

54, CROWLAND ROAD, HAVERHILL, SUFFOLK, CB9 9LF

Professional opinion

Addresses the Law Society practice notes on Contaminated Land and Flood risk.



PASS



Contaminated Land Liability
Passed



Flooding
Negligible

Further guidance



Ground Stability
Identified [page 4 >](#)

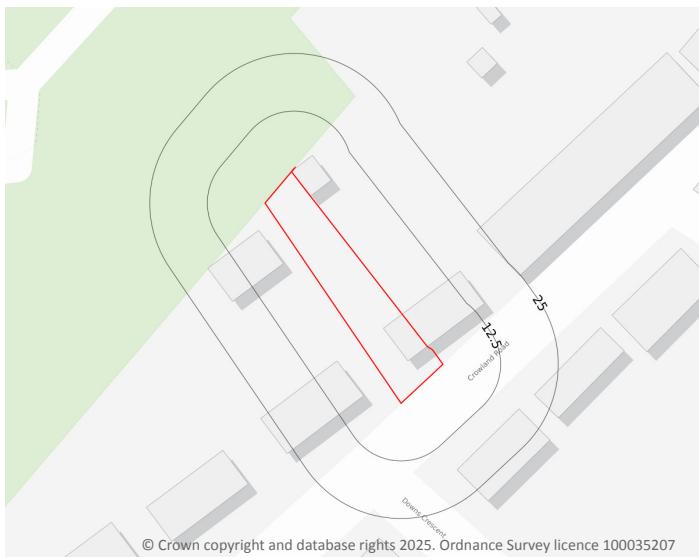


Radon
Passed



Planning Constraints
Not identified

Site plan



Screenings



Energy
Identified [page 7 >](#)



Transportation
Not identified



Planning Applications
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Full assessments of the above screenings are available in our Homebuyers report. Please contact Groundsure or your search provider for further details.

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customer.services@westsuffolk.gov.uk ↗
01284 763233

Environment Agency National Customer

Contact Centre (NCCC):

enquiries@environment-agency.gov.uk ↗
03708 506 506

Overview of findings and recommendations

To save you time when assessing the report, we only provide maps and data tables of features within the search radius that we have identified to be of note. These relate to environmental risks that may have liability implications, affect insurance premiums, property values and/or a lender's willingness to lend.

You can view the fully comprehensive library of information we have searched on [page 10 >](#).



Ground stability

The property is indicated to lie within an area that could be affected by infilled land. You should consider the following:

Next steps for consideration:

- if a survey has been undertaken at the property that considers ground instability and no issues were found, no further action is required
- however, based on the findings of this report, the purchaser should be encouraged to consider potential instability in any future development or alteration of the ground including planting and removing trees, and regardless of the survey outcome
- if no survey has yet been undertaken, we recommend one is carried out by a suitably qualified and experienced person
- if ground instability issues have been or are subsequently identified in a survey we recommend following any advice given in the survey findings
- you should also check whether the property benefits from a current NHBC guarantee or other environmental warranty that often covers structural issues. Please note the presence of an NHBC guarantee wouldn't change the risk assessment of this report



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Other considerations

No additional factors that Groundsure believe require further action have been identified in relation to the property.

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Environmental summary



Environmental searches are designed to ensure that significant hazards and risks associated with this property are identified and considered alongside the investment in or purchase of a property. Please see [page 2 >](#) for further advice.



Contaminated Land

No significant concerns have been identified as a result of the contaminated land searches.

Contaminated Land Liability	Passed
Past Land Use	Passed
Waste and Landfill	Passed
Current and Recent Industrial	Passed



Flooding

No significant concerns have been identified as a result of the flood risk searches. No action required.

[Click here >](#) for further explanation of the flood risk assessment.

River and Coastal Flooding	Very Low
Groundwater Flooding	Negligible
Surface Water Flooding	Negligible
Past Flooding	Not identified
Flood Storage Areas	Not identified



Ground stability

The property is assessed to have potential for natural or non-natural ground subsidence.

Please see [page 5 >](#) for details of the identified issues.

Compiled by Ambiental, a leading flood risk analysis company. [Click here >](#) for details.

Natural Ground Stability	Low
Non-Natural Ground Stability	Identified



Radon

Local levels of radon are considered normal. However, if an underground room makes up part of the accommodation, the property should be tested regardless of radon Affected Area status.

Not in a radon affected area

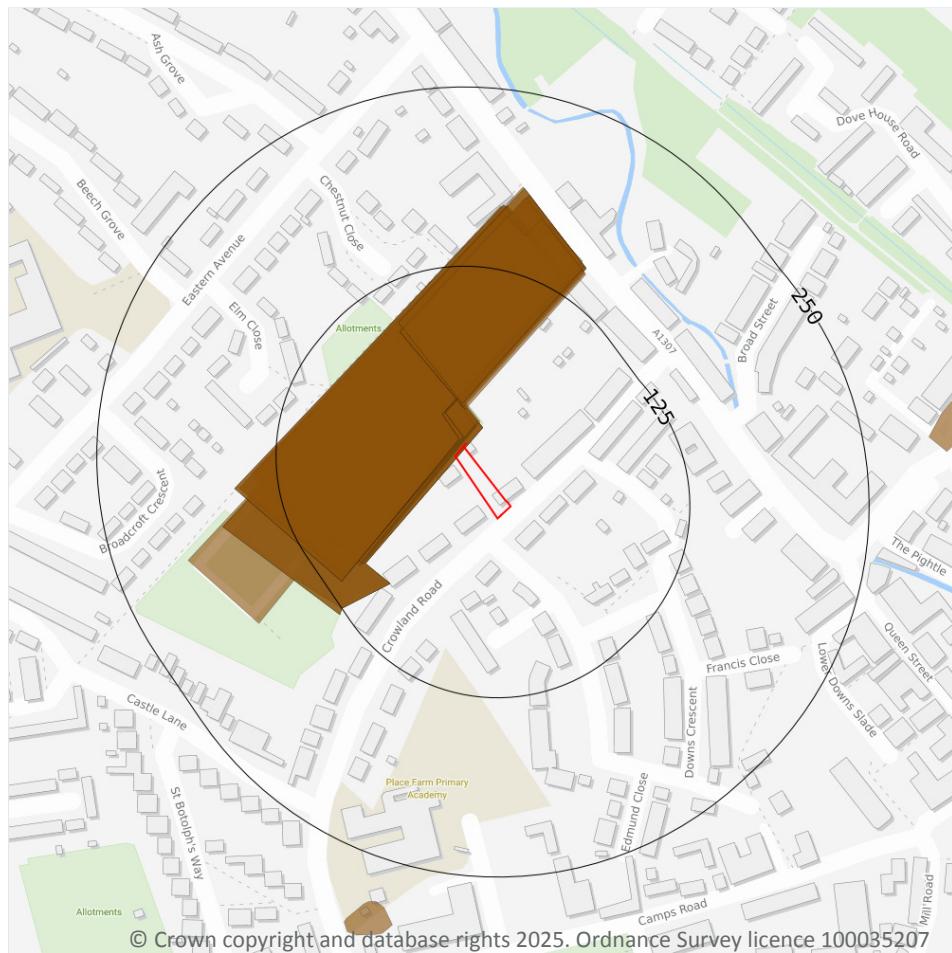


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Ground stability / Non-natural ground subsidence



— Site Outline
 Search buffers in metres (m)

■ Infilled Land
 Mining hazards:
 ■ Highly likely
 ■ Likely

Infilled land

Maps suggest the property is located on a previous pond, quarry, mine, landfill or other hole in the land. These land cavities are often filled in with various materials and this can cause structural problems, although such events are rare. Groundsure's experts recommend that you check whether your structural surveys have taken this into account.

Please see [page 2 >](#) for further advice.

Distance	Direction	Use	Date
0	on site	Cemetery	1981
0	on site	Cemetery	1991
0	on site	Cemetery	1972
2 m	NW	Cemetery	1938



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Distance	Direction	Use	Date
3 m	NW	Cemetery	1905
3 m	NW	Cemetery	1949
4 m	NW	Cemetery	1951
4 m	NW	Cemetery	1924
6 m	NW	Cemetery	1967
6 m	NW	Cemetery	1960

Groundsure's experts systematically analyse historical maps, which can highlight areas that, over time, may have been filled with various materials. The materials used are usually safe, although in some cases contaminative materials may also have been used. Past ground workings have been identified at the site. These workings may be associated with railway cuttings or other ground engineering but may also indicate mining activity. Information is taken from features identified on Ordnance Survey historical maps, which do not indicate the distance or direction that mines extend beneath the surface. For example, features such as mine shafts only indicate the entrance to a mine. From this, we may infer the potential for underground features to extend outward from this point. Some features within this database may also relate to non-mining underground activities e.g. air shafts for underground railways.


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Energy summary



The property has been identified to lie within 5km of one or more energy features.

If required, full details on these energy features including a detailed location plan relative to the property are available when you purchase a Groundsure Energy and Transportation Report via your preferred searches provider.



Oil and gas

No historical, active or planned wells or extraction areas have been identified near the property.

Oil and gas areas

Not identified

Oil and gas wells

Not identified



Wind and Solar

Our search of existing and planned renewable wind and solar infrastructure has identified results.

Planned Multiple Wind Turbines

Identified

Planned Single Wind Turbines

Identified

Existing Wind Turbines

Not identified

Proposed Solar Farms

Identified

Existing Solar Farms

Identified



Energy Infrastructure

Our search of major energy transmission or generation infrastructure and nationally significant infrastructure projects has identified results.

Power stations

Identified

Energy Infrastructure Projects

Not identified

Projects

Not identified

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Transportation summary



The property has not been identified to lie within the specified distance of one or more of the transportation features detailed below.

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HS2

No results for Phase 1 or Phase 2 of the HS2 project (including the 2016 amendments) have been identified within 5km of the property. However, HS2 routes are still under consultation and exact alignments may change in the future.
Visual assessments are only provided by Groundsure if the property is within 2km of Phase 1 and 2a. Other assessments may be available from HS2.

HS2 Route	Not identified
HS2 Safeguarding	Not identified
HS2 Stations	Not identified
HS2 Depots	Not identified
HS2 Noise	Not assessed
HS2 Visual impact	Not assessed

Crossrail

The property is not within 250 metres of the Crossrail 2 project.

Crossrail 2 Route	Not identified
Crossrail 2 Stations	Not identified
Crossrail 2 Worksites	Not identified
Crossrail 2 Safeguarding	Not identified
Crossrail 2 Headhouse	Not identified

Other Railways

The property is not within 250 metres of any active or former railways, subway lines, DLR lines, subway stations or railway stations.

Active Railways and Tunnels	Not identified
Historical Railways and Tunnels	Not identified
Railway and Tube Stations	Not identified
Underground	Not identified

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Planning summary



Planning Applications

Using Local Authority planning information supplied and processed by Serac Tech dating back 7 years, this information is designed to help you understand possible changes to the area around the property. Please note that even successful applications may not have been constructed and new applications for a site can be made if a previous one has failed. We advise that you use this information in conjunction with a visit to the property and seek further expert advice if you are concerned or considering development yourself.

25 Total applications

This total includes mixed and commercial developments within 500m, large residential within 500m, medium residential within 125m, small residential within 50m and home improvement applications within 50m. If required, full details on these applications including a detailed location plan relative to the property are available when you purchase a Groundsure Planning Report via your preferred searches provider.

Planning constraints

No protected areas have been identified within 50 metres of the property. Protected areas include nature reserves and other conservation areas.

Environmental Protected Areas Not identified
Visual and Cultural Protected Areas Not identified

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Datasets searched

This is a full list of the data searched in this report. If we have found results of note we will state "Identified". If no results of note are found, we will state "Not identified". Our intelligent filtering will hide "Not identified" sections to speed up your workflow.

Contaminated Land	
Former industrial land use (1:10,560 and 1:10,000 scale)	Not identified
Former tanks	Not identified
Former energy features	Not identified
Former petrol stations	Not identified
Former garages	Not identified
Former military land	Not identified
Former landfill (from Local Authority and historical mapping records)	Not identified
Waste site no longer in use	Not identified
Active or recent landfill	Not identified
Former landfill (from Environment Agency Records)	Not identified
Active or recent licensed waste sites	Not identified
Recent industrial land uses	Not identified
Current or recent petrol stations	Not identified
Hazardous substance storage/usage	Not identified
Sites designated as Contaminated Land	Not identified
Historical licensed industrial activities	Not identified
Current or recent licensed industrial activities	Not identified
Local Authority licensed pollutant release	Not identified
Pollutant release to surface waters	Not identified
Pollutant release to public sewer	Not identified
Dangerous industrial substances (D.S.I. List 1)	Not identified
Contaminated Land	
Dangerous industrial substances (D.S.I. List 2)	Not identified
Pollution incidents	Not identified
Flooding	
Risk of flooding from rivers and the sea	Not identified
Flood storage areas: part of floodplain	Not identified
Historical flood areas	Not identified
Reduction in Risk of Flooding from Rivers and Sea due to Defences	Not identified
Flood defences	Not identified
Proposed flood defences	Not identified
Surface water flood risk	Not identified
Groundwater flooding	Not identified
Natural ground subsidence	
Natural ground subsidence	Not identified
Natural geological cavities	Not identified
Non-natural ground subsidence	
Coal mining	Not identified
Non-coal mining areas	Not identified
Non-coal mining	Not identified
Mining cavities	Not identified
Infilled land	Identified


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Radon

Radon Not identified

Energy

Electricity transmission lines and pylons Not identified

Planning constraints

Sites of Special Scientific Interest Not identified

Internationally important wetland sites
(Ramsar Sites) Not identified

Special Areas of Conservation Not identified

Special Protection Areas (for birds) Not identified

National Nature Reserves Not identified

Local Nature Reserves Not identified

Designated Ancient Woodland Not identified

Green Belt Not identified

World Heritage Sites Not identified

Areas of Outstanding Natural Beauty Not identified

National Parks Not identified

Conservation Areas Not identified

Listed Buildings Not identified

Certificates of Immunity from Listing Not identified

Scheduled Monuments Not identified

Registered Parks and Gardens Not identified

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