

# Leeds Unitary Development Plan proposals map.

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## Manchester Bolton & Bury Canal

An extension to the original canal feeder was built at Weddell Brook in Bury, alongside the River Irwell.

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In 2011, it was one of 24 schools that applied for and received government funding as a flagship. A survey was also carried out on a proposed extension from Sladen to. Today, there is little to remind people that the town was part of the once great , although a Skelmersdale Heritage Society was re-established in 2019.

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At another meeting in Bury, on 13 October 1790, gave a written report on the canal, and stated that his plan would not require water from the river in times of drought, but that floods and rivulets would supply his reservoirs. This allowed them to repay the debt, and continue work to finish the canal. In 2012, a £20m vision to create a regenerated town centre for Skelmersdale was revealed.

## Skelmersdale

Bury Wharf is now covered by an industrial estate. A bill was proposed in 1799 but after strong objections from the Mersey and Irwell Navigation Company they eventually gave up and subsequently, over the following seven years, the canal company purchased enough land to build a canal link directly to the Irwell. The connection with near Clifton Aqueduct was made by a 90 feet 27 m long by 21 feet 6 m wide, with a drop of 18 inches 46 cm

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A few yards from me tremendous quantities of water, rock, and earth were moving bodily from the canal .

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A series of resolutions at this meeting followed a discussion of the route, and authorised the necessary actions to bring the plan into fruition, which included the petitioning of for the required. Although the canal was originally designed to be a narrow canal with narrow locks for boats 7 feet 2 m wide, in 1794 an agreement was reached with the company to create a link near Red Moss near , so broad locks were built to accommodate the 14 feet 4 m wide boats using that canal.

### **Manchester Bolton & Bury Canal**

Each box had a base of two halves, hinged and held closed with chains.

### **Manchester Bolton & Bury Canal**

It was renamed to Skelmersdale railway station in 1874, before closing in 1956 and its demolition shortly after 1968. Kilcoby Bridge is missing and from there the canal is inaccessible until it reaches the. Financial unrest and British involvement in the restricted local transport investment to road improvements.

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