

Doug Field OBE

Doug is the former CEO of the East of England Co-op, the largest independent retail business in East Anglia. The business has a remarkable presence spanning more than 200 trading outlets across 70 diverse towns and villages in Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridgeshire, Hertfordshire and Essex. As CEO, he focused on protecting and growing the legacy of its members, ensuring their interests were safeguarded for future generations.

Doug has a strong connection to the East of England and its vibrant communities. His volunteer work spans public sector roles, charities, and business organisations, reflecting his commitment to making a positive impact. Doug is currently Vice Chair of the charity Green Light Trust, is on the Suffolk Chamber of Commerce Board and the Suffolk Business Board.

In 2021, Doug was honoured with an OBE (Officer of the Order of the British Empire) in the New Year's Honours List for his services to business.