MANYDOWN

shaping a place, creating a community

Weaten St Lawrence

Wanthe Road

Pack Lane

## **BDAPTC** Manydown briefing

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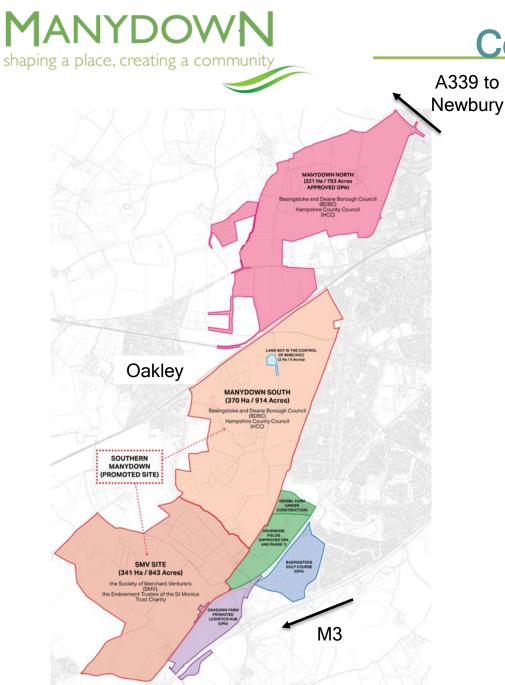
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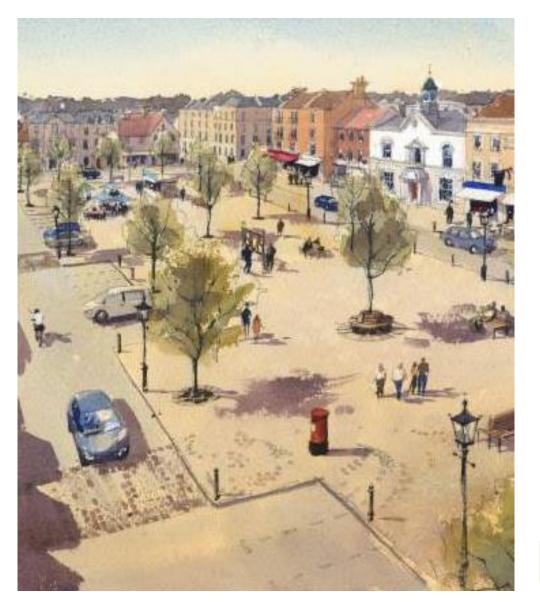


## Councils' Manydown land

- Acquired in 1996 in recognition of its potential strategic importance
- 834 ha. (2,042 acres)
- Recognised under the Government's Garden Communities programme
- Vital role in addressing housing need



## Vision of Manydown (2014)



- Developed through a technical master planning programme and engagement with councillors.
- Sets out the councils' aspiration to make Manydown a great place to live and work, with environmentally-friendly homes and good public transport and walking and cycling links.

manydownbasingstoke.co.uk/vision



## The ten principles (2016)

Through engagement with the public and councillors, the following ten principles were developed for Manydown:

Good neighbours: connections, mobility and new possibilities

Economic vitality: a place to work as well as to live

Unique identity: beauty, coherence and diversity

Better together: engagement and strong partnerships

Fit for the future: resilience, adaptability and environmental sustainability

Places and spaces for community life

Long-life economics and stewardship

Our ambition: a place of excellence

Homes and opportunities for all: a place to start and a place to stay

Valuable and valued greenery everywhere





# New community in Manydown North



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## **Outline planning application**

- Submitted in March 2017
- Four rounds of public consultation
- Resolution to grant in July 2020

#### **Proposals included:**

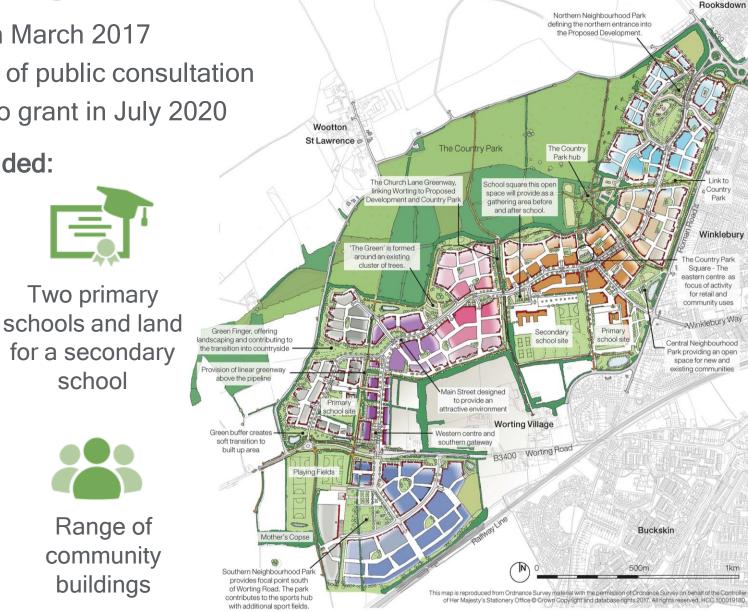


Up to 3,520 homes



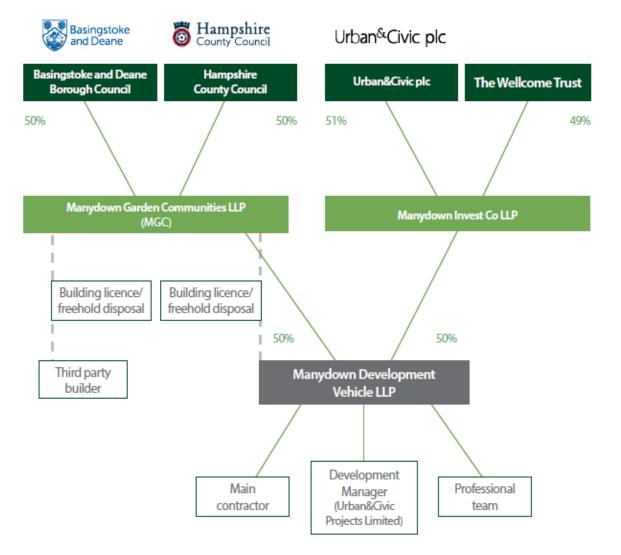
250-acre countryside park







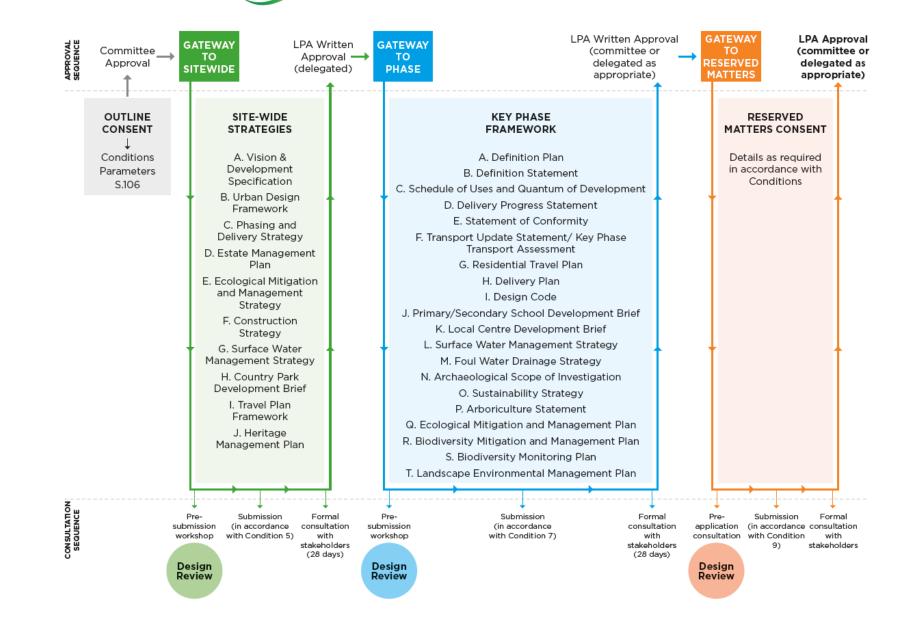
## **Development** partnership



- Contracts signed to form
  Manydown Development
  Vehicle LLP in July 2020
- Brings together the councils with master developer Urban&Civic, backed by global charity the Wellcome Trust
- The new partnership is responsible for taking forward the community
- Operational delivery and community engagement for the new community are led by Urban&Civic on behalf of the partnership

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## **Planning Strategy**





## **Emerging first phase**



## **Progress update**



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#### Activity on site

- Preparatory surveys have been taking place
- Start on site with infrastructure works next year

#### **Community and communications**

- Dedicated brand Manydown Life
- <u>https://manydownlife.co.uk/</u>
- Register for regular e-newsletter updates
- Ongoing updates to local parish and community groups



Joint Local Plan promotion of the Manydown South (including the wider Southern Manydown)



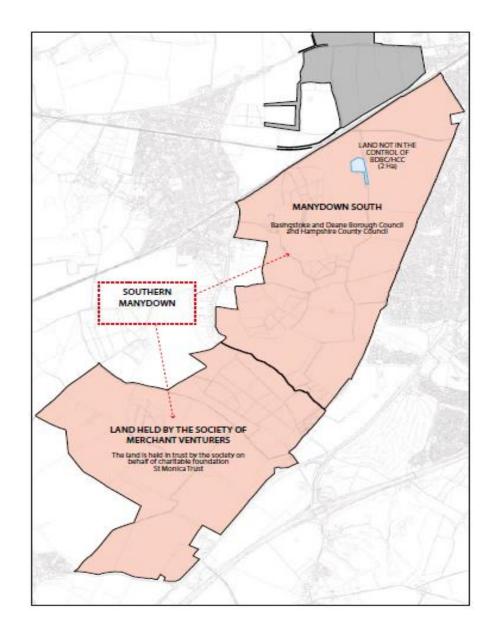
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## Joint master planning

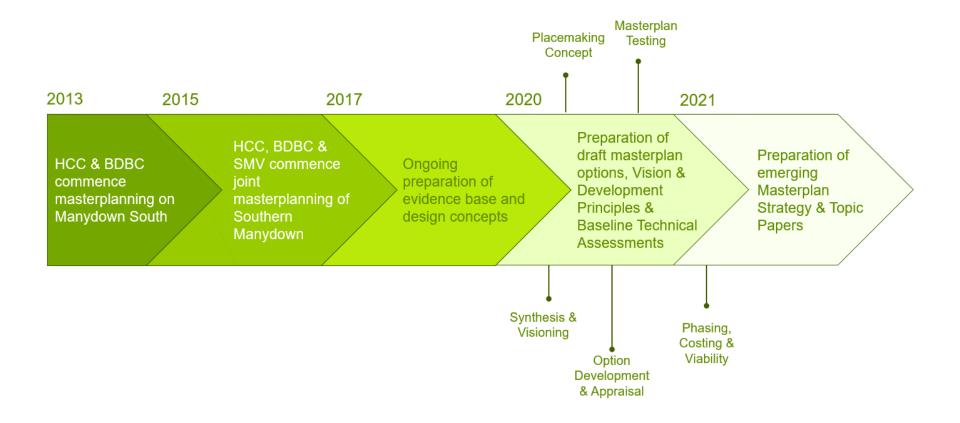
#### Southern Manydown

- Councils are now considering how their Manydown land to the south could be brought forward over the next 30 years
- Jointly promoting land for allocation alongside the Society of Merchant Venturers as an adjacent landowner for the proper planning of the area
- Focus on providing key infrastructure and responding to the climate emergency
- Regionally significant facilities, including a potential new hospital and health care campus





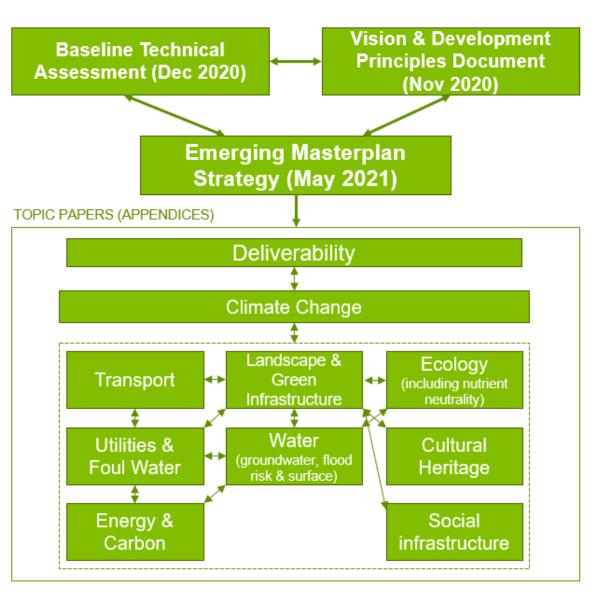
## Work carried out to date





## Evidence to date

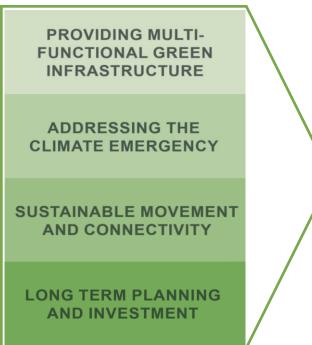
 Emerging Masterplan Strategy and 10 supporting Topic Papers

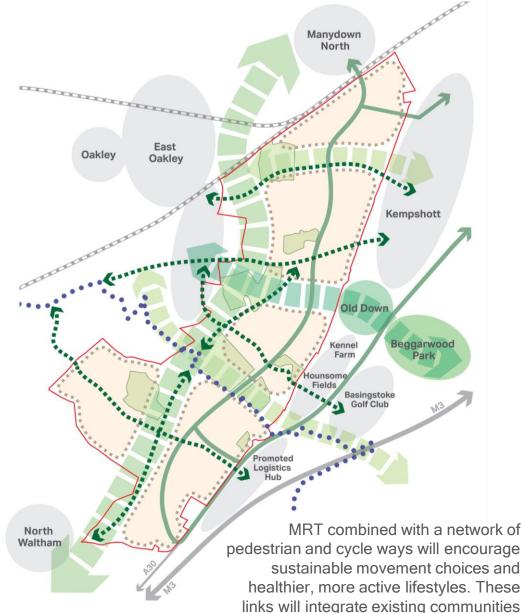




**Emerging vision** 

- The submission to the Issues and Options stage of the Local Plan update set out early thinking around a vision and development principles for Southern Manydown
- The following four vision themes are being explored:



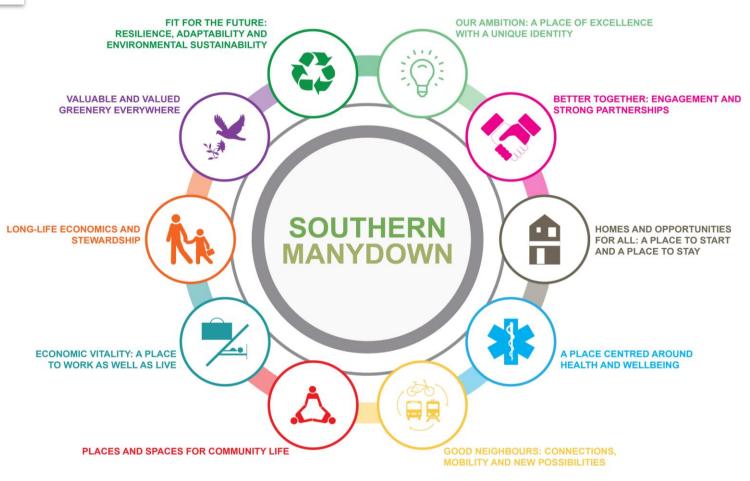




## **Emerging principles**

The ten principles

In considering how the 10 principles might be applied at Southern Manydown, they have been evolved to reflect a greater focus on responding to the climate emergency and healthy living while ensuring their continued alignment with the original principles





### **Evolving Masterplan**





## **Delivery** benefits





8,600 homes

19,400 population



A mix of district and local centres





53 ha. health campus



Countryside corridors, green links and mature woodlands

Walking and cycling connected to transport interchange with MRT system

Employment zone

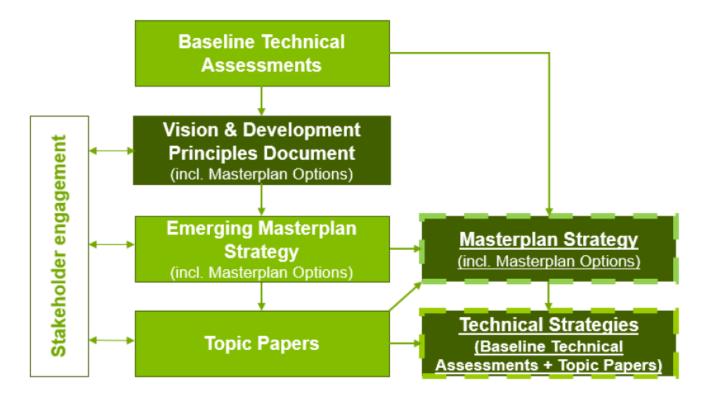


Urban farm and heritage park



Next steps

- Preparation of Ambition document (for winter 2022)
- Ongoing stakeholder and community engagement
- Refinement of options
- Additional technical work in preparation of Reg 18 consultation (due 2023)





## Thank you and any questions?

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