

## Suffolk County Council meeting Thursday 19 October 2023, vote taken on Motion 1.

Motion 1 – Proposed by Councillor Richard Rout and seconded by Councillor Andrew Reid.

Motion Text:

1. Suffolk County Council recognises and notes the huge contribution made by our County's farmers, growers and wider food and drink industry to the local economy, environment and rural communities.
2. Suffolk County Council commits to further enhancing our partnerships alongside our arable, livestock, and dairy farmers to enhance our magnificent countryside.
3. Suffolk County Council commits to supporting our local farmers, growers and food and drink sector by, where possible, ensuring that all food and drinks provided at council organised events is sourced from local suppliers; to always include meat and dairy, alongside plant-based produce.
4. As part of tackling the environmental priorities for Suffolk County Council; The Council will consider ways to encourage residents, where possible, to shop locally, taking advantage of home-grown, affordable and nutritious produce, including meat, dairy and plant based options. Thus reducing food miles to our tables and boosting the local economy.'

<b>Total results</b>	
For	59
Against	0
Abstain	3

### Conservative Group

Councillor's Name	For	Against	Abstain
Edward Back	For		
Peter Beer	For		
Bobby Bennett	For		
Stuart Bird	For		
Elaine Bryce			
Stephen Burroughes	For		
Nadia Cenci	For		
Jenny Ceresa	For		
Chris Chambers	For		
Judy Cloke	For		
Andy Drummond	For		
Robert Everitt	For		
Philip Faircloth-Mutton	For		

James Finch	For		
Jessica Fleming	For		
Mick Fraser	For		
David Goldsmith			
Peter Gould	For		
Georgia Hall	For		
Liz Harsant			
Ryan Harvey	For		
T-J Haworth-Culf	For		
Matthew Hicks	For		
Rachel Hood	For		
Beccy Hopfensperger	For		
Christopher Hudson	For		
Michael Ladd	For		
Stuart Lawson	For		
Joe Mason	For		
Debbie McCallum	For		
Patti Mulcahy			
Sam Murray	For		
David Nettleton			
Alexander Nicoll	For		
Colin Noble			
Kay Oakes			
James Reeder	For		
Andrew Reid	For		
Debbie Richards	For		
Craig Rivett	For		
David Roach	For		
Keith Robinson	For		
Richard Rout	For		
Richard Smith MVO	For		
Karen Soons	For		
Heike Sowa	For		
Joanna Spicer	For		
Lance Stanbury			
Jamie Starling			
Melanie Vigo di Gallidoro			
Paul West	For		
Steve Wiles	For		
Nathan Wilson	For		

**Green, Liberal Democrat and Independent Group**

<b>Councillor's Name</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>
Seamus Bennett	For		
Jessie Carter			Abstain
Annette Dunning			
Simon Harley			Abstain
Richard Kemp	For		
Ruth Leach	For		
Ash Lever	For		
Robert Lindsay			Abstain
Inga Lockington	For		
Victor Lukaniuk	For		
Andy Mellen	For		
Penny Otton	For		
Keith Scarff	For		
Andrew Stringer	For		
Caroline Topping	For		
Keith Welham	For		

**Labour Group**

<b>Councillor's Name</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>
Sarah Adams	For		
Rob Bridgeman	For		
Elizabeth Johnson			
Sandy Martin	For		
Lucy Smith			

**Ungrouped Councillor**

<b>Councillor's Name</b>	<b>For</b>	<b>Against</b>	<b>Abstain</b>
Peter Thompson	For		