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Bracknell BID have appointed Partnerships for Better Business Ltd to manage and deliver the projects for the BID.

pfbb UK is one of the largest independent consultancies in the UK which specialises in the development and delivery of BIDs and place management strategies.



## The BID Team

Bracknell BID is project managed by Partnerships for Better Business Ltd (pfbb UK) a BID Delivery management company.



Sean Griffin BID Manager



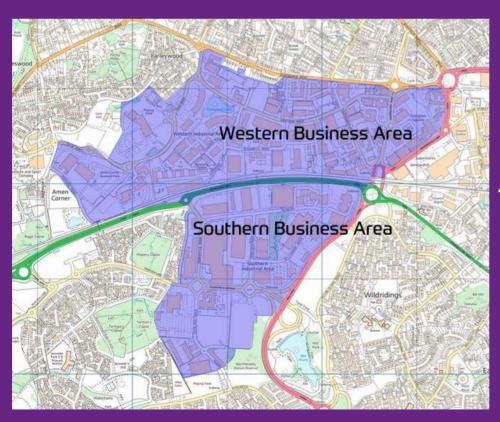
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The BID area







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## **Bracknell BID Objectives**

The BID Business Plan will be delivered through two strategic objectives and their related projects.

# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

Provide a great infrastructure and a smart working environment for businesses to operate and people and services to communicate, access and move around, safely, and effectively.

# Objective 2 Business Growth and Investment

Support businesses in Bracknell to grow, develop and invest by creating a great working environment to operate effectively and attract and retain the best people.



## Projects delivered

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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

Downmill Road – Longshot Lane pathway link





New footpath surfacing and vegetation cutbacks



Fingerposts at each end of link



Footpaths, cycleways and verges







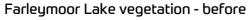
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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

Footpaths, cycleways and verges







Farleymoor Lake vegetation - after



### Defining and Profiling the area



BID funded Welcome signage in Southern Business Area facing Ellesfield Ave, Doncastle Road roundabout



BID funded Welcome Signage at Fujitsu on Lovelace Road in Southern Business Area



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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

**Navigation Signage** 





Navigation signage updates - 'Industrial Area' to 'Business Area'. Funded by the BID. 8 signs completed.



### Oldbury/Downmill road link - Subway mural









After



Unveiling of BID funded mural by James Sunderland MP. (Pictured left to right) Peter Smith – TVBA, Sean Griffin – BID Manager, James Sunderland MP, Sue Pitt – Mural Volunteer, Bob Collis – ESDP

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Before



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

PCSO support



PCSOs – with BID sponsored patrol bicycles. Bases for PCSOs have also been established at Waitrose, Fujitsu and Wickes



## Business Growth and Investment

Crime and Safety - PCSO visits and DISC platform rollout





The BID Team has also conducted business visits with TVP PCSOs across the BID area, facilitating introductions to businesses and developing relationships with the Police.



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

Tidy Days



Community litter picking over two days. 24 participants volunteered over their lunch breaks. Collected 35 bags of litter.







## Business Growth and Investment

Keeping businesses informed – www.bracknellbid.co.uk



BID website – BID business directory



BID website – Exclusive offers

BID website -Weeklu News Articles







BID weekly e-bulletin support, updates and alerts



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

Meet your Neighbour Business Breakfasts



November - Ozone Ice Rink January - Printroom Group





March - 329 Bracknell









## Business Growth and Investment

Staff health and welfare – 5k running route



BID funded 5K healthy walk/run route map. Displayed on display lecterns at key points along the route



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

Healthy walking route – display lecterns installed





## Business Growth and Investment

#### Fitness Sessions with a Personal Trainer



5 BID funded lunchtime fitness sessions conducted in January/February. Further sessions in Spring TBC



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

### BID funded brickwork cleansing







Stairwell graffiti - after



## Business Growth and Investment

### BID funded installation of new benches











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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

Four BID funded defibrillators installed











## Business Growth and Investment

### Defibrillator map and awareness session





Defibrillator map and leaflet

Defibrillator awareness session for businesses



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## Projects in progress

### **EV** Charging



The BID is working with ESDP and Bracknell Forest Council to facilitate electric vehicle charging throughout the BID area.

Key:

Highlighted in Orange: Confirmed sites that already have EV Charging devices Highlighted in Purple: Proposed sites for EV Charging devices



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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

### Wayfinding scheme



The BID Team is developing a wayfinding strategy for the BID Area composed of wayfinding monoliths and fingerposts at key points, including entry points and highly trafficked pedestrian areas.



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### Lighting



Mill Road adjacent footpath/cycleway proposed lighting columns



Easthampstead Road proposed lighting columns

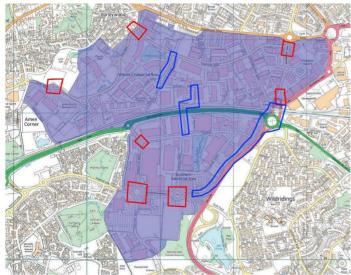


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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

Crime and safety – CCTV and intelligence sharing



Opportunities for ANPR (red) and CCTV (blue) coverage around BID. Currently exploring options

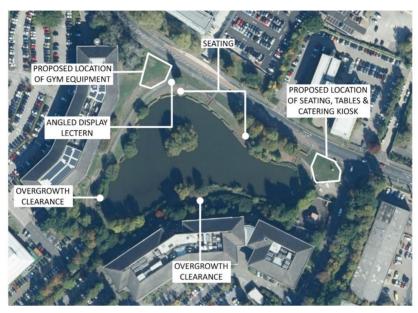


Introduction of Disc system, online information-sharing system for crime reduction



## Business Growth and Investment

#### **Pocket Parks**



Farleymoor Lake, Western Business Area



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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

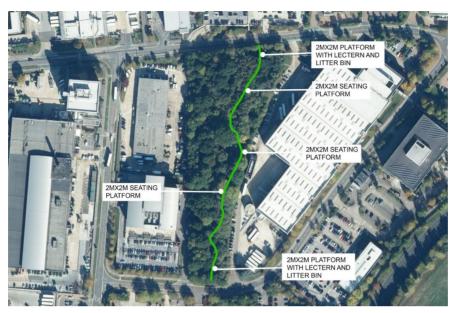
Pocket Parks – Information Panels





## Business Growth and Investment

#### **Pocket Parks**



Opportunities in Wildridings Copse, Southern Business Area



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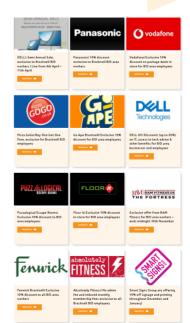
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## **Objective 2**

## Business Growth and Investment

'I Work' Bracknell BID Loyalty Card





Launching in Spring with variety of discounts exclusive to Bracknell BID workers



## Business Growth and Investment

### 'Know Your Neighbour' Evening Event











To sign up for the Bracknell BID **'Know your Neighbour'** Evening Event scan the







Join us for our flagship annual evening event of the year!

sizes based in the Southern Business Area.

During this event attendees will be:

Offered a complimentary glass

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with other businesses.

Enjoy a welcome and BID visual

presentation from the BID Manager.
Given an insightful presentation from
Waitrose & Partners about their
business and their 50-year historu in

Given an opportunity to host an exhibition stand to showcase their business (exhibition stand spaces are limited, if you're interested in exhibiting, please register via the QR code, stand spaces will be issued fort zone fort spaces.

Offered a chance of winning a prize upon attending/exhibiting at the

Representatives from many of the BID area's small and large businesses alike will be in attendance and this event will help to facilitate key relationships with one another for inter-trading opportunities.

Pre-booking is essential – a light buffet



If you can come for any amount of time to exhibit or attend, let the BID team know by registering through the QR codes provided or by emailing enquiriespatracknellbid couk.



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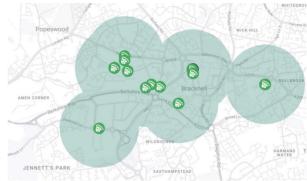


Future projects

### Broadband infrastructure improvement











Exploring options with various broadband infrastructure suppliers – scoping businesses and locations with poor connectivity

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## **Objective 1** Infrastructure

Employee Shuttle Bus proposal



Travel Survey 2022















Exploring options and demand for an shuttle bus service to cater to all businesses in the Southern and Western Business Area



Improved highways grass verges - Western Rd





Improving condition of highways grass verges and illegal parking bollards on Western Road.



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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

Improved access – Longshot Lane





Improved access on Longshot Lane morning and evening commutes, and improving appearance of the estate.



### Sustainable transport and alternatives







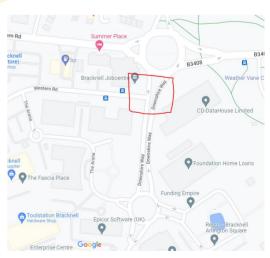
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# **Objective 1**Infrastructure

### Connectivity to the town centre





Investigating viability of pedestrian crossing at Downshire Way adjacent to the Western Road junction.



### **Attracting Inward Investment**







BID looking to encourage further inward investment in the area.



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## Financial management

## BID financial management

### Revenue challenges for a BID:

- High dependence upon the BID levy
- Dependent upon strong working relationship between council and BID
- BID levy receipts typically are not uniform
- Dependent upon recovery administered by Billing Authority – as per BID Regs and Operating Agreement
- Reliance on accurate and timely reporting from Local Authority



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### 6. Finance and Levy Collection

Monitoring report received 6<sup>th</sup> March - figures for 20-21

Total collected to date: £305,645.99
 Amount outstanding: £258,799.71
 Collection rate: 54.2%

Monitoring report received 6<sup>th</sup> March - figures for 21-22

Total collected to date:

 Amount outstanding:
 Collection rate:

 £391,726.07
 £188,054.84
 68%



# Collaboration = benefits for all Any questions?



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