

Appendix 11: Local Strategic Context

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<p>NBBC Corporate Plan 'Delivering our Future' 2019 – 2031</p>	<p>Vision</p> <p>'By 2021 we shall achieve the greatest improvement in quality of life and social justice in Warwickshire, providing value for money services in a safe and pleasant environment.'</p> <p>The Aims of the Corporate Plan are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To improve the quality of life and social justice for residents so it is much closer to that enjoyed by the rest of Warwickshire • To provide a pleasant environment for those living, working and visiting the Borough. • To work in partnership to reduce the level of crime and disorder so that the community is and feels safer. • To provide quality services which represent value for money. • To provide quality services which represent value for money.
<p>NBBC Transformation Plan 2019</p>	<p>The vision</p> <div data-bbox="353 884 654 1114" data-label="Image"> </div> <p>Warwickshire County Council (WCC) and Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council (NBBC) are working together to deliver the transformation of Nuneaton town centre, by implementing mixed-use regeneration for boosting economic growth.</p> <p>The vision is to transform Nuneaton into a prosperous town centre. A town where people choose to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • live – with high quality, easily accessible town centre housing and a strong and diverse leisure offer; • do business – with excellent transport connections and high-quality office space for all entrepreneurs; • shop – with a mix of national, independent and specialist retailers; and • visit – through the creation of high-quality public realm and enhancing the heritage and cultural opportunities.

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	<p>Our ambitions</p> <p>Culture and leisure - We will develop a thriving cultural and leisure offer. This will be anchored with a cinema and restaurants to enhance the current offer.</p> <p>Residential offer - A new residential offer within the town centre will be created. There will be excellent connections to employment and leisure opportunities. This supports the new leisure and retail offer.</p> <p>Economic base - There will be a new economic base for business opportunities from the growth of Horiba-MIRA Technology Park and Bermuda Park employment site.</p> <p>Connectivity - To create new and improved heavy rail links to enhance connectivity in the North/South corridor (NUCKLE). This includes direct links to Birmingham, London, Manchester and Leicester.</p> <p>The programme is a strategic package of projects to deliver this vision over the next 10 – 15 years in partnership with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nuneaton and Bedworth Borough Council • Coventry and Warwickshire Local Enterprise Partnership • West Midlands Combined Authority
<p>NBBC Borough Plan 2019-2035 (adopted June 2019)</p>	<p>The Borough Plan sets out a vision and a framework for the future development in the area, addressing needs and opportunities in relation to housing, the economy, community facilities and infrastructure, as well as being a basis for safeguarding the environment, adapting to climate change and securing good design.</p> <p>The Borough Plan has made provision for 14,060 new homes within the Borough by 2031. These will be distributed across 12 identified housing sites. The largest proportion of new housing will be built on the strategic sites of north of Nuneaton (HSG1) and Arbury (HSG2). The Council is utilising a stepped trajectory delivering a target of 502 dwellings per annum 2011 – 2018 and 812 dwellings per annum 2018 – 2031.</p> <p>It will seek to provide employment opportunities that will support the diversification of the borough’s economy and improve job opportunities for residents. This will include providing additional employment land that is attractive to investors.</p> <p>It will ensure that all new development and investment contributes to a significant improvement in infrastructure and facilities that serve the borough. This includes improved access to existing facilities, particularly the borough’s two town centres and major leisure and community facilities (e.g. Bermuda, George Eliot Hospital, the colleges and Pingles and Bedworth leisure centres). It will also create and improve networks that increase opportunities to walk and cycle to a range of facilities, and that this will contribute towards safe, healthy and stronger communities.</p>

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Nuneaton and Bedworth Sustainable Communities Plan 2007 – 2021 (refresh 2014 – 2019)	<p>A Sustainable Community Strategy (SCS) is the long term vision for the area that provides the framework for all partners to work together to achieve. Our Vision is that: “In 2021, Nuneaton and Bedworth will be a place with strong, vibrant communities where everyone has access to opportunities, choices and high quality services”</p> <p>In 2013 the LSP identified three strategic priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Priority 1: Health• Priority 2: Economic Growth• Priority 3: Education Attainment and Aspirations <p>By combining the three LSP priorities with the information emerging from the Big Survey and Community Forums the LSP has agreed to deliver it’s activity across three theme headings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Healthy People• Vibrant Economy• Active Communities <p>Theme 1: Healthy People Our Aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To tackle Health inequalities• To increase physical activity levels• To reduce Alcohol related Harm <p>Theme 2: Vibrant Economy Our Aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To increase skills, employability and raise Aspirations• To support the local economy <p>Theme 3: Active Communities Our Aims:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To develop strong and safer communities• To give everyone the opportunity of living in a decent, affordable home• To develop community and voluntary organisations

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<p>Place based JSNA's for Nuneaton Central, Bedworth West and Bedworth Central and Bulkington wards (2018 – 2020)</p>	<p>Warwickshire County Council is embarking upon a programme to develop place-based Joint Strategic Needs Assessments (JSNAs) to identify the health needs of local areas across the county.</p> <p>These are very detailed reports and can be accessed at http://hwb.warwickshire.gov.uk/jsna-place-based-approach/ (Wave 1)</p> <p>Nuneaton Central is included in Wave 1. A summary of this report can be found in the NBBC SOPG report September 2020.</p> <p>Bedworth Central and Bulkington reports are due in 2020.</p> <p>As a result of work in Wave 1 some common themes and issues have been identified in all areas, these include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Access to transport, in particular for those in rural areas • Housing and homelessness • Communications and information sharing • Single Point of Access (SPA) to improve the accessibility of support • Mental health services, risk of suicide and self-harm • Services and opportunities for young people and children • The needs of older people and an ageing population • Support for carers and young carers • Deprivation and inequality • Rapid population growth
<p>NBBC Infrastructure Delivery Plan 2017</p>	<p>The Infrastructure Delivery Plan (IDP) defines what infrastructure is required to support development and outlines who provides it. It identifies the current baseline of provision, any existing issues, standards and shortfalls along with what changes and schemes are currently planned. The IDP includes a delivery schedule of projects for the Borough.</p>
<p>NBBC Playing Pitch Strategy 2016</p>	<p>The strategic recommendations for the Strategy have been developed from the key issues cutting across all playing pitch sports and categorised under each of the Strategy Aims. They reflect overarching and common areas to be addressed which apply across outdoor sports facilities and may not be specific to just one sport. The key aims and recommendations are set out below; there are in addition, detailed recommendations for each pitch sport and each site.</p> <p>AIM 1 - To protect the existing supply of playing pitch facilities where it is needed for meeting current or future needs</p> <p>Recommendations:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Protect playing field sites through local planning policy b. Assist in securing tenure and access to sites for high quality, development minded clubs, through a range of solutions and partnership agreements c. Maximise community use of outdoor sports facilities where there is a need to do so.

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	<p>AIM 2 - To enhance outdoor sports facilities through working in partnership with others to improve the quality and management of sites</p> <p>Recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Maintain the quality of pitches and improve where appropriate.b. Adopt a tiered approach (hierarchy of provision) to the management and improvement of sites.c. Work in partnership with stakeholders to secure community funding.d. Secure developer contributions. <p>AIM 3 - To enable the provision of new outdoor sports facilities where there is current or future demand to do so.</p> <p>Recommendations:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Seek to address the quantitative shortfalls in the current pitch stock.b. Identify opportunities to add to the overall pitch stock to accommodate both current and future demand.