

## Statement of Community Involvement November 2010

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'List of wants'	<ul><li>Open</li></ul>	<b>Planning</b>	Week,	June	2010
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## **Community Masterplanning Workshop**

'Wants' – Community Masterplanni Workshop	ing Response
Pubs	Provided in the Exemplar
Public toilets	Under consideration for later phases. Consideration will be given to public use of toilets in the Exemplar – e.g. as part of the visitor centre/eco-pub.
Drop-in centres	Considered for use of community spaces in the Exemplar
Play areas and also parks	Good provision of open space in the Exemplar, and dedicated play areas. Further types of open space for consideration for later phases.
Health and alternative health	
• ICT	Next generation broadband will be provided for the Exemplar
Car clubs, bike clubs	Considered under the Green Travel Plan for the Exemplar
Cemetery / burial ground and remembrance	I garden of Advanced discussions underway with Bicester Town Council cemetery consultant. Will not be delivered within Exemplar phase, but committed for later phases.
Theatre, arts and culture	Potential use of community spaces for these, to be encouraged through community development and governance structures. For further consideration in later phases.
Facilities for older people, inc sheltered and independent ho	cluding Flexible community spaces and suitable social
<ul> <li>Access to history and local in</li> <li>a museum and/or library</li> </ul>	
Spiritual provision	The community provision will provide a multifaith area. Discussions have taken place with local churches. Community centre being built at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in the town centre to link Eco Bicester and the church.
Community bus	Bus links will be provided in the Exemplar. Potential of community ownership to be considered during implementation.
Local shops with local product	

Recycling facilities	Will be provided within the Exemplar.
Cinema	Is being provided in the town centre redevelopment. The Exemplar will be town centre focused rather than provide a rival to it.
Sports space – including formal outdoor space (pitches), a swimming pool and outdoor exercise space	There is informal open space throughout the Exemplar and dedicated space for the primary school provision. The intention is for the primary school to be available for community use outside school hours.
Nursery schools	A nursery will be provided on the Exemplar
Facilities for young people	The use of community spaces will be responsive to the interests of young people. Consideration will be used to flexibility of commercial uses to respond to

## **Community Open Days 'wants'**

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■ Hospital (twice)	NW Bicester is not under consideration for the provision of a hospital in Bicester.
<ul> <li>Post office with full facilities</li> </ul>	Will be provided in the Exemplar
<ul> <li>Bicester Parkway Railway Station</li> </ul>	Not under consideration because of cost and impact on frequency of services.
■ Library and arts centre	A community centre and other community spaces will be provided in the Exemplar. Arts provision will be welcomed and encouraged as part of community centre use. A library building will not be delivered as part of the Exemplar, but access to library provision could be considered through community governance.
Non religious school	Land for a primary school will be provided on the Exemplar. The type of primary school to be delivered has not been yet been agreed.
<ul><li>Schools – primary/secondary</li></ul>	Land for a primary school will be provided on the Exemplar.
<ul> <li>Catholic High School</li> </ul>	A secondary school will not be provided in the Exemplar, but will be necessary to serve the wider development. The type of school has not yet been agreed.
<ul> <li>Non-selective secular state comprehensive schools – primary &amp; secondary</li> </ul>	Land for a primary school will be provided on the Exemplar, but not for a secondary school. The type of primary school to be delivered has not been yet been agreed.
<ul> <li>Supermarket stores i.e. M&amp;S shops</li> </ul>	The Exemplar is town-centre focused. It will provide a 'village store' and some other retail provision. A supermarket is not being considered.

Art exhibition display space	This could be accommodated within the provision of community spaces in the Exemplar.
<ul> <li>Railway station</li> </ul>	Not under consideration because of cost and impact on frequency of services.
<ul><li>Local centre (x2)</li></ul>	This will be provided on the Exemplar to provide local access to shops and services.
<ul><li>Recycling centre (x2)</li></ul>	This will be provided on the Exemplar.
<ul><li>Bus links</li></ul>	This will be provided on the Exemplar.
<ul> <li>Outdoor swimming pool</li> </ul>	This will not be provided on the Exemplar, but will be considered in the wider development.
<ul> <li>Cycle and walking links</li> </ul>	These will be provided in the Exemplar and given priority status as means of transport.
<ul> <li>Community centre &amp; youth activities</li> </ul>	A community centre will be provided, and youth activities will feature within community development.
<ul><li>Allotments (x2)</li></ul>	These will be provided in the Exemplar.
<ul> <li>Dog free play areas</li> </ul>	A variety of play areas will be provided in the Exemplar. These could be dog-free.
<ul> <li>Green areas/trees</li> </ul>	There is over 40% open space in the Exemplar, not including private gardens.
<ul> <li>Improved sports centre/swimming pool</li> </ul>	This will not be provided on the Exemplar, but sports provision is being considered for later phase. A full sports centre is unlikely to be delivered, however.
Surgery (x2)	A GP consulting room will be provided on the Exemplar.
<ul> <li>Skate board park</li> </ul>	This is not provided on the Exemplar, but can be considered for later phases.
<ul> <li>Convenience store</li> </ul>	This is being provided on the Exemplar
<ul><li>Small shop</li></ul>	This is being provided on the Exemplar
<ul> <li>Woodland/green burial</li> </ul>	This is not being provided within the Exemplar but is committed within the wider development.
<ul> <li>Supermarket</li> </ul>	This is not being considered for NW Bicester.
Post office with easy parking	There will be a post office on the Exemplar. There will be some parking near the retail provision, but non-car travel is being prioritised.