

Official list entry

Heritage Category:

Listed Building

Grade:

II

List Entry Number:

1205709

Date first listed:

31-Oct-1994

Statutory Address 1:

WATER TOWER, DEBDEN ROAD

The scope of legal protection for listed buildings

This List entry helps identify the building designated at this address for its special architectural or historic interest.

Unless the List entry states otherwise, it includes both the structure itself and any object or structure fixed to it (whether inside or outside) as well as any object or structure within the curtilage of the building.

For these purposes, to be included within the curtilage of the building, the object or structure must have formed part of the land since before 1st July 1948.

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Location

Statutory Address:

WATER TOWER, DEBDEN ROAD

The building or site itself may lie within the boundary of more than one authority.

County:

Essex

District:

Uttlesford (District Authority)

Parish:

Saffron Walden

National Grid Reference:

TL 53883 37659

Details

SAFFRON WALDEN

TL53NW DEBDEN ROAD 669-1/3/135 Water Tower

II

Water tower. 1913. Architect AH Forbes, Borough Surveyor. Red brick. Approx 8m square, 28m high. Stepped plinth with round arched doorway and foundation plaque on W side. Upper tank stage has clasping pilasters and supporting cornice with 3 blind depressed arched recesses with splayed sills on each face. Motif continued down to plinth through 3 stages, the recesses becoming progressively longer but shallower. The tower was constructed by J Custerson, local builder and a photograph of it under construction exists. (Stacey HC: Saffron Walden in Old Photographs: Saffron Walden: 1980-: FIG.73).

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