e	1% e
None of the above	43	4	9	15	16	13	30	36	7	24	13	10	14	29
	4%	2%	3% ae	6% ae	7% abe	2% abe	6% abe	4%	14% g	4%	3%	2% g	3% g	6% kl

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

Q13. How, if at all, would you like to hear from Forest Heath and St Edmundsbury Councils about the proposal to create a single District-level Council for West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Leaflet or flyer	569	366	115	88	404	123	42	253	303	13	183	193	159	34
	57%	57%	59%	55%	57%	57%	53%	60%	56%	36%	53%	57%	61%	59%
								i	i				j	
Local newspaper	512	351	85	76	379	100	33	216	280	16	183	176	130	23
	51%	54%	44%	48%	54%	46%	42%	51%	52%	42%	53%	52%	50%	40%
		b			f									
Email	290	204	45	40	224	52	14	123	162	4	113	95	73	9
	29%	32%	23%	25%	32%	24%	18%	29%	30%	12%	33%	28%	28%	16%
		b			ef			i	i		m			
Social media	266	186	49	31	193	54	19	112	146	7	86	100	66	14
	27%	29%	25%	20%	27%	25%	24%	26%	27%	20%	25%	30%	25%	25%
		c												
Public event	260	170	55	35	178	69	13	137	119	4	84	84	81	12
	26%	26%	28%	22%	25%	32%	16%	32%	22%	11%	24%	25%	31%	21%
					df			hi						
Telephone	80	57	14	9	58	19	4	38	39	3	27	34	15	4
	8%	9%	7%	6%	8%	9%	5%	9%	7%	9%	8%	10%	6%	7%
Don't know	7	3	3	2	4	2	2	1	4	2	1	4	3	-
	1%	*	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	*	1%	5%	*	1%	1%	-
										gh				
None of the above	43	14	18	11	16	18	9	12	24	7	7	17	10	9
	4%	2%	9%	7%	2%	8%	12%	3%	4%	19%	2%	5%	4%	15%
		a		a	d		d			gh		j		jkl

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Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
All Saints	24 2%	24 6% b	- -	12 2%	11 2%	- -	6 3%	2 1%	5 3%	4 2%	7 3%	6 2%	7 2%	11 3%
Brandon East	39 4%	39 10% b	- -	16 3%	23 5%	5 4%	5 3%	6 3%	7 4%	6 4%	10 4%	9 3%	14 4%	16 4%
Brandon West	26 3%	26 7% b	- -	17 3%	9 2%	1 1%	3 2%	5 3%	2 1%	5 3%	10 5% h	4 2%	6 2%	15 4%
Eriswell and The Rows	34 3%	34 9% b	- -	20 4%	14 3%	1 1%	4 3%	7 3%	6 4%	10 7% jk	5 2%	6 2%	13 4%	15 4%
Exning	14 1%	14 4% b	- -	8 2%	6 1%	1 1%	3 2%	3 1%	4 3%	1 1%	2 1%	5 2%	7 2%	3 1%
Great Heath	27 3%	27 7% b	- -	16 3%	11 2%	1 1%	5 3%	4 2%	3 2%	6 4%	8 3%	7 2%	7 2%	14 4%
Iceni	13 1%	13 3% b	- -	7 1%	6 1%	1 1%	1 *	3 1%	4 3%	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	7 2%	4 1%
Lakenheath	31 3%	31 8% b	- -	11 2%	19 4%	1 1%	3 2%	7 4%	1 1%	4 3%	14 6% fhkl	5 2%	8 2%	18 5% hk
Manor	13 1%	13 3% b	- -	6 1%	7 1%	1 1%	1 *	3 2%	1 *	2 1%	5 2%	1 1%	4 1%	7 2%
Market	27 3%	27 7% b	- -	12 2%	15 3%	2 2%	4 2%	6 3%	7 4%	7 4% j	2 1%	6 2%	12 3%	9 2%
Red Lodge	30 3%	30 8% b	- -	17 3%	14 3%	4 4%	4 2%	8 4%	3 2%	5 3%	7 3%	7 3%	11 3%	12 3%
Severals	45 4%	45 12% b	- -	16 3%	29 6% c	2 1%	8 5%	9 5%	10 6%	5 3%	11 5%	10 4%	19 5%	16 4%

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Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
South	15 1%	15 4%	- -	7 1%	7 1%	- -	1 *	2 1%	5 3%	3 2%	4 2%	1 *	6 2%	8 2%
St Mary's	38 4%	38 10%	- -	20 4%	18 4%	4 3%	6 4%	10 5%	8 5%	4 3%	5 2%	10 4%	18 5%	10 3%
Abbeygate	27 3%	- -	27 4%	15 3%	12 2%	4 4%	3 2%	1 *	7 4%	6 4%	6 3%	7 3%	8 2%	12 3%
Bardwell	16 2%	- -	16 2%	14 3%	2 *	4 4%	3 2%	5 2%	- -	1 *	3 1%	7 3%	5 1%	4 1%
Barningham	17 2%	- -	17 3%	8 2%	9 2%	6 6%	4 2%	2 1%	1 *	1 1%	3 1%	10 4%	3 1%	4 1%
Barrow	15 2%	- -	15 2%	6 1%	9 2%	1 1%	4 3%	4 2%	3 2%	- -	3 1%	5 2%	7 2%	3 1%
Cavendish	13 1%	- -	13 2%	6 1%	6 1%	- -	1 *	3 2%	4 2%	3 2%	2 1%	1 *	7 2%	5 1%
Chedburgh	13 1%	- -	13 2%	6 1%	7 1%	2 2%	2 1%	1 1%	3 2%	3 2%	3 1%	4 1%	4 1%	5 1%
Clare	13 1%	- -	13 2%	7 1%	7 1%	- -	2 1%	3 2%	4 2%	1 1%	3 1%	2 1%	7 2%	5 1%
Eastgate	14 1%	- -	14 2%	4 1%	10 2%	2 2%	3 2%	3 2%	- -	3 2%	2 1%	5 2%	3 1%	6 1%
Fornham	12 1%	- -	12 2%	7 1%	6 1%	2 2%	2 2%	1 1%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	5 2%	3 1%	4 1%
Great Barton	14 1%	- -	14 2%	8 2%	6 1%	- -	- -	3 2%	2 1%	1 1%	7 3%	- -	6 2%	8 2%

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Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Haverhill East	41 4%	- -	41 7% a	25 5%	17 3%	5 5%	16 9% ghijlm	5 3%	3 2%	4 2%	10 4%	20 8% ghilm	8 2%	13 3%
Haverhill North	43 4%	- -	43 7% a	22 4%	21 4%	3 2%	11 7%	7 4%	6 4%	8 5%	7 3%	13 5%	13 4%	16 4%
Haverhill South	30 3%	- -	30 5% a	15 3%	15 3%	4 4%	6 3%	6 3%	8 5% im	1 1%	5 2%	9 3%	15 4% m	6 2%
Haverhill West	30 3%	- -	30 5% a	20 4%	10 2%	2 2%	6 4%	10 5% jm	4 2%	5 3%	3 1%	8 3%	14 4%	8 2%
Horringer and Whelnetham	13 1%	- -	13 2% a	7 1%	7 1%	3 3%	2 1%	2 1%	2 1%	3 2%	2 1%	5 2%	4 1%	4 1%
Hundon	14 1%	- -	14 2% a	7 1%	7 1%	2 1%	2 1%	1 *	4 2%	2 1%	4 2%	4 1%	4 1%	5 1%
Ixworth	13 1%	- -	13 2% a	5 1%	8 2%	2 2%	2 1%	5 3%	1 1%	3 2%	1 *	4 1%	6 2%	4 1%
Kedington	13 1%	- -	13 2% a	6 1%	7 1%	3 3% h	2 1%	3 2%	- -	4 2% h	1 *	5 2%	3 1%	5 1%
Minden	27 3%	- -	27 4% a	14 3%	13 3%	2 2%	3 2%	8 4%	4 2%	5 3%	5 2%	5 2%	12 3%	10 3%
Moreton Hall	42 4%	- -	42 7% a	22 4%	20 4%	3 2%	8 5%	6 3%	3 2%	8 5%	15 7% hl	10 4%	9 3%	23 6% l
Northgate	14 1%	- -	14 2% a	3 1%	12 2% c	2 2%	3 2%	2 1%	3 2%	3 2%	2 1%	5 2%	5 1%	5 1%
Pakenham	15 1%	- -	15 2% a	9 2%	6 1%	3 3% i	4 2%	2 1%	1 1%	- -	6 3% i	6 2%	3 1%	6 2%

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Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Risby	15 1%	- -	15 2% a	10 2%	5 1%	2 2%	4 2%	2 1%	2 1%	- -	4 2%	5 2%	5 1%	4 1%
Risbygate	26 3%	- -	26 4% a	12 2%	15 3%	7 7% fghlm	1 1%	4 2%	3 2%	4 2%	7 3%	9 3%	7 2%	10 3%
Rougham	14 1%	- -	14 2% a	8 2%	6 1%	4 3%	1 1%	3 2%	1 *	2 2%	4 2%	5 2%	4 1%	6 2%
Southgate	26 3%	- -	26 4% a	14 3%	12 2%	3 3%	3 2%	2 1%	5 3%	7 5%	5 2%	7 2%	7 2%	12 3%
St Olaves	26 3%	- -	26 4% a	6 1%	19 4% c	4 4%	4 2%	2 1%	4 3%	4 3%	7 3%	8 3%	7 2%	11 3%
Stanton	17 2%	- -	17 3% a	10 2%	7 1%	- -	1 *	6 3% fjkm	7 5% fjkm	2 1%	- -	1 *	14 4% fjkm	2 1%
Westgate	26 3%	- -	26 4% a	10 2%	15 3%	1 1%	4 2%	6 3%	4 3%	2 1%	8 4%	5 2%	10 3%	10 3%
Wichambrook	14 1%	- -	14 2% a	7 1%	7 1%	2 2%	3 2%	3 2%	4 2%	- -	2 1%	5 2%	7 2%	2 *
Withersfield	14 1%	- -	14 2% a	7 1%	7 1%	3 3% gl	2 1%	- -	2 1%	2 1%	5 2%	5 2%	2 *	7 2%

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All Saints	24 2%	4 2%	10 3%	4 2%	6 3%	13 3%	10 2%	19 2%	5 8% 9	16 3%	7 2%	11 3%	12 2%	12 2%
Brandon East	39 4%	6 3%	13 4%	5 2%	16 7% ce	18 3%	21 4%	35 4%	5 9%	24 4%	13 3%	13 3%	14 3%	25 5%
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Eriswell and The Rows	34 3%	8 4%	10 3%	8 3%	8 3%	18 3%	16 3%	34 4%	- -	25 4% j	7 2%	18 4%	21 4%	13 3%
Exning	14 1%	3 2%	5 1%	3 1%	4 1%	8 2%	6 1%	13 1%	2 3%	10 2%	3 1%	6 1%	6 1%	8 2%
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Iceni	13 1%	3 2%	5 1%	3 1%	2 1%	8 1%	5 1%	13 1%	- -	9 2%	4 1%	5 1%	8 2%	5 1%
Lakenheath	31 3%	4 2%	12 4%	7 3%	8 3%	16 3%	15 3%	29 3%	2 4%	10 2%	20 5% i	14 3%	15 3%	15 3%
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Abbeygate	27 3%	5 3%	7 2%	8 3%	6 3%	13 2%	14 3%	27 3%	- -	17 3%	10 3%	13 3%	14 3%	13 3%
Bardwell	16 2%	5 3%	5 2%	4 1%	1 1%	11 2%	5 1%	15 2%	- -	10 2%	4 1%	7 2%	8 2%	8 2%
Barningham	17 2%	4 2%	4 1%	4 2%	4 2%	9 2%	8 2%	13 1%	2 3%	10 2%	7 2%	6 1%	6 1%	11 2%
Barrow	15 2%	3 1%	10 3% df	2 1%	1 *	13 2% df	3 1%	15 2%	- -	10 2%	5 1%	4 1%	6 1%	9 2%
Cavendish	13 1%	5 3% f	4 1%	2 1%	2 1%	9 2%	3 1%	13 1%	- -	6 1%	6 1%	5 1%	6 1%	7 1%
Chedburgh	13 1%	1 *	5 1%	7 3% ade	1 *	5 1%	8 2%	13 1%	- -	7 1%	5 1%	5 1%	5 1%	8 2%
Clare	13 1%	2 1%	5 2%	3 1%	4 2%	7 1%	6 1%	12 1%	2 3%	7 1%	6 2%	10 2% m	12 2% m	1 *
Eastgate	14 1%	4 2%	3 1%	5 2%	2 1%	7 1%	7 2%	12 1%	2 3%	9 2%	5 1%	4 1%	5 1%	9 2%
Fornham	12 1%	2 1%	- -	8 3% be	3 1%	2 *	10 2% be	12 1%	- -	5 1%	7 2%	2 *	2 *	10 2% kl
Great Barton	14 1%	4 2%	3 1%	2 1%	5 2%	7 1%	7 1%	12 1%	2 3%	4 1%	9 2% i	6 2%	8 2%	5 1%
Haverhill East	41 4%	5 3%	9 3%	19 8% abde	8 4%	14 3%	27 6% e	36 4%	4 7%	24 4%	17 4%	17 4%	21 4%	20 4%
Haverhill North	43 4%	8 4%	19 6%	9 4%	7 3%	27 5%	16 3%	39 4%	3 6%	22 4%	20 5%	17 4%	21 4%	22 4%
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Horringer and Whelnetham	13 1%	2 1%	8 2% cf	1 *	2 1%	10 2%	3 1%	13 1%	- -	9 2%	4 1%	7 2%	8 2%	5 1%
Hundon	14 1%	4 2% d	6 2% d	4 1% d	- -	10 2% d	4 1%	14 1%	- -	9 2%	5 1%	4 1%	6 1%	8 2%
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Northgate	14 1%	- -	- -	5 2% abe	9 4% abe	- -	14 3% abe	14 2%	- -	8 1%	6 2%	3 1%	5 1%	10 2%
Pakenham	15 1%	6 3%	3 1%	4 2%	2 1%	9 2%	6 1%	15 2%	- -	7 1%	7 2%	6 2%	7 1%	8 2%
Risby	15 1%	3 2%	2 1%	6 2%	4 2%	5 1%	10 2%	15 2%	- -	6 1%	9 2%	9 2%	10 2%	5 1%
Risbygate	26 3%	9 5%	6 2%	4 2%	8 3%	15 3%	11 2%	26 3%	- -	12 2%	13 3%	12 3%	14 3%	13 3%
Rougham	14 1%	4 2%	4 1%	3 1%	4 2%	7 1%	7 1%	13 1%	- -	7 1%	7 2%	6 1%	6 1%	8 2%
Southgate	26 3%	5 2%	5 2%	9 4%	8 3%	10 2%	16 3%	25 3%	1 3%	16 3%	9 2%	11 3%	16 3%	10 2%
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Stanton	17	1	12	1	3	12	4	15	2	13	2	11	12	5
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Westgate	26	6	11	4	5	17	9	26	-	15	11	16	21	5
	3%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	-	3%	3%	4%	4%	1%
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Wichambrook	14	5	2	3	3	7	7	14	-	7	5	5	7	7
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Withersfield	14	4	5	2	2	10	4	14	-	7	7	5	7	7
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Bardwell	16	11	1	3	14	2	-	5	11	-	6	7	2	-
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Barningham	17	13	1	3	12	5	-	8	8	-	5	6	3	2
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Cavendish	13	7	3	2	8	2	2	4	8	-	6	2	4	1
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Chedburgh	13	13	-	-	13	1	-	3	9	1	4	7	3	-
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Eastgate	14	9	2	3	11	3	1	8	6	-	5	3	7	-
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Fornham	12	6	4	2	6	5	1	5	7	-	6	3	3	-
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Great Barton	14	10	1	3	11	1	2	3	10	1	7	1	4	2
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Haverhill South	30	18	4	8	22	4	4	11	17	1	14	10	6	-
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Haverhill West	30	16	8	5	18	9	3	15	14	-	5	13	9	2
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	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Westgate	26	20	2	3	22	2	1	3	21	2	13	7	5	1
	3%	3%	1%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	4%	4%	4%	2%	2%	1%
Wichambrook	14	7	2	5	10	2	2	2	12	-	2	9	3	-
	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	1%	2%	*	2%	-	*	3%	1%	-
Withersfield	14	10	1	3	9	4	1	8	6	-	3	5	5	1
	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	2%	1%

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S0. In order to speak to a representative cross-section of the local population, could I please speak to the youngest male or female aged 18 or above in the household?

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
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Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Yes - speaking	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Not on phone at present (PLEASE ASK TO BE TRANSFERRED/MAKE A CALLBACK)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Significance Level: 95%

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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
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Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Yes - speaking	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
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Not on phone at present (PLEASE ASK TO BE TRANSFERRED/MAKE A CALLBACK)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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S1. Can I start by checking whether your main residence is in the Forest Heath District Council area, the St Edmundsbury Borough Council area, or somewhere else?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
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Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Forest Heath District council area	376	376	-	185	190	24	53	74	67	65	92	78	141	157
	38%	100%	-	37%	38%	23%	33%	40%	41%	42%	41%	29%	40%	41%
		b						ek	ek	ek	ek		ek	ek
St Edmundsbury Borough council area	625	-	625	318	307	80	110	113	98	91	134	190	211	224
	62%	-	100%	63%	62%	77%	67%	60%	59%	58%	59%	71%	60%	59%
		a				ghijlm						ghijlm		
Somewhere else	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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Forest Heath District council area	376	60	126	78	111	186	190	345	28	227	137	144	178	198
	38%	31%	38%	33%	47%	35%	40%	37%	51%	39%	35%	35%	36%	40%
					abce		a							
St Edmundsbury Borough council area	625	134	206	159	126	340	286	592	26	360	252	269	323	303
	62%	69%	62%	67%	53%	65%	60%	63%	49%	61%	65%	65%	64%	60%
		df	d	d	d	d								
Somewhere else	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Forest Heath District council area	376	224	91	61	243	99	34	169	190	17	137	119	94	25
	38%	35%	47%	38%	34%	46%	43%	40%	35%	47%	40%	35%	36%	43%
			a			d								
St Edmundsbury Borough council area	625	423	103	99	463	117	46	256	350	19	208	218	166	33
	62%	65%	53%	62%	66%	54%	57%	60%	65%	53%	60%	65%	64%	57%
		b			e									
Somewhere else	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

S2. Are you eligible to vote in Local Government elections in Forest Heath or St Edmundsbury?

You are eligible if you are 18+ and either..

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Registered to vote as a service voter or crown servant

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Base: All respondents

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No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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No	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Don't know	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

S3. Are you currently a District Councillor serving in West Suffolk?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
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Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Yes	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
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Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D1. Which of the following age groups do you fall into?

Base: All respondents

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	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Under 18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 - 24	104	24	80	55	49	104	-	-	-	-	-	104	-	-
	10%	6%	13%	11%	10%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	39%	-	-
			a			fghijklm						fghijlm		
25 - 34	164	53	110	89	74	-	164	-	-	-	-	164	-	-
	16%	14%	18%	18%	15%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	61%	-	-
							efghijklm					efghijlm		
35 - 44	187	74	113	108	79	-	-	187	-	-	-	-	187	-
	19%	20%	18%	21%	16%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	53%	-
				d				efhijklm					efhijklm	
45 - 54	164	67	97	63	101	-	-	-	164	-	-	-	164	-
	16%	18%	16%	12%	20%	-	-	-	99%	-	-	-	47%	-
				c					efgijklm				efgijklm	
55 - 64	155	65	91	73	82	-	-	-	-	155	-	-	-	155
	16%	17%	14%	14%	17%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	41%
										efghijklm				efghijkl
65+	226	92	134	114	111	-	-	-	-	-	226	-	-	226
	23%	25%	21%	23%	22%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	59%
											efghijklm			efghijkl
Refused	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-
	*	-	*	*	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-	-	*	-

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Under 18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 - 24	104	17	43	28	15	60	44	97	5	72	29	38	40	64
	10%	9%	13%	12%	7%	12%	9%	10%	10%	12%	7%	9%	8%	13%
			d	d		d				j				l
25 - 34	164	26	61	42	35	87	77	148	14	112	45	47	59	105
	16%	14%	18%	18%	15%	17%	16%	16%	26%	19%	12%	11%	12%	21%
										j				kl
35 - 44	187	44	70	36	37	115	72	170	15	139	41	74	88	99
	19%	23%	21%	15%	15%	22%	15%	18%	27%	24%	11%	18%	18%	20%
		cdf	f			cdf				j				
45 - 54	164	37	66	35	27	103	61	154	8	144	17	60	82	82
	16%	19%	20%	15%	11%	20%	13%	16%	15%	24%	4%	15%	16%	16%
		df	df			df				j				
55 - 64	155	28	49	42	37	77	79	147	7	105	50	69	84	71
	16%	14%	15%	18%	16%	15%	17%	16%	13%	18%	13%	17%	17%	14%
										j				
65+	226	42	42	55	87	84	142	220	5	16	205	124	148	78
	23%	21%	13%	23%	37%	16%	30%	24%	10%	3%	53%	30%	29%	16%
		b		be	abcef		abce			i		m	m	
Refused	1	-	-	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	1
	*	-	-	*	-	-	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	*

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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D1. Which of the following age groups do you fall into?

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Under 18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 - 24	104	82	13	9	80	17	7	34	65	4	29	42	25	7
	10%	13%	7%	6%	11%	8%	8%	8%	12%	12%	8%	12%	10%	13%
25 - 34	164	101	40	23	110	46	8	71	87	5	60	56	40	8
	16%	16%	21%	14%	16%	21%	11%	17%	16%	15%	17%	17%	15%	14%
35 - 44	187	116	26	44	137	37	13	76	103	8	65	56	48	18
	19%	18%	13%	28%	19%	17%	16%	18%	19%	23%	19%	17%	19%	31%
45 - 54	164	98	33	33	116	29	20	59	102	3	49	61	43	11
	16%	15%	17%	21%	16%	13%	25%	14%	19%	8%	14%	18%	17%	20%
55 - 64	155	108	29	18	110	36	10	70	80	5	55	55	41	5
	16%	17%	15%	11%	16%	16%	12%	17%	15%	14%	16%	16%	16%	8%
65+	226	140	54	32	152	52	22	113	103	10	87	68	62	9
	23%	22%	28%	20%	21%	24%	28%	27%	19%	28%	25%	20%	24%	15%
Refused	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	*	-	-	-

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D2. Gender

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Male	504	185	318	504	-	55	89	108	64	73	114	145	171	187
	50%	49%	51%	100%	-	53%	55%	58%	39%	47%	51%	54%	49%	49%
				d		h	h	hil			h	h	h	h
Female	497	190	307	-	497	49	74	79	101	82	111	123	181	194
	50%	51%	49%	-	100%	47%	45%	42%	61%	53%	49%	46%	51%	51%
				c				efg	ijklm	g			g	

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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D2. Gender

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Male	504	118	167	122	97	285	218	482	17	294	192	250	291	213
	50%	61%	50%	51%	41%	54%	46%	51%	31%	50%	49%	61%	58%	43%
		bcd	d	d		df		h				m	m	
Female	497	76	164	116	141	241	257	455	37	293	196	162	210	287
	50%	39%	50%	49%	59%	46%	54%	49%	69%	50%	51%	39%	42%	57%
		a	a	abce		ae		g						kl

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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D2. Gender

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Male	504	318	111	74	350	121	33	219	271	13	192	162	129	20
	50%	49%	57%	47%	50%	56%	41%	52%	50%	35%	56%	48%	50%	34%
					f						km		m	
Female	497	329	84	85	356	95	47	205	269	24	153	176	131	38
	50%	51%	43%	53%	50%	44%	59%	48%	50%	65%	44%	52%	50%	66%
					e						j		jl	

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D3. Which of the following best describes the employment status of the Chief Income Earner in your household?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time	567 57%	204 54%	363 58%	295 59%	272 55%	83 80%	113 69%	132 71%	134 81%	91 59%	13 6%	197 73%	266 76%	104 27%
						ijm	ijm	ijm	fgijm	jm		ijm	ijm	j
Working part time	94 9%	41 11%	53 8%	30 6%	64 13%	11 10%	14 8%	17 9%	20 12%	17 11%	15 7%	24 9%	37 10%	32 8%
					c									
Retired	271 27%	101 27%	169 27%	150 30%	121 24%	- -	10 6%	28 15%	2 1%	37 24%	192 85%	10 4%	31 9%	230 60%
							eh	efhkl		efghkl	efghiklm		ehk	efghikl
Student	7 1%	2 1%	4 1%	3 1%	4 1%	3 3%	1 1%	1 1%	1 1%	- -	- -	4 2%	3 1%	- -
						ijm						m		
Not working/Sick/Disabled/Working less than eight hours a week	33 3%	16 4%	17 3%	9 2%	24 5%	3 3%	9 5%	7 4%	6 4%	8 5%	1 *	12 4%	13 4%	9 2%
					c	j	j	j	j	j	*	j	j	
None of these	8 1%	3 1%	5 1%	4 1%	3 1%	3 3%	2 1%	1 1%	- -	1 *	1 *	5 2%	1 *	1 *
						hlm								
Refused	21 2%	8 2%	14 2%	13 3%	9 2%	1 1%	15 9%	- -	1 1%	1 1%	3 2%	16 6%	1 *	4 1%
							eghijlm					ghijlm		

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

D3. Which of the following best describes the employment status of the Chief Income Earner in your household?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time	567	125	233	154	55	358	209	523	37	503	56	214	260	308
	57%	65%	70%	65%	23%	68%	44%	56%	68%	86%	14%	52%	52%	62%
		df	df	df		df	d			j				kl
Working part time	94	12	42	15	25	54	40	89	5	72	19	35	45	48
	9%	6%	13%	6%	10%	10%	8%	9%	9%	12%	5%	9%	9%	10%
			ac							j				
Retired	271	55	44	60	111	99	171	264	5	9	258	141	169	102
	27%	28%	13%	25%	47%	19%	36%	28%	10%	1%	66%	34%	34%	20%
		be		be	abcef		abce	h		i		m	m	
Student	7	-	7	-	-	7	-	5	-	-	7	2	2	4
	1%	-	2%	-	-	1%	-	1%	-	-	2%	1%	*	1%
			acdf			df				i				
Not working/Sick/Disabled/Working less than eight hours a week	33	-	-	-	33	-	33	28	6	1	29	4	7	26
	3%	-	-	-	14%	-	7%	3%	10%	*	8%	1%	1%	5%
					abcef		abce		g		i			kl
None of these	8	-	-	-	8	-	8	8	-	1	6	3	4	3
	1%	-	-	-	3%	-	2%	1%	-	*	1%	1%	1%	1%
					abce		bce			i				
Refused	21	2	6	9	5	8	14	19	2	2	14	13	13	8
	2%	1%	2%	4%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	*	4%	3%	3%	2%
										i				

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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D3. Which of the following best describes the employment status of the Chief Income Earner in your household?

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time	567	371	102	94	409	126	32	220	331	17	187	209	146	25
	57%	57%	53%	59%	58%	58%	41%	52%	61%	46%	54%	62%	56%	43%
					f	f			g			jm		
Working part time	94	62	17	14	65	18	11	46	46	2	33	25	25	10
	9%	10%	9%	9%	9%	8%	14%	11%	8%	6%	10%	7%	10%	18%
														k
Retired	271	171	63	37	185	57	28	127	132	12	100	84	72	14
	27%	26%	32%	23%	26%	26%	36%	30%	24%	33%	29%	25%	28%	25%
Student	7	3	2	2	3	2	1	2	3	1	1	4	-	1
	1%	*	1%	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	*	1%	-	2%
										gh				l
Not working/Sick/Disabled/Working less than eight hours a week	33	23	4	7	23	8	2	19	14	1	11	8	8	6
	3%	4%	2%	4%	3%	4%	3%	5%	3%	2%	3%	2%	3%	10%
														ijkl
None of these	8	1	3	3	4	2	1	3	4	1	4	1	2	-
	1%	*	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	*	1%	-
			a	a										
Refused	21	15	4	3	15	4	2	8	12	2	8	6	7	1
	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	6%	2%	2%	3%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D4. Does the Chief Income Earner have a private pension or allowance?

Base: All retired

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	*e	*f	g	*h	i	j	*k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	285	115	170	157	128	-	12	35	3	40	195	12	38	235
Weighted Total	271	101	169	150	121	-	10	28	2	37	192	10	31	230
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	-	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Yes	189	63	126	113	76	-	7	22	2	25	134	7	23	159
	70%	62%	74%	75%	63%	-	66%	76%	71%	66%	70%	66%	76%	69%
		a	d											
No	64	30	34	25	39	-	3	4	1	11	45	3	5	56
	24%	30%	20%	17%	32%	-	27%	14%	29%	29%	24%	27%	15%	25%
				c										
Prefer not to say	18	8	10	12	6	-	1	3	-	2	13	1	3	15
	7%	8%	6%	8%	5%	-	6%	9%	-	4%	7%	6%	9%	6%

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

D4. Does the Chief Income Earner have a private pension or allowance?

Base: All retired

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	*h	*i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	285	56	31	59	139	87	198	281	3	9	271	146	176	109
Weighted Total	271	55	44	60	111	99	171	264	5	9	258	141	169	102
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Yes	189	53	38	59	38	91	98	186	2	5	181	104	122	67
	70%	97%	86%	99%	34%	92%	57%	70%	34%	58%	70%	74%	72%	66%
		df	df	bdf		df	d							
No	64	-	2	-	62	2	62	60	4	4	58	28	35	28
	24%	-	4%	-	56%	2%	36%	23%	66%	42%	23%	20%	21%	28%
					abcef		abce							
Prefer not to say	18	2	4	1	11	6	12	18	-	-	18	9	11	6
	7%	3%	10%	1%	10%	6%	7%	7%	-	-	7%	6%	7%	6%
					c									

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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D4. Does the Chief Income Earner have a private pension or allowance?

Base: All retired

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	285	180	66	39	197	58	30	128	144	13	107	90	74	14
Weighted Total	271	171	63	37	185	57	28	127	132	12	100	84	72	14
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Yes	189	120	41	27	128	40	21	89	93	7	74	54	50	11
	70%	70%	66%	74%	69%	71%	73%	70%	70%	60%	74%	65%	69%	75%
No	64	43	12	9	47	9	8	28	33	3	20	25	18	2
	24%	25%	19%	24%	25%	16%	27%	22%	25%	27%	20%	29%	24%	11%
Prefer not to say	18	8	9	1	10	7	-	9	7	2	6	5	5	2
	7%	4%	15%	2%	6%	13%	-	7%	5%	13%	6%	6%	7%	14%
			ac			f								

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D5. What is / was the profession of the Chief Income Earner in your household before they retired?

Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	319	508	428	399	73	149	170	152	128	155	222	322	283
Weighted Total	850	308	542	437	412	94	134	171	155	133	163	228	326	296
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Higher managerial / professional / administrative	46 5%	11 4%	35 6%	34 8% d	12 3%	2 3%	6 5%	13 8%	8 5%	8 6%	8 5%	9 4%	21 6%	16 6%
Intermediate managerial / professional / administrative	140 16%	48 15%	92 17%	76 17%	64 15%	15 16%	18 13%	29 17%	29 19%	19 14%	31 19%	32 14%	58 18%	49 17%
Supervisory or clerical / junior managerial / professional / administrative	306 36%	113 37%	193 36%	155 35%	151 37%	40 43% jm	54 40% jm	65 38% jm	65 42% jm	49 37% j	33 20%	94 41% jm	130 40% jm	82 28%
Student	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Skilled manual worker	223 26%	72 23%	151 28%	111 25%	112 27%	28 30%	36 27%	36 21%	34 22%	38 28%	52 32% gl	64 28%	69 21%	89 30% gl
Semi or unskilled manual work	91 11%	44 14% b	47 9%	43 10%	47 12%	5 6%	15 11%	17 10%	15 10%	14 11%	25 15% e	20 9%	32 10%	39 13%
Casual worker – not in permanent employment	14 2%	6 2%	8 1%	3 1%	11 3% c	-	1 1%	6 3% k	1 1%	1 1%	5 3% k	1 *	7 2%	7 2%
Housewife / Homemaker	2 *	1 *	1 *	- -	2 1%	-	1 1%	-	-	-	1 *	1 1%	-	1 *
Retired and living on state pension	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unemployed or not working due to long-term sickness	1 *	-	1 *	1 *	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 1%	-	-	1 *

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

D5. What is / was the profession of the Chief Income Earner in your household before they retired?

Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	319	508	428	399	73	149	170	152	128	155	222	322	283
Weighted Total	850	308	542	437	412	94	134	171	155	133	163	228	326	296
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Full-time carer or other household member	6	3	3	1	5	2	1	1	1	2	-	3	1	2
	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	2%	1%	*	*	1%	-	1%	*	1%
Refused	20	9	11	12	8	2	1	5	3	2	7	3	8	10
	2%	3%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	3%	2%	2%	5%	1%	2%	3%

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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D5. What is / was the profession of the Chief Income Earner in your household before they retired?

Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	*h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	200	238	235	154	438	389	792	26	560	254	336	408	419
Weighted Total	850	190	313	228	119	503	347	799	43	580	257	353	427	423
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Higher managerial / professional / administrative	46 5%	46 24%	- -	- -	- -	46 9%	- -	44 6%	2 4%	34 6%	12 5%	23 6%	29 7%	17 4%
		bcdef				bcdf								
Intermediate managerial / professional / administrative	140 16%	140 74%	- -	- -	- -	140 28%	- -	130 16%	8 19%	84 14%	55 21%	70 20%	76 18%	64 15%
		bcdef				bcdf					i			
Supervisory or clerical / junior managerial / professional / administrative	306 36%	- -	306 98%	- -	- -	306 61%	- -	295 37%	9 22%	244 42%	56 22%	129 37%	157 37%	149 35%
			acdef			acdf				j				
Student	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Skilled manual worker	223 26%	- -	- -	223 98%	- -	- -	223 64%	210 26%	10 24%	145 25%	76 30%	87 25%	113 27%	110 26%
				abdef			abde							
Semi or unskilled manual work	91 11%	- -	- -	- -	91 77%	- -	91 26%	82 10%	9 21%	53 9%	35 13%	26 7%	32 7%	59 14%
					abcef		abce							kl
Casual worker – not in permanent employment	14 2%	- -	- -	- -	14 12%	- -	14 4%	13 2%	1 3%	7 1%	8 3%	3 1%	4 1%	10 2%
					abcef		abce							
Housewife / Homemaker	2 *	- -	- -	- -	2 2%	- -	2 1%	1 *	1 3%	- -	2 1%	1 *	2 *	- -
					bce						i			
Retired and living on state pension	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Unemployed or not working due to long-term sickness	1 *	- -	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	1 *	1 *	- -

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D5. What is / was the profession of the Chief Income Earner in your household before they retired?

Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	*h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	200	238	235	154	438	389	792	26	560	254	336	408	419
Weighted Total	850	190	313	228	119	503	347	799	43	580	257	353	427	423
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Full-time carer or other household member	6	-	-	-	6	-	6	6	-	6	-	1	1	5
	1%	-	-	-	5%	-	2%	1%	-	1%	-	*	*	1%
					abcef		bce							
Refused	20	4	7	5	4	11	9	17	2	8	12	12	12	9
	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	2%	3%	2%	4%	1%	5%	3%	3%	2%

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Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	535	161	131	584	179	64	342	460	25	294	281	209	43
Weighted Total	850	554	161	135	602	184	64	354	469	26	295	288	220	46
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Higher managerial / professional / administrative	46 5%	34 6%	9 5%	4 3%	30 5%	14 7%	2 3%	14 4%	32 7%	1 3%	22 7%	13 5%	9 4%	2 4%
Intermediate managerial / professional / administrative	140 16%	93 17%	25 15%	22 16%	100 17%	31 17%	9 15%	65 18%	72 15%	3 10%	57 19%	38 13%	38 17%	6 14%
Supervisory or clerical / junior managerial / professional / administrative	306 36%	199 36%	50 31%	57 42%	218 36%	64 35%	24 37%	130 37%	165 35%	11 41%	99 34%	107 37%	85 38%	15 33%
Student	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Skilled manual worker	223 26%	145 26%	49 30%	29 22%	161 27%	51 28%	11 17%	92 26%	129 27%	3 10%	74 25%	78 27%	60 27%	10 21%
Semi or unskilled manual work	91 11%	53 10%	23 14%	15 11%	60 10%	19 10%	12 18%	40 11%	45 10%	6 22%	25 9%	38 13%	21 10%	6 14%
Casual worker – not in permanent employment	14 2%	9 2%	2 1%	3 2%	12 2%	1 *	2 3%	4 1%	9 2%	2 6%	6 2%	5 2%	3 1%	1 2%
Housewife / Homemaker	2 *	2 *	- -	- -	2 *	- -	- -	1 *	1 *	- -	1 *	- -	1 *	- -
Retired and living on state pension	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -	- -
Unemployed or not working due to long-term sickness	1 *	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	- -	1 1%	- -	1 *	- -	- -	1 *	- -	- -
Full-time carer or other household member	6 1%	5 1%	1 *	1 *	4 1%	1 *	1 1%	1 *	4 1%	1 4%	2 1%	3 1%	- -	1 1%

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D5. What is / was the profession of the Chief Income Earner in your household before they retired?

Base: All in employment or retired with a private pension

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	827	535	161	131	584	179	64	342	460	25	294	281	209	43
Weighted Total	850	554	161	135	602	184	64	354	469	26	295	288	220	46
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Refused	20	14	3	4	14	4	3	7	12	1	7	5	4	5
	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	5%	2%	3%	5%	2%	2%	2%	11%
														jkl

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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DSEG

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
AB	194	60	134	118	76	17	26	44	37	28	42	43	81	69
	19%	16%	21%	23%	15%	16%	16%	24%	22%	18%	18%	16%	23%	18%
		a	d				k						k	
C1	332	126	206	167	164	43	61	70	66	49	42	104	136	91
	33%	34%	33%	33%	33%	42%	37%	38%	40%	31%	19%	39%	39%	24%
				jm		jm		jm	jm	j		jm	jm	
C2	238	78	159	122	116	28	42	36	36	42	55	70	71	96
	24%	21%	25%	24%	23%	27%	26%	19%	22%	27%	24%	26%	20%	25%
DE	238	111	126	97	141	15	35	37	27	37	87	50	63	124
	24%	30%	20%	19%	28%	15%	21%	20%	16%	24%	39%	19%	18%	33%
		b		c							efghikl			efghikl
NETS														
Net: ABC1	526	186	340	285	241	60	87	115	103	77	84	148	218	161
	53%	50%	54%	57%	48%	58%	53%	61%	62%	49%	37%	55%	62%	42%
				d		jm	jm	ijm	ijm	j		jm	ijm	
Net: C2DE	475	190	286	218	257	44	77	72	62	79	142	120	134	220
	47%	50%	46%	43%	52%	42%	47%	39%	38%	51%	63%	45%	38%	58%
				c						ghl	efghikl			efghikl

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DSEG

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
AB	194	194	-	-	-	194	-	180	12	117	74	98	111	83
	19%	100%	-	-	-	37%	-	19%	22%	20%	19%	24%	22%	17%
		bcdef				bcdf						m	m	
C1	332	-	332	-	-	332	-	317	11	247	78	142	170	162
	33%	-	100%	-	-	63%	-	34%	21%	42%	20%	34%	34%	32%
			acdef			acdf				j				
C2	238	-	-	238	-	-	238	223	12	149	84	94	121	117
	24%	-	-	100%	-	-	50%	24%	22%	25%	22%	23%	24%	23%
				abdef			abde							
DE	238	-	-	-	238	-	238	217	19	74	151	79	99	139
	24%	-	-	-	100%	-	50%	23%	35%	13%	39%	19%	20%	28%
					abcef		abce				i			kl
NETS														
Net: ABC1	526	194	332	-	-	526	-	496	23	364	153	241	282	244
	53%	100%	100%	-	-	100%	-	53%	43%	62%	39%	58%	56%	49%
		cdf	cdf			cdf				j		m	m	
Net: C2DE	475	-	-	238	238	-	475	440	31	223	236	172	219	256
	47%	-	-	100%	100%	-	100%	47%	57%	38%	61%	42%	44%	51%
				abe	abe		abe				i			kl

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

West Suffolk: Creation of a Single Council Public Survey

DSEG

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
AB	194	133	34	27	138	45	11	81	109	4	84	53	49	8
	19%	21%	18%	17%	20%	21%	14%	19%	20%	12%	24%	16%	19%	14%
											k			
C1	332	212	60	60	232	74	26	144	174	14	104	116	89	23
	33%	33%	31%	37%	33%	34%	33%	34%	32%	37%	30%	34%	34%	40%
C2	238	155	51	31	171	54	13	98	136	3	79	81	67	11
	24%	24%	26%	20%	24%	25%	16%	23%	25%	10%	23%	24%	26%	18%
									i					
DE	238	146	50	41	165	43	29	102	120	15	79	87	56	16
	24%	23%	26%	26%	23%	20%	37%	24%	22%	41%	23%	26%	21%	28%
						de				gh				
NETS														
Net: ABC1	526	345	94	87	370	119	38	225	283	18	188	169	138	31
	53%	53%	48%	55%	52%	55%	47%	53%	52%	49%	54%	50%	53%	54%
Net: C2DE	475	302	101	72	336	97	42	200	257	19	157	168	123	27
	47%	47%	52%	45%	48%	45%	53%	47%	48%	51%	46%	50%	47%	46%

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA			GENDER		AGE								
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	345	592	482	455	97	148	170	155	147	220	245	325	368
	94%	92%	95%	96%	91%	93%	90%	91%	94%	95%	98%	91%	92%	96%
				d						efgkl				fgkl
Mixed	25	12	13	7	19	3	6	8	5	2	2	9	13	3
	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%	1%
				c			m	jm				m	jm	
Asian	13	7	7	5	8	2	5	5	-	2	-	7	5	2
	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	-	1%	-	3%	1%	1%
						j	hjm	hjm				hjm		
Black	8	3	5	2	7	-	2	-	1	3	2	2	1	5
	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	-	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	*	1%
										g				
Chinese	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
	*	-	*	*	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Other ethnic group	5	5	-	2	4	-	-	2	2	-	2	-	3	2
	1%	1%	-	*	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-	1%	1%
		b												
Refused	10	4	7	4	6	2	2	2	2	1	-	4	5	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	*
						j								
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	28	26	17	37	5	14	15	8	7	5	19	23	12
	5%	7%	4%	3%	7%	5%	9%	8%	5%	4%	2%	7%	6%	3%
		b		c			jm	jm				jm	jm	

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
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		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	180	317	223	217	496	440	937	-	544	369	389	476	461
	94%	93%	95%	94%	91%	94%	93%	100%	-	93%	95%	94%	95%	92%
								h						
Mixed	25	7	4	3	11	11	15	-	25	18	6	7	8	17
	3%	4%	1%	1%	5%	2%	3%	-	47%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%
					bce				g					
Asian	13	2	4	3	5	5	8	-	13	9	5	3	3	10
	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	-	25%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
									g					
Black	8	2	2	2	3	4	5	-	8	5	3	5	5	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	16%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
									g					
Chinese	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	2
	*	-	-	1%	-	-	*	-	3%	*	-	-	-	*
									g					
Other ethnic group	5	2	2	2	-	4	2	-	5	3	2	4	4	2
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	*	-	10%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
									g					
Refused	10	3	4	2	1	6	4	-	-	6	4	4	4	6
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	12	11	12	19	23	31	-	54	37	16	19	21	33
	5%	6%	3%	5%	8%	4%	6%	-	100%	6%	4%	5%	4%	7%
					be				g					

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	601	186	150	660	203	75	391	514	32	326	323	238	50
	94%	93%	96%	94%	93%	94%	94%	92%	95%	87%	95%	96%	91%	86%
									gi		m	lm		
Mixed	25	15	4	6	20	3	2	14	8	3	13	5	6	2
	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	9%	4%	1%	2%	3%
									h					
Asian	13	12	1	-	10	3	-	8	5	-	2	3	5	3
	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	-	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	6%
													j	jk
Black	8	7	-	2	5	2	2	5	3	-	-	3	5	-
	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	2%	-
													j	
Chinese	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	3%
													-	ijkl
Other ethnic group	5	3	2	-	3	2	-	2	3	-	2	-	4	-
	1%	1%	1%	-	*	1%	-	*	1%	-	1%	-	1%	-
													k	
Refused	10	7	1	1	5	3	1	4	4	1	3	3	2	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	39	7	8	41	10	3	29	22	3	16	11	20	6
	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	7%	4%	9%	5%	3%	8%	11%
													k	k

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All excluding refused

	COUNCIL AREA			GENDER		AGE								
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	990	397	593	499	491	80	182	186	162	154	226	262	348	380
Weighted Total	991	372	619	499	492	102	162	184	163	154	226	264	347	380
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	345	592	482	455	97	148	170	155	147	220	245	325	368
	95%	93%	96%	97%	92%	95%	91%	92%	95%	96%	98%	93%	93%	97%
			a	d						fgkl				fgkl
Mixed	25	12	13	7	19	3	6	8	5	2	2	9	13	3
	3%	3%	2%	1%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	1%	1%	3%	4%	1%
				c			m	jm				m	jm	
Asian	13	7	7	5	8	2	5	5	-	2	-	7	5	2
	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	3%	3%	-	1%	-	3%	1%	1%
						j	hjm	hjm				hjm		
Black	8	3	5	2	7	-	2	-	1	3	2	2	1	5
	1%	1%	1%	*	1%	-	1%	-	1%	2%	1%	1%	*	1%
										g				
Chinese	2	-	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	-	-
	*	-	*	*	-	-	1%	-	-	-	-	1%	-	-
Other ethnic group	5	5	-	2	4	-	-	2	2	-	2	-	3	2
	1%	1%	-	*	1%	-	-	1%	1%	-	1%	-	1%	1%
		b												
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	28	26	17	37	5	14	15	8	7	5	19	23	12
	5%	7%	4%	3%	8%	5%	9%	8%	5%	4%	2%	7%	7%	3%
		b		c			jm	jm				jm	jm	

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All excluding refused

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	990	202	249	241	298	451	539	957	33	562	401	397	488	502
Weighted Total	991	192	328	235	236	520	471	937	54	581	385	408	496	495
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	180	317	223	217	496	440	937	-	544	369	389	476	461
	95%	94%	97%	95%	92%	96%	93%	100%	-	94%	96%	95%	96%	93%
			d			d		h						
Mixed	25	7	4	3	11	11	15	-	25	18	6	7	8	17
	3%	4%	1%	1%	5%	2%	3%	-	47%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%
					bce				g					
Asian	13	2	4	3	5	5	8	-	13	9	5	3	3	10
	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	-	25%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%
									g					
Black	8	2	2	2	3	4	5	-	8	5	3	5	5	3
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	16%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
									g					
Chinese	2	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	-	2
	*	-	-	1%	-	-	*	-	3%	*	-	-	-	*
									g					
Other ethnic group	5	2	2	2	-	4	2	-	5	3	2	4	4	2
	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	*	-	10%	1%	1%	1%	1%	*
									g					
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	12	11	12	19	23	31	-	54	37	16	19	21	33
	5%	6%	3%	5%	8%	4%	7%	-	100%	6%	4%	5%	4%	7%
					be				g					

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D6. And to which of the following ethnic groups do you consider you belong?

Base: All excluding refused

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	990	636	197	157	699	210	81	415	539	36	354	335	247	54
Weighted Total	991	640	193	158	700	213	78	420	536	35	343	334	258	57
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	601	186	150	660	203	75	391	514	32	326	323	238	50
	95%	94%	96%	95%	94%	95%	96%	93%	96%	90%	95%	97%	92%	89%
Mixed	25	15	4	6	20	3	2	14	8	3	13	5	6	2
	3%	2%	2%	4%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	10%	4%	1%	2%	3%
Asian	13	12	1	-	10	3	-	8	5	-	2	3	5	3
	1%	2%	1%	-	1%	2%	-	2%	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	6%
Black	8	7	-	2	5	2	2	5	3	-	-	3	5	-
	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	2%	-
Chinese	2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	2
	*	*	-	-	*	-	-	-	*	-	-	-	-	3%
Other ethnic group	5	3	2	-	3	2	-	2	3	-	2	-	4	-
	1%	1%	1%	-	*	1%	-	*	1%	-	1%	-	1%	-
Refused	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NETS														
Net: Non white	54	39	7	8	41	10	3	29	22	3	16	11	20	6
	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	7%	4%	10%	5%	3%	8%	11%

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D7. Which of the following best describes your working status?

Base: All respondents

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Total	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time (30+ hrs a week)	427	160	267	244	183	47	89	102	107	76	7	136	208	83
	43%	43%	43%	49%	37%	45%	54%	54%	65%	49%	3%	51%	59%	22%
				d		jm	jm	jm	efijkm	jm		jm	eijkm	j
Working part time (8-29 hrs a week)	160	67	93	50	110	25	23	38	37	28	9	48	75	37
	16%	18%	15%	10%	22%	24%	14%	20%	22%	18%	4%	18%	21%	10%
				c		fjm	j	jm	fjm	jm		jm	fjm	j
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	28	12	16	10	18	3	7	8	4	6	-	10	12	6
	3%	3%	3%	2%	4%	3%	4%	4%	3%	4%	-	4%	3%	2%
						j	jm	j	j	j		j	j	
Not working / not seeking work	41	12	29	16	25	12	10	4	7	6	2	22	11	8
	4%	3%	5%	3%	5%	12%	6%	2%	4%	4%	1%	8%	3%	2%
						ghijlm	gjm		j	j		gilm		
Retired	247	92	155	121	126	-	-	-	6	38	203	-	6	241
	25%	25%	25%	24%	25%	-	-	-	4%	24%	90%	-	2%	63%
									fgk	efghkl	efghiklm		k	efghikl
Student	72	20	52	45	27	13	28	30	1	-	-	41	31	-
	7%	5%	8%	9%	5%	13%	17%	16%	1%	-	-	15%	9%	-
				d		hijm	hijm	hijlm				hijlm	hijm	
None of these	11	6	5	8	4	1	1	5	1	1	2	3	6	2
	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	1%	*	1%	1%	2%	1%
								m						
Refused	14	5	9	9	5	2	6	1	1	-	3	7	3	3
	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	-	2%	3%	1%	1%
							ilm					i		

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D7. Which of the following best describes your working status?

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
		AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
		a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time (30+ hrs a week)	427	90	189	107	41	279	148	396	27	427	-	171	206	222
	43%	46%	57%	45%	17%	53%	31%	42%	51%	73%	-	42%	41%	44%
		df	acdf	df		cdf	d			j				
Working part time (8-29 hrs a week)	160	27	58	42	33	85	75	149	10	160	-	57	74	86
	16%	14%	17%	18%	14%	16%	16%	16%	18%	27%	-	14%	15%	17%
										j				
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	28	3	5	7	13	8	20	25	3	-	28	3	5	23
	3%	2%	1%	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%	6%	-	7%	1%	1%	5%
				abe		be					i			kl
Not working / not seeking work	41	3	4	10	24	7	34	38	3	-	41	10	16	26
	4%	2%	1%	4%	10%	1%	7%	4%	5%	-	11%	2%	3%	5%
			be	abce		abe					i			k
Retired	247	50	46	59	92	96	151	238	7	-	247	130	155	92
	25%	26%	14%	25%	39%	18%	32%	25%	13%	-	64%	31%	31%	18%
		be		be	abcef		bce				i	m	m	
Student	72	18	24	9	22	42	31	67	3	-	72	31	35	37
	7%	9%	7%	4%	9%	8%	6%	7%	5%	-	19%	8%	7%	7%
		c		c	c	c					i			
None of these	11	2	3	1	6	4	7	10	1	-	-	3	4	7
	1%	1%	1%	*	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	-	-	1%	1%	1%
				ce										
Refused	14	1	4	3	6	5	9	13	-	-	-	7	7	7
	1%	*	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-	-	-	2%	1%	1%

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Base: All respondents

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Working full time (30+ hrs a week)	427	280	77	71	306	96	25	168	246	13	150	156	100	21
	43%	43%	39%	45%	43%	45%	32%	40%	46%	35%	43%	46%	39%	36%
					f	f								
Working part time (8-29 hrs a week)	160	105	30	25	114	31	16	72	87	2	47	54	46	13
	16%	16%	16%	16%	16%	14%	20%	17%	16%	4%	14%	16%	18%	22%
								i						
Not working but seeking work or temporarily unemployed/sick	28	14	6	8	21	7	-	18	10	-	6	10	10	2
	3%	2%	3%	5%	3%	3%	-	4%	2%	-	2%	3%	4%	3%
								h						
Not working / not seeking work	41	26	9	7	29	10	2	14	26	1	15	9	13	5
	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	5%	2%	4%	3%	5%	9%
														k
Retired	247	162	52	33	174	49	24	116	121	10	98	76	65	7
	25%	25%	27%	21%	25%	23%	30%	27%	22%	26%	29%	23%	25%	13%
											m			
Student	72	48	15	9	48	18	6	28	39	5	24	22	20	7
	7%	7%	8%	6%	7%	8%	8%	7%	7%	13%	7%	7%	8%	12%
None of these	11	8	3	1	9	3	-	6	5	1	3	5	3	-
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	-
Refused	14	4	4	6	5	3	6	2	6	6	2	4	4	3
	1%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%	8%	*	1%	17%	1%	1%	2%	6%
			a			de				gh				jk

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DAGE

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
18 - 24	104	24	80	55	49	104	-	-	-	-	-	104	-	-
	10%	6%	13%	11%	10%	100%	-	-	-	-	-	39%	-	-
			a			fg hijklm						fg hijlm		
25 - 34	164	53	110	89	74	-	164	-	-	-	-	164	-	-
	16%	14%	18%	18%	15%	-	100%	-	-	-	-	61%	-	-
							eg hijklm					eg hijlm		
35 - 44	187	74	113	108	79	-	-	187	-	-	-	-	187	-
	19%	20%	18%	21%	16%	-	-	100%	-	-	-	-	53%	-
				d				ef hijklm					ef hijkm	
45 - 54	165	67	98	64	101	-	-	-	165	-	-	-	165	-
	16%	18%	16%	13%	20%	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	47%	-
					c				efg ijklm				efg ijkm	
55 - 64	155	65	91	73	82	-	-	-	-	155	-	-	-	155
	16%	17%	14%	14%	17%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	-	41%
										efghijklm				efghjkl
65+	226	92	134	114	111	-	-	-	-	-	226	-	-	226
	23%	25%	21%	23%	22%	-	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-	59%
											efghijklm			efghikl
NETS														
Net: 18-34	268	78	190	145	123	104	164	-	-	-	-	268	-	-
	27%	21%	30%	29%	25%	100%	100%	-	-	-	-	100%	-	-
			a			ghijlm	ghijlm					ghijlm		
Net: 35-54	352	141	211	171	181	-	-	187	165	-	-	-	352	-
	35%	38%	34%	34%	36%	-	-	100%	100%	-	-	-	100%	-
								efijkm	efijkm				efijkm	
Net: 55+	381	157	224	187	194	-	-	-	-	155	226	-	-	381
	38%	42%	36%	37%	39%	-	-	-	-	100%	100%	-	-	100%
										efghkl	efghkl			efghkl

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DAGE

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
	Total	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
18 - 24	104	17	43	28	15	60	44	97	5	72	29	38	40	64
	10%	9%	13%	12%	7%	12%	9%	10%	10%	12%	7%	9%	8%	13%
			d	d		d				j				l
25 - 34	164	26	61	42	35	87	77	148	14	112	45	47	59	105
	16%	14%	18%	18%	15%	17%	16%	16%	26%	19%	12%	11%	12%	21%
										j				kl
35 - 44	187	44	70	36	37	115	72	170	15	139	41	74	88	99
	19%	23%	21%	15%	15%	22%	15%	18%	27%	24%	11%	18%	18%	20%
		cdf	f			cdf				j				
45 - 54	165	37	66	36	27	103	62	155	8	144	19	60	82	83
	16%	19%	20%	15%	11%	20%	13%	17%	15%	24%	5%	15%	16%	17%
		df	df			df				j				
55 - 64	155	28	49	42	37	77	79	147	7	105	50	69	84	71
	16%	14%	15%	18%	16%	15%	17%	16%	13%	18%	13%	17%	17%	14%
										j				
65+	226	42	42	55	87	84	142	220	5	16	205	124	148	78
	23%	21%	13%	23%	37%	16%	30%	24%	10%	3%	53%	30%	29%	16%
		b		be	abcef		abce			i		m	m	
NETS														
Net: 18-34	268	43	104	70	50	148	120	245	19	184	74	85	99	169
	27%	22%	31%	30%	21%	28%	25%	26%	35%	31%	19%	21%	20%	34%
			ad	d		d				j				kl
Net: 35-54	352	81	136	71	63	218	134	325	23	283	60	134	170	182
	35%	42%	41%	30%	27%	41%	28%	35%	42%	48%	15%	33%	34%	36%
		cdf	cdf			cdf				j				
Net: 55+	381	69	91	96	124	161	220	368	12	120	255	193	232	149
	38%	36%	28%	40%	52%	31%	46%	39%	23%	21%	66%	47%	46%	30%
				be	abce		abe			i		m	m	

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	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
18 - 24	104	82	13	9	80	17	7	34	65	4	29	42	25	7
	10%	13%	7%	6%	11%	8%	8%	8%	12%	12%	8%	12%	10%	13%
		bc							g					
25 - 34	164	101	40	23	110	46	8	71	87	5	60	56	40	8
	16%	16%	21%	14%	16%	21%	11%	17%	16%	15%	17%	17%	15%	14%
					f									
35 - 44	187	116	26	44	137	37	13	76	103	8	65	56	48	18
	19%	18%	13%	28%	19%	17%	16%	18%	19%	23%	19%	17%	19%	31%
				ab										jkl
45 - 54	165	99	33	33	117	29	20	59	103	3	50	61	43	11
	16%	15%	17%	21%	17%	13%	25%	14%	19%	8%	14%	18%	17%	20%
						e			g					
55 - 64	155	108	29	18	110	36	10	70	80	5	55	55	41	5
	16%	17%	15%	11%	16%	16%	12%	17%	15%	14%	16%	16%	16%	8%
65+	226	140	54	32	152	52	22	113	103	10	87	68	62	9
	23%	22%	28%	20%	21%	24%	28%	27%	19%	28%	25%	20%	24%	15%
								h						
NETS														
Net: 18-34	268	183	53	32	190	63	15	106	152	10	89	98	65	16
	27%	28%	27%	20%	27%	29%	19%	25%	28%	27%	26%	29%	25%	27%
		c												
Net: 35-54	352	216	59	77	254	66	32	135	205	11	114	117	91	29
	35%	33%	30%	49%	36%	30%	41%	32%	38%	31%	33%	35%	35%	50%
				ab					g					jkl
Net: 55+	381	248	83	50	262	87	32	183	182	15	142	123	103	13
	38%	38%	42%	32%	37%	40%	40%	43%	34%	42%	41%	36%	40%	23%
			c					h			m		m	

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Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	345	592	482	455	97	148	170	155	147	220	245	325	368
	94%	92%	95%	96%	91%	93%	90%	91%	94%	95%	98%	91%	92%	96%
				d						efgkl				fgkl
Non-white	54	28	26	17	37	5	14	15	8	7	5	19	23	12
	5%	7%	4%	3%	7%	5%	9%	8%	5%	4%	2%	7%	6%	3%
		b		c			jm	jm				jm	jm	
No response	10	4	7	4	6	2	2	2	2	1	-	4	5	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	1%	1%	*
						j								

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL			
	Total	AB	C1	C2	DE	ABC1	C2DE	White	BAME	Working	Not working	Knowledge of	Heard of	Never heard of
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Significance Level: 95%														
Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	180	317	223	217	496	440	937	-	544	369	389	476	461
	94%	93%	95%	94%	91%	94%	93%	100%	-	93%	95%	94%	95%	92%
								h						
Non-white	54	12	11	12	19	23	31	-	54	37	16	19	21	33
	5%	6%	3%	5%	8%	4%	6%	-	100%	6%	4%	5%	4%	7%
					be									
No response	10	3	4	2	1	6	4	-	-	6	4	4	4	6
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	-	-	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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DETH

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: FIRST Q			FAVOURABILITY TOWARDS NEW SINGLE COUNCIL: SECOND Q			CONCERN ABOUT PROPOSAL OF NEW SINGLE COUNCIL			IMPACT OF REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF CLLRS				
	Total	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Favourable	Unfavourable	Don't know	Concerned	Not concerned	Don't know	Positive	No difference	Negative	Don't know
	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
White	937	601	186	150	660	203	75	391	514	32	326	323	238	50
	94%	93%	96%	94%	93%	94%	94%	92%	95%	87%	95%	96%	91%	86%
Non-white	54	39	7	8	41	10	3	29	22	3	16	11	20	6
	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	5%	4%	7%	4%	9%	5%	3%	8%	11%
No response	10	7	1	1	5	3	1	4	4	1	3	3	2	1
	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	4%	1%	1%	1%	2%

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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Working status

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

	COUNCIL AREA		GENDER		AGE									
	Forest Heath District	St Edmundsbury Borough	Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	
Total	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	401	600	504	497	82	184	189	165	155	226	266	354	381
Weighted Total	1001	376	625	504	497	104	164	187	165	155	226	268	352	381
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Economically active	587	227	360	294	293	72	112	139	144	105	16	184	283	120
	59%	60%	58%	58%	59%	69%	68%	75%	87%	67%	7%	69%	80%	32%
						jm	jm	jm	efgijkm	jm		jm	efijkm	j
Economically inactive	414	149	265	209	205	32	52	47	21	51	210	84	69	261
	41%	40%	42%	42%	41%	31%	32%	25%	13%	33%	93%	31%	20%	68%
						hl	hl	h		hl	efghiklm	hl		efghikl

Columns Tested: a,b - c,d - e,f,g,h,i,j,k,l,m

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Working status

Base: All respondents

	Total	SEG						ETHNICITY		WORKING STATUS		AWARENESS OF PROPOSED CREATION OF NEW COUNCIL		
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Unweighted Total	1001	205	252	244	300	457	544	957	33	569	404	402	493	508
Weighted Total	1001	194	332	238	238	526	475	937	54	587	388	413	501	500
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Economically active	587	117	247	149	74	364	223	544	37	587	-	228	279	308
	59%	60%	74%	63%	31%	69%	47%	58%	68%	100%	-	55%	56%	62%
		df	acdf	df		adf	d			j				
Economically inactive	414	77	85	88	164	162	252	393	17	-	388	184	222	192
	41%	40%	26%	37%	69%	31%	53%	42%	32%	-	100%	45%	44%	38%
		be		b	abcef		abce				i			

Columns Tested: a,b,c,d,e,f - g,h - i,j - k,l,m

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Working status

Base: All respondents

Significance Level: 95%

Unweighted Total

Weighted Total

Economically active

Economically inactive

Columns Tested: a,b,c - d,e,f - g,h,i - j,k,l,m

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	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h	i	j	k	l	m	
Unweighted Total	1001	643	199	159	705	214	82	420	544	37	357	339	250	55
Weighted Total	1001	647	195	159	706	216	79	424	540	37	345	338	260	58
	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%
Economically active	587	385	107	96	419	127	41	240	333	14	197	210	146	34
	59%	59%	55%	60%	59%	59%	51%	i	i	39%	57%	62%	56%	58%
Economically inactive	414	262	88	64	286	89	39	184	207	22	148	127	114	24
	41%	41%	45%	40%	41%	41%	49%	43%	38%	61%	43%	38%	44%	42%
									gh					