

## **Greater Brighton Economic Board**

# Investment Programme Update Report

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#### Adur Civic Centre – Shoreham



#### **Aims & Objectives**

Adur District Council have led on the development of a two phase scheme for the former Council offices in Shoreham. Phase 1 involved the development of a 30,000 sqft (gross) office building which is now complete and let to local business Focus Group following £9.89m of Council investment.

For Phase 2 the Council have identified Hyde Housing as the preferred bidder for the site (Hyde Housing) and are working to finalise contracts. A planning application is anticipated in Spring 2020 for 173 homes (100% affordable in line with Hyde Housing's strategic partnership with Homes England) and ground floor commercial space.

#### **Key Facts**

Delivery Partners: Adur District Council. Willmott Dixon, Hyde Housing Group

#### Funding (all years)

Total LGF Funding £1.71m

Total Public Funding £0.0m

Total Private Funding £9.89m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £11.60m

#### **Outputs**

Phase 1 North Site -30,000sqft of employment space

Phase 2 South Site – 987sqm of employment space and 171 residential units

#### What happened in the last period?

No update has been received for quarter January to March 2021. The last report is as follows:

Phase 2: Public consultation on proposed development by Hyde Housing took place on 20/02/2020 and detailed design work is underway with a view to the planning application being submitted in Summer 2020.

Issues have arisen from Hyde Housing due to Covid19 and will delay exchange and submission of the planning application.

#### **Target Milestones (Phase 2)**

Planning Application: Spring 2021

Planning Determined: Autumn 2021

**Start on site:** Spring 2022

Completion: by April 2024 (Homes England deadline)





## **Burgess Hill Strategic Growth Programme**



Artist's impression

#### **Aims & Objectives**

The programme will deliver transformative change to the town, secure major growth and significant improvements in housing, jobs, infrastructure, and social and community facilities. To support the programme the following grant funding has been secured:

• £17 million from the Local Growth Fund (LGF) to support A2300 corridor improvements comprising an upgrade to a dual carriageway, junction improvements, and the provision of a footway and cycleway linking to the National Cycle Network. • £10.9 million LGF funding for a Place and Connectivity package of sustainable transport schemes including improvements to Burgess Hill and Wivelsfield railway stations, public realm improvements, and an inter-urban cycle route between Haywards Heath and Burgess Hill. • £4 million LGF and a further £6.5 million Housing Infrastructure Fund (HIF) to improve the Goddard's Green Waste Water Treatment works, unlocking land to develop a further 256 homes. • Up to £2.2 million from the Government's Local Full Fibre Network fund and £2 million LGF and £1.6 million retained business rates to support the implementation of new digital infrastructure for Burgess Hill which in turn will stimulate the market for internet service providers. • £165k from One Public Estate for design and feasibility studies to redevelop 'The Brow' and land adjacent to Burgess Hill Station. • £1 million Access for All funding to improve accessibility at Wivelsfield Station.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Mid Sussex District Council, Homes England, West Sussex CC, Burgess Hill Town Council, Coast to Capital, Department of Transport, and developers.



#### **Funding (all years)**

LGF Funding	£33.9m	
Homes England funding	£370.5m	
DCMS & other digital funding	£3.8m	
OPE Funding	£165k	
Access for All	£1.0m	
WSCC Funding	£3.34m	
MSDC Funding	£3.69m	
Total Public Funding	£416.39m	
Total Private Investment	£643.3m	
Total Funding	£1,059.7m	

Following their acquisition of the Northern Arc land parcels, the Council has an approved Infrastructure Delivery Plan (IDP) with Homes England which confirms an investment of £162m in strategic infrastructure.

#### **Outputs**

5,000 new homes, a Science and Technology Park (up to 100,000m² employment space), two business parks, 15,000 new jobs (including construction jobs), a major town centre regeneration (offering retail space, commercial leisure space including a cinema and a bowling alley, a hotel as well as new homes), improvements to the A2300 corridor, a package of public realm and sustainable transport schemes, new schools, increased GP capacity, improved leisure facilities, full-fibre digital infrastructure.

#### What happened in the last period?

**Northern Arc:** Work is continuing on site with housebuilder Countryside Properties. Work on both the Eastern Bridge and Link Road and the Western Link Road is set to continue, with the whole on these links scheduled for completion by the end of 2021

**Place and Connectivity:** Work continues on delivery of the first of the phase 1 schemes including public art and other public realm improvements to the underpass at Wiveslfield Railway station. Detailed design work continues for highway improvements at Burgess Hill and Wivelsfield Stations, public realm improvements for Church Walk / Church Road, and access & connectivity improvements for Victoria Business Park. Site clearance activities are complete on all Town-wide and Green Circle routes.

**A2300 corridor improvements:** Construction began in spring 2020 and is ongoing. The project remains on schedule for completion by October 2021.

**Employment space, The Hub**: The second phase of development (a 5,000m<sup>2</sup> warehouse for Roche Diagnostics) was completed in early February. Outline planning permission for the remaining 40,000m<sup>2</sup> has been approved, and issued.

**Digital Infrastructure:** Works to implement the Digital Infrastructure across and around Burgess Hill, including a southern link to Brighton and a northern link via Horsham to Crawley, are well progressed despite Covid-19 challenges. A number of Dig-Once opportunities have been identified. Works have progressed at pace with over 13.8km of duct infrastructure installed across Burgess Hill. This includes 10.3km (92%) of the duct in the Local Full Fibre Network (LFFN) project and an additional 3.5km delivered through Dig Once on the A2300. The programme on plan to deliver completed network by 31st March 2021 with works commenced and completed in Brighton for connection to Brighton Digital Exchange.

One public estate (OPE) 7: The Brow - redevelopment of an extended Brow site in Burgess Hill will provide enhanced accommodation for the emergency and primary care services and to create space for 440 new homes (led by WSCC). Consultants Faithful and Gould have completed a draft viability study which is currently being reviewed alongside engagement and discussion with other stakeholders.

**Land adjacent to Burgess Hill station** - Officers are progressing to agree an engagement strategy with the other key stakeholders, Network Rail and The Arch Company (the principal land-owner at the site). Provisional approval of an initial OPE Phase 8 funding

top up award of £50k has been given, split 50/50 between grant and loan funding. Network Rail have also committed an initial £25k funding to the next stage of the work programme. As the scheme is at the design stage Covid-19 has not had an impact at this time.



Goddards Green Waste Water Treatment Works: : Phase 1 of the project has been completed delivering most of the odour reduction benefits. All the £4m LGF-funding has been spent, and the project is now continuing at pace funded through the £6.54m HIF grant. Covid-19 caused a slight delay to the project, resulting from staff in Southern Water's supply chain being furloughed and from the overseas suppliers of some components temporarily closing their factories. Whilst this delay is anticipated, any arising issues are being managed closely with Southern Water

**Target Milestones** — Various (project-specific).

## **Circus Street – Brighton**



Proposed scheme as at 24 March 2021 (office building in foreground)

#### **Aims & Objectives**

The mix of residential, business, education and cultural occupiers on the site will bring a wide variety of people into the area, benefitting existing local businesses. Economic impact studies indicate that the development will create approximately 232 predominantly local jobs. It will generate £1 million in council tax, new business rates contributions and new homes bonuses. It would encourage student and new resident population spending in and around the site and would boost the local economy by more than £10m each year due to a multiplier effect.

The main office building will be a new centre for innovation and enterprise that will maximise the potential for linking the University's research functions and private organisations that will cohabit in the building. This Innovation Hub will, in turn, create and support fledgling new business in the City and generate opportunities for students, graduates and university staff to work alongside SMEs and larger organisations.

The Dance Space provide a new HQ for South East Dance as well as 3 studios (one for public performances) and office space for other cultural industries. The growing artistic community in Brighton has no dedicated space for dance and it is estimated that 60,000 people will use the space every year. It will become a cultural and community hub, where people gather to collaborate, participate, watch and learn.



#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** U+I plc (Cathedral Brighton), Brighton & Hove City Council

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £2.70m

Total Public Funding £0.40m

Total Private Funding £106.57m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £109.67m

#### **Outputs**

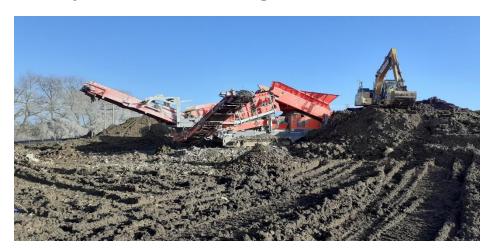
142 new homes; 387 additional jobs and 232 net additional jobs after displacement and substitution; 30,000 sq ft. office building; 450 student accommodation bed spaces; "The Dance Space" (dance studios, offices, public performance space and HQ for South East Dance); start-up workshops, retail units and restaurant; public realm to include a square and landscaped courtyards.

#### What happened in the last period?

Substantial progress has been made on both the office the office block and The Dance Space (the final 2 buildings to be completed) as well as offsite and onsite public realm works.

Target Milestones End Date: Summer 2021

## **Decoy Farm - Worthing**



#### **Aims and Objectives**

An ambitious plan to upgrade an environmentally challenging but sizable plot of allocated employment land that has stood unused for over three decades. The completed project will boost employment opportunities and economic performance in the entire Coast to Capital LEP region.

#### Funding (all years)

Total LGF Funding £4.84m
Total Public Funding £4.84m
Total Private Funding £15m
Total Funding £25m

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Worthing Borough Council, West Sussex County Council, Private Sector, Coast to Capital LEP.

#### **Outputs**

- **Phase 1:** To remediate the 7 hectare former landfill site, unlocking it for commercial development.
- **Phase 2:** To deliver up to 13,536sqm of employment floorspace by developing new commercial units to meet existing and future industrial demand.



#### What happened in the last period?

- Award of the remediation contract to Keltbray. Pre-construction phase complete.
- Construction phase mobilisation, welfare/site set-up, environmental controls and waste treatment system in place.
- Translocation of reptiles, vegetation clearance and site-wide destructive survey and ecological works completed.
- Remediation works carried out and now complete as specified, to programme
  and within budget as at 31st March 2021. Landfill materials have been sorted
  and screened and the treated landfill wastes removed from site. Entire site and
  development platform levelled, geotextile membrane and aggregate capping
  layer installed.
- Air monitoring, soil sampling and laboratory testing for validation report is complete. Borehole decommissioning complete. Groundwater monitoring and hydraulic modelling will continue.

#### **Disposal/Development Strategy:**

- Development analysis report completed.
- Pre-application pack submitted and planning advice meetings held.
- Development and market leasing strategy, masterplan order of cost estimate and outline business case being prepared.
- Preparation and consultation of outline planning application in progress.

#### **Target Milestones**

- Autumn 2020 Remediation contract awarded.
- Winter 2020 Contract underway to carry out the specified earthworks, ground excavation, processing, sorting and screening of landfill wastes. Site levelled, geotextile membrane and capping layer installed.
- Spring 2021 Phase 1 remediation of the former landfill site complete. Full use
  of LEP funding achieved by the 31st March 2021 deadline.
- Summer 2021 Phase 2 Outline Planning Application ready for submission and Strategic Outline Business Case to be presented to JSC.

## **Digital Catapult – Brighton**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

To enable businesses to develop and exploit new products and services utilising emerging technologies (AA/VR, 5G, AI, etc), in order to improve productivity, develop better employment prospects and increase GVA in the region. The Digital Catapult Centre Brighton (DCCB) provides opportunities for start-ups and small businesses to connect with university research knowledge, work with large corporations, access innovation expertise and to engage with two core emerging technology platforms - the Immersive Lab and the 5G testbed. The 5G testbed received additional funding and the initial development and engagement activity is taking place at DCCB, hence the project date extension.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Wired Sussex, University of Brighton, University of Sussex, BHCC, American Express



#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £0.50m

Total Public Funding £1.00m

Total Private Funding £0.50m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £2.00m

#### Outputs

10,000 businesses receiving information about emerging technology opportunities; 1,000 businesses receiving non-financial support; 250 businesses assisted to cooperate with universities and other research institutions; 100 businesses supported to introduce new products or services to the market or the firm; 30 hackathons, bootcamps or pit-stops; and 10 in-depth collaborative R+D projects.

#### What happened in the last period?

The latest Technology Accelerator Programme was completed in March, later than planned due to the impact of Covid. The 6 companies on the programme included Photogram (Al camera technologies), Reality Check (immersive storytelling technologies), Rippla (live music streaming), and Make Amplify (large scale immersive events). Preliminary activity on the Ring & Testbed project has now commenced together with preparatory work on the DCMS-supported, DC-led programme with the music industry, whose regional partners are Brighton Dome & Festival and Wired Sussex.

Other recent activity included a project with local radio station Platform B and music venue the Green Door Store to create and test a virtual version of the venue as a broadcast platform, and training for visual artists in using virtual gallery spaces to connect with audiences and customers.

## **Black Rock - Brighton**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

The scope and outputs for the Waterfront project have now evolved in to two projects, with the agreement of the Local Enterprise Partnership. A revised series of outputs has been agreed for the Black Rock project which focus upon two key phases of enabling (underway) and future permanent development (to be progressed with a target of 2026 for completion). The aim of the project to regenerate the Black Rock site is now underway, with a successful planning application achieved in June 2020 and 4 works packages at various stages of contractual commitment. The first two works packages, to deliver improvements to Dukes Mound junctions and begin work to the new beach boardwalk, have appointed contractor's and are underway. The Sea Wall and Marina Link, followed by the works to existing heritage and Kemptown Gardens will begin in summer 2021. Completion remains targeted for early summer 2022 when the new event space will open. The Development Brief for the Black Rock site will be developed over the coming 9 months to synchronise with work on the Eastern Seafront Masterplan.

New infrastructure and a more developable site, will be accompanied by a temporary events space to support Covid recovery and a new temporary BMX pump track. A new play area and restored Reading room and Temple will also create more of a destination

for visitors and residents. Long term development will be governed by a Development Brief which will be progressed during 2021/22.



#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Brighton and Hove City Council Major Projects and Regeneration Team are leading the project..

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £12.11m - underway

Total Public Funding £12.611

Total Private Funding Subject to final Business Case

Total Other Funding £600k S106

Total Funding £12.611m

#### **Outputs**

A revised economic impact assessment is currently underway to assess final outputs for the redeveloped Black Rock Site under a range of future scenarios. These will be included in the next update.

#### What happened in the last period?

Two works packages started on site. Local Enterprise Partnership endorsed the revised project supported by a revised set of outputs up to and including to 2026. The finalised outcomes to be agreed once a Development Brief is agreed for the site in late 2021.

#### **Target Milestones**

- 1. Planning application submission February 2020 Achieved
- Planning consent June 2020 Achieved
- 3. Commence start on site Sept/Oct 2020 3 months behind but now achieved
- 4. Phased Completion November 2021 May 2022

## **Heritage Centre Stage - Brighton**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

New Business Model & Commercial Strategy that increases future resilience by improving commercial performance and reducing running costs;

- Enhanced contribution to Brighton's cultural tourism by a strengthened City Centre & Cultural Quarter offer
- Returning the Royal Pavilion Estate to a world class heritage destination & protecting the heritage
- Achieving the long-term vision for both organisations
- Evidence-based improved Visitor/ Audience experience, and improved learning, access & participation).

#### **Key Facts**

Delivery Partners: Brighton & Hove City Council & Brighton Dome & Brighton Festival

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £3.00m

Total Public Funding £21.70m

Total Private Funding £5.70m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £30.40m

#### **Outputs**

Employment: created and/or safeguarded - 337

Businesses assisted: financial and non-financial - 624

New floor space constructed/refurbished: learning - 157 m<sup>2</sup> new floor space

constructed/refurbished, Commercial - 2,652 m<sup>2</sup>

Carbon reduction 39.961 tonnes of CO<sub>2</sub>.

#### What happened in the last period?

The Council's appointed Management Contractor, Westridge Construction Limited, is progressing emergency and remedial works to achieve weatherproof buildings. All structural remedial works to the 200 year-old Corn Exchange timber frame and roofing works have been completed to secure the building envelope. Finishing and completion works are progressing with the installation of the Corn Exchange oak wall boarding substantially completed. While the direct impact of Covid-19 has reduced with no subcontractors leaving site during the second or third lockdown, further delays remain a risk and on site measures including physical distancing, track and trace venue check-in, increased cleaning regime and visitors asked to wear facemasks are in place.. Practical Completion is now anticipated in February 2022.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: February 2022





## **New England House - Brighton**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

Upgrade and expand New England House so that it becomes a credible and highly visible hub for Greater Brighton's streative, digital and IT (CDIT) businesses.

#### **Key Facts**

New England House (NEH) is a business centre, built by the local authority in the early 1960s to provide workspace for industrial businesses. Over time, it has been subdivided ito around 120 units. It is actively marketed as a centre for CDIT businesses and is much in demand for its relatively affordable workspace.

The building is in urgent need of refurbishment – especially its exterior. Under the Greater Brighton City Deal, BHCC was awarded £4.9 million in 2014 towards the refurbishment and expansion of NEH to consolidate its role as a flagship for the city's CDIT sector.

**Delivery Partners:** Brighton & Hove City Council

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding n/a

Total Public Funding 11.1 million

Total Private Funding n/a

Total Other Funding n/a

Total Funding n/a

#### **Outputs**

Upgrade building, including providing a net additional 7,090m<sup>2</sup> of new employment floor-space. Following the land deal with Legal & General on the adjacent Longley Industrial Estate, some of this City Deal floorspace output will provided on the Longley site, with the remainder forming part of a proposed extension to New England House.

#### What happened in the last period?

21 Jan 2021 Policy & Resources Committee approved the preparation and submission of new preferred design option for refurbishment of existing building and new 2 storey roof extension as a planning application. In conjunction with the adjacent Longley House development, 5,888m² of new employment floorspace would be provided, close to the City Deal target of 7,090m². Design team largely appointed, although design work has currently been put on hold to allow for completion of all necessary survey work. Design work should recommence in June when this work has been completed.

#### **Target Milestones**

Planning application: Late 2021

2. Commence works on site: Mid 2023

3. End Date: Late 2024.



## **New Monks Farm - Shoreham-By-Sea**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

The project is to develop a strategic employment and housing growth centre in Shoreham. Its main components are: (a) The provision of a new and improved signalised 6-arm junction on the A27 which will unlock housing and employment space by allowing access to and from the wider area and the specific development sites; (b) The building of 600 new homes and 10,000m<sup>2</sup> employment floor-space at New Monks Farm.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** New Monks Farm Development Ltd, Highways England, West Sussex County Council (WSCC) and Adur District Council (ADC).

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £5.70m

Total Public Funding £5.7m

Total Private Funding £144m

Total Funding £150m

#### **Outputs**

- 1. A £150 million capital investment;
- 2. The delivery of 600 new homes, 30% of which will be affordable;
- 3. 876 gross new jobs;
- 4. £2.8m in public sector receipts from council tax revenues, new homes bonus and new business rates; and £11.5m additional annual GVA to the Adur economy

#### What happened in the last period?

There has been no update for quarter January to March 2021. Ther last report is as follows:

ADC, WSCC, and developers finalised the S106 agreement and planning decision letter was issued on 06/02/2020

Works continue on site on flood drainage, remediation, and ground preparation works for the development.

#### **Target Milestones**

Commence On Site: Spring 2020

**Delivery of New Junction to the A27**: December 2022

**Completion of Development:** December 2028



## Plus X – Brighton



#### **Aims & Objectives**

The 'Plus X' seven storey innovation hub is a U+I Plc concept, a model they have delivered successfully elsewhere. As a key element of the comprehensive mixed-use redevelopment it provides a unique, high quality workspace model, tailored to the unique needs of Brighton's creative and entrepreneurial businesses, particularly those designing and making physical products. It aims to be somewhere inspiring, functional, sustainable and flexible in its design. It is an innovative provision of shared workspaces and facilities that promote collaboration and facilitate serendipity. The shared spaces range from events spaces to prototyping labs, meeting rooms and cafe/break out spaces, something that will attract both small and larger tenants.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Brighton & Hove City Council (Delivery Body), U+I Group Plc (Developer) and University of Brighton (together the partners in the overall mixed-use development across the combined sites).

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £7.7m

Total Public Funding £0.00m

Total Private Funding £12m

Total Funding £19.7m



#### **Outputs**

Contractual outputs: 4,645m<sup>2</sup> of new employment space, 500m<sup>2</sup> of high specification prototyping labs/workshops, 107 onsite jobs, £5.427m of match funding.

Non-contractual outputs: 300 other jobs, £250,000 follow-on investment, 99 businesses supported.

#### What happened in the last period?

Plus X remained operational with reduced capacity due to COVID-19 and the need to ensure a safe and secure working environment. Covid has impacted memberships but the management team continues to promote the facilities and is confident that numbers will pick up as conditions improve. The Brighton Research Innovation Technology Exchange (BRITE) programme is up and running and taking members. BRITE is a business innovation programme for ambitious and established businesses primarily based in the Coast to Capital Local Enterprise Partnership region. The project completed the fit out of the BRITE floors creating additional space for SMEs on flexible short-term licenses as well as video conferencing and podcasting facilities, and meeting rooms. Work on the wider development continued to progress well. The student blocks on Preston Barracks have been completed, cladding works to early phase residential blocks is underway, and construction of the final residential blocks will commence shortly. The University of Brighton's adjacent development is also at an advanced stage. The main structures of all five student blocks on the Mithras House site were completed and the new academic building is weathertight.

Target Milestones — Complete development End Date: Dec. 2022.

## Railway Quay - Newhaven



#### **Aims & Objectives**

The Newhaven Enterprise Zone (EZ) is a collaboration between Lewes District Council and Coast to Capital LEP that aims to shift the town towards a higher-value economy over the next 25 years. The EZ covers eight key strategic sites (79ha) in a mixture of public and private ownerships, offering a mix of greenfield sites and the opportunity to develop, refurbish and intensify economic activity across a number of brownfield sites formerly used by heavy industry. The focus of the EZ is on growing the emerging 'clean, green and marine' sectors in particular. Over the 25-year lifespan of the EZ, it is estimated that 55,000m² of new commercial floor-space will be created, 15,000m² of existing commercial floor-space will be refurbished. This will create / sustain up to 2,000 FTE jobs.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Lewes District Council.

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £1.5m

Total Public Funding TBC

Total Private Funding TBC

Total Other Funding TBC

Total Funding TBC

#### **Outputs**

New commercial floor-space, job creation and land remediation. Details currently being finalised.

#### What happened in the last period?

Flood defence works on site now completed and negotiations underway with existing tenant re: relocation. Initial masterplan has been prepared and discussions undertaken with potential tenants. LDC has secured £1.3m from the Getting Building Fund to convert the former UTC building into a maritime and sustainable technology hub, offering education / training space and commercial facilities for SME's. Discussions with DfE are ongoing around lease arrangements. This has been augmented by a commitment of £500k from LDC towards the estimated £1.8m project costs.

Railway Quay is progressing, with £500k secured from Towns Fund Accelerated Project Funding to deliver new visitor, community and sustainability facilities, including a café and active travel hub. Planning consent has been granted and work commenced in early March 2021. Target completion is May 2021.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: TBC.





## **Springman House – Lewes**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

The project involves the formation of new fire and ambulance station facilities. The project will deliver modern new premises for both services.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Lewes District Council are the lead delivery body in partnership with East Sussex Fire & Rescue Service (ESFRS), Sussex Police and the South East Coast Ambulance Service.



#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £2.00m

Total Public Funding £4.34m

Total Private Funding £0.00m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £6.34m

#### **Outputs**

By enabling the development of a new blue light facility on the site of Springman House, this project will unlock the £180m North Street Quarter scheme - a major, strategic mixed-use development in Lewes. Relocating the Community Fire Station from its existing premises on North Street, Lewes will enable the delivery of 416 new homes and 13,000m<sup>2</sup> of commercial floor-space, through the £180 million North Street Quarter (NSQ) regeneration scheme, and enable Lewes' "blue light" services to be co-located.

#### What happened in the last period?

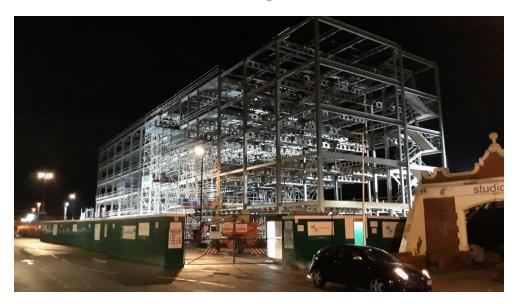
Following the purchase of the site by Lewes District Council, plans have been drawn up with the East Sussex Fire and Rescue Service Sussex Police and the South East Coast Ambulance Service.

NSQL, the majority landowner at the NSQ site, has confirmed that it will sell its land to a third-party developer – Human Nature. On 10th December 2020, the Council's Cabinet agreed heads of terms for the sale of its land to this developer. The Council will now work with Human Nature to understand their plans and timescales for development of the NSQ site, including the fire station.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: Anticipated 2024, subject to Planning.

## **Teville Gate – Worthing**



Teville Gate House Construction 12/12/2019

#### **Aims & Objectives**

Teville Gate (TG) forms part of the Worthing Central Programme (Phase 1) to transform key brownfield sites in Worthing town centre. This project will facilitate the redevelopment of the site by undertaking site preparation works, consisting of the demolition of all buildings within the redline and provision of a temporary surface car park. Thereafter the Council will continue to support the freeholders, Mosaic Global Investments (Mosaic) and Hanson Development to develop out the scheme for office, residential and commercial.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Worthing Borough Council, Mosaic Global Investments, Coast to Capital LEP, Hanson Developments & HMRC, Homes England



#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £2.09m

Total Public Funding £2.0m

Total Private Funding £79m (wider site) £32m (Teville

**Gate House)** 

Total Funding £81.00m

#### **Outputs**

(a) 375 new homes (b) 3,410sqm of commercial floor-space (restaurants, cafes and on-site gym) (c) 6,740sqm of retail floor-space (state of the art supermarket) (d) 493 gross jobs (net jobs 314) (e) Modern car parking infrastructure (over 160 spaces for residents and visitor use) (f) New public realm (approx. 4,000sqm, creating an improved public corridor from Worthing station to the town centre). 70,000sqft office building at Teville Gate House for HMRC.

#### What happened in the last period?

There has been no update for the quarter January to March 2021. The last report is follows:

- 1. Construction commenced on new office building for Teville Gate House and topping-out took place on 01/04/2020.
- 2. Mosaic Capital's planning application was considered by planning committee on 04/03/2020 and resolution to grant permission subject to \$106
- 3. Homes England provided a letter committing to support the project with funding of £6m for affordable homes.

#### **Target Milestones**

Planning Application by Mosaic Determined: March 2020

Main Site Commencement: Spring/Summer 2020

HMRC Office Building Completed: December 2020

## **Union Place - Worthing**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

Union Place (UP) forms part of the Worthing Central Programme (Phase 1) to regenerate key brownfield sites in Worthing town centre. The Council has entered into a land pooling agreement for the site with partners London and Continental Railways (LCR). The partners have prepared a development strategy for the sites which has been approved at JSC. The development strategy could include direct delivery or selling the consented scheme to a developer.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Worthing Borough Council (WBC), London & Continental Railways, Coast to Capital LEP.

#### **Funding**

Total LGF Funding £3.60m
Total Public Funding £5m
Total Private Funding £31.4m
Total Other Funding TBC
Estimated GDV £70m

## Greater Brighton

#### **Outputs**

- 169 New Homes 30% affordable
- 610sgm Commercial Space
- 90 Guest room Hotel
- 3 /4 Screen Cinema
- 1072sqm- Flexible Cultural Space
- 245 Parking spaces

#### What happened in the last period?

- S106 agreement drafted,
- Appointment of Agent to market and dispose of site
- Disposal strategy reaffirmed

#### **Target Milestones**

- Undertaking Marketing of site April 2021
- Review and shortlist developer options Summer 2021
- Appoint preferred developer Summer 2021
- Detailed planning application expected Autumn/Winter 2021

## **Valley Gardens Phase 3 – Brighton**



Proposed scheme

#### **Aims & Objectives**

Simplification of traffic network, provision of 'public transport corridor' to the west with general traffic on the western corridor. Enhanced public realm, gardens and materials throughout. The scheme aims to contribute to improved air quality, safety, accessibity, connectivity, improve efficiency and upgrade signals at junctions. Reduce street clutter and provide enhanced greenspace for public enjoyment.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** C2C Local Enterprise Partnership

#### **Outputs**

Match Funding (BHCC) £1.712m, Local Funding £0.414, Total resurfaced roads - 1,588m, Total length of cycle ways - 670m, Area of land experiencing flooding - 63,866m<sup>2</sup>.



#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £6.00m

Total Public Funding £1.84m

Total Private Funding £0.0m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £7.84m

#### What happened in the last period?

The third public consultation exercise for Valley Gardens Phase 3 has completed in late 2020, which will inform the detailed design stage.

Following a tendering process that completed in late 2020 through the council's new Transport Professional Services Framework the next stage of the scheme design commenced in January 2021.

It is now planned for the detailed design of the scheme and the construction contract procurement will be completed by end of this calendar year.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: Autumn 2022

## Western Harbour Arm – Shoreham-By-Sea



Proposed scheme

#### **Aims & Objectives**

A new flood defence wall and cyclepath to be constructed in Shoreham adjacent to the A259 on Brighton Road where the flood defence is at its most vulnerable point for flooding. ADC purchased a 3.5m strip of land off Sussex Yacht Club through grant funding from Coast 2 Capital LEP. The sale of the land would enable the yacht club to build a new club house and allow the council to demolish the redundant club house where the new flood wall will be located.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** Adur District Council (ADC), Environment Agency and Sussex Yacht Club, Shoreham Harbour Partnership.



#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding: £3.50m

Total Public Funding: £1.14m

Total Private Funding £0.00m

Total Other Funding: £0.00m

Total Funding: £4.64m

#### **Outputs**

- Flood defence scheme to protect residents and businesses
- Cycle path
- New yacht club for Shoreham.

#### What happened in the last period?

- New Sussex Yacht Club building completed
- SYC served notice to vacant redundant Yacht Club in April
- Demolition contract being procured

#### **Target Milestones**

- Demolition of redundant Yacht Club June 2021
- Commencement of Flood Defence construction Summer 2021
- Completion Summer 2022

## **Newhaven Flood Alleviation Scheme**



#### **Aims & Objectives**

Build physical infrastructure to provide protection from tidal flooding up to a 1 in 200 year event for 431 homes, 390 businesses, rail and road infrastructure and in addition facilitate regeneration and development under the auspices of the Newhaven Enterprise Zone.

#### **Key Facts**

Delivery Partners: Environment Agency, Lewes DC, Coast to Capital LEP, South East LEP.

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £3.00m

Total Public Funding £14.50m

Total Private Funding £0.00m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £17.50m

#### **Outputs**

3km of flood defences on the east and west banks of the River Ouse comprising concrete walls, earth embankments, sheet steel piles, flood gates.

#### What happened in the last period?

The majority of works are now completed, making use of scheduled rail possessions in December 2020 and March 2021. However, due to restrictions, work was not fully completed on power cable relocations. The project team is continuing to work with Network Rail, with a view to completing this additional work via a further rail possession in June 2021.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: June 2021



## **Port Access Road - Newhaven**





#### **Aims & Objectives**

Construction of a new road into Newhaven Port.

Comprising approx. 650m of new road, including a new 3 span bridge over the Newhaven to Seaford railway line and Mill Creek, and associated landscaping/environmental works.

#### **Key Facts**

**Delivery Partners:** East Sussex County Council.

#### **Funding (all years)**

Total LGF Funding £10.00m

Total Public Funding £13.27m

Total Private Funding £0.00m

Total Other Funding £0.00m

Total Funding £23.27m

#### **Outputs**

Construction of the Newhaven Port Access Road from the Pargut roundabout to the Port roundabout, unlocking new employment land at East Quay within Newhaven Port.

#### What happened in the last period?

Construction commenced early January 2019 and was substantively complete by end 2020. The road is not yet open, due to the need to construct two short link roads to different areas of Newhaven Port. These are being funded by the Port operator. Work on the northern link road has now commenced and is expected to be complete by Summer 2021.

#### **Target Milestones**

End Date: Mid 2021