



# Waveney Matters

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with PETER ALDOUS MP

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## ENTERPRISE ZONE AIMS FOR 2000 NEW JOBS



Peter Aldous MP for Waveney

Peter has worked hard in Parliament to promote the Lowestoft and Great Yarmouth Enterprise Zone recently given the green light by Government, one of the 11 successful bids after 29 applications across the country.

The Enterprise Zone will capitalise on the area's leading position in the energy sector. It's aim to create up to 2,000 jobs and attract 80 businesses by 2015 and 13,500 jobs and 200 businesses over the 25 year lifetime of the zone.

Peter has continued to promote growth and jobs in Waveney speaking regularly in Parliament on infrastructure investment, transport and broadband and is determined to ensure local people are able to take up jobs in the energy sector. In January he co-hosted an event with Job Centre Plus aimed at helping young people in the area into work.

## ACTION FOR WAVENEY



■ Peter speaking at the Fire and Rescue Seminar about the importance of sprinklers in saving lives and preventing disruption to business, following the Wessex Foods fire in 2010, when 150 people lost their jobs.

■ Peter successfully campaigned for the retention of funding to enable those living in care to maintain their independence.



## BECCLES LOOP WILL BRING HOURLY TRAINS

Work has started on the Beccles Loop that will enable an hourly train service to be provided from Lowestoft to Ipswich. This follows lobbying by Peter Aldous to get the Government to provide the £3million needed alongside Suffolk County Council's £1million to enable the work to proceed.

Peter comments "I am pleased that the Government have accepted the compelling case for the Beccles Loop and it is excellent news that work has now begun. This is the first step to providing an improved rail service to the Waveney area."



Peter at Beccles Station as work begins



■ Linen Press in Beccles. Peter has spoken on the importance of promoting high streets and town centres following on from the Mary Portas Review.

## KEEPING IN TOUCH

Please give us your contact details so we can keep in touch with you about the issues you have raised:

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## WHAT HAS BEEN ACHIEVED SO FAR...

- The Enterprise Zone will bring new jobs to Waveney
- Investment brings 880 new Apprentices; 63% increase on the previous year
- Superfast Broadband is soon to be a reality in Waveney with £11.7 million grant to Suffolk
- 2,274 pupils in Waveney's schools benefiting from Pupil Premium funding of £1.1million
- Biggest cash increase in State Pension since 1948 will give £5.30 per week to Waveney's pensioners
- Beccles Loop will bring hourly train services to Waveney thanks to Government grant of £3million
- Free Nursery funding will help low income parents in Waveney
- Freeze in Council Tax for the last two years thanks to Government funding
- Coastal Communities Fund should help provide new jobs in Lowestoft
- Package of measures for the oil and gas industry in the Budget will secure billions of pounds of investment in the North Sea.



Above: Supporting Superfast Broadband  
Below: Speaking on investment for Waveney

## PETER ALDOUS, WORKING HARD FOR WAVENEY, WORKING HARD FOR YOU!

### Continuing to speak up for fishermen

Peter has continued to support Lowestoft's fishermen speaking in Debates on Fisheries in the House of Commons.

Peter is seeking a fair deal for the under 10 metre fleet, who comprise 85% of the national fleet but only have access to 4% of UK quota

He is also campaigning for the holding of quota to be transparent and in the hands of working fishermen only and for the abolition of discards.



Peter speaking up for Waveney

“ No Member of the House works harder, more persistently or more effectively to promote their local economy than he (Peter) does....His constituents in Waveney and residents in the local area should be proud of the service he gives them. He also takes matters to the top, having questioned the Prime Minister, the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the Business Secretary. ”

**Greg Clarke MP**  
Minister of State, Department for Communities and Local Government, January 2012.