

Listen to the following explanations of why companies decided to move to new locations.

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Stuart Fox :

We started as a delivery service for shops but soon found most of our business was supplying airlines, so it made sense to move close to the airport.

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Veronika Hyks :

Modern telecommunications mean we can now work in one of the most beautiful areas of the country and save on expensive office space in the city.

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Charles Dale :

Our old premises were unsuitable for the machinery we now use. Relocation meant we could build the factory around the machinery, it's far more efficient and has saved us a lot of money.

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We looked for a location that offered a good quality of life for staff and their families. Schools, leisure facilities, and modern housing were important factors in our decision.

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Nigel Greaves :

Access was our big problem. Everyone wasted hours in traffic jams. Relocation has meant that traffic jams, parking problems, late deliveries and so on are a thing of the past.

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Katie Campbell :

We chose a greenfield site to give us a pleasant environment and room for expansion helped by local grants. We had no room to grow where we used to be.