

HELP SHAPE INVESTMENT IN WOOLWICH TOWN CENTRE

The regeneration of Woolwich town centre is a priority for the Royal Borough of Greenwich.

We're making significant investments in the new Woolwich Leisure Centre, refurbishing the much loved Tramshed Theatre and restoring historic buildings in the Royal Arsenal to create the Woolwich Works arts hub.

Over £20 million funding has been secured from the government's Future High Street Fund and from Historic England for more improvements in and around the town centre.

This investment will ensure Woolwich is a vibrant and attractive place to live, work and shop, with excellent transport links, community facilities and public spaces.



We want your help to shape these projects
*- and make sure we all get the town
centre that we want and can be proud of.*



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WOOLWICH TOWN CENTRE

We're planning major improvements around Beresford Square, Powis Street, Hare Street and the surrounding areas and gateways that lead into Woolwich.



Past discussions and engagement have told us that residents, businesses and market traders want to:

- ◆ see improvements to the **look and feel** of the town centre while preserving Woolwich's unique character
- ◆ encourage a diverse **mix of uses** on the high street including new businesses, creative workspaces and events
- ◆ make it easier to get around within the town centre, creating **better connections** between the market and high street with the riverside, the Elizabeth line station, the Arsenal and surrounding neighbourhoods
- ◆ improve the look of **shop fronts** and find **new uses for old buildings**
- ◆ encourage more people to **shop, eat and socialise** in the town centre
- ◆ provide more **trees and planting**
- ◆ make Woolwich more **resilient and flexible**



We want to talk to local residents, businesses and community groups about how to deliver these improvements.



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BERESFORD SQUARE

Space in Beresford Square is underused and offers a range of potential new opportunities. We want to celebrate the history of the square, attract more customers to the market and preserve the Royal Arsenal Gatehouse as a heritage asset



Improvements could include:

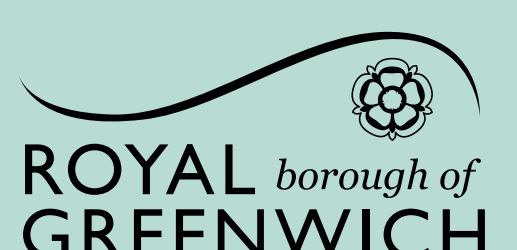
- ◆ installing better street lighting
- ◆ repaving the square and making the levels more even
- ◆ improving the layout of the market and providing new and better facilities for traders
- ◆ building a new Market Pavilion including new public toilets, supporting use of the market all year round
- ◆ celebrating the Royal Arsenal Gatehouse, providing additional useable space and introducing new uses on the ground floor
- ◆ adding new artwork and information about Woolwich's rich history
- ◆ providing more seating, trees and planting

WE WANT TO HEAR WHAT YOU THINK:

- ◆ What do you like and dislike about the square now?
- ◆ What would make you visit the square more often and stay longer?
- ◆ What have you seen in other public spaces that could work in Beresford Square?
- ◆ Should we have space in Beresford Square for other activities like events?



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POWIS STREET

Powis Street is one of the key shopping areas in Woolwich town centre and it would benefit from a range of improvements. We want to create an attractive and accessible environment for people to shop, eat and socialise.



Improvements could include:

- ◆ restoring shop fronts to showcase the historic character of the area
- ◆ repaving Powis Street
- ◆ adding new artwork and information about Woolwich's rich history
- ◆ installing better street lighting
- ◆ providing more seating, trees and planting

WE WANT TO HEAR WHAT YOU THINK:

- ◆ What do you like and dislike about Powis Street now?
- ◆ What would make you want to visit Powis Street more often and stay longer?
- ◆ What have you seen on other high streets that could work on Powis Street?
- ◆ How would you like to see Woolwich's history represented on Powis Street?



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KEY GATEWAYS AROUND WOOLWICH TOWN CENTRE

There are a number of different areas that lead into the town centre which could be improved.



We can improve connections between the market and high street with the riverside, the Elizabeth line station, the Arsenal and surrounding neighbourhoods, to encourage more walking and cycling. We can also take the opportunity to make these gateways more attractive and celebrate Woolwich's historic character.

Improvements could include:

- ◆ adding new artwork
- ◆ improving pedestrian crossings
- ◆ installing better street lighting and signage to help pedestrians and traffic

WE WANT TO HEAR WHAT YOU THINK:

- ◆ How do you feel when you come into Woolwich town centre now?
- ◆ Where do we need new signage?
- ◆ Where do we need new lighting?
- ◆ Where do we need to improve crossings?
- ◆ Have you seen examples of public art in other places that could work in Woolwich?



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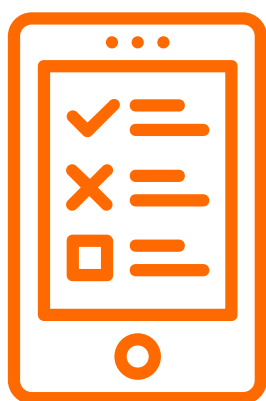
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HAVE YOUR SAY

You can get involved in a number of different ways:



Visit **consultations**.
royalgreenwich.gov.uk
to answer a short survey



Visit one of our **pop-up events**:

- ◆ Thursday 10 March, 5pm to 7pm outside Woolwich DLR train station
- ◆ Wednesday 16 March, 11am to 2pm on Powis Street
- ◆ Monday 21 March, 11am to 2pm on Beresford Square



Sign up for a **night walk** on Thursday 17 March, from 6pm to 7.30pm



Register to take part in one of our online workshops:

- ◆ Saturday 19 March, 10am to 12pm
- ◆ Tuesday 22 March, 6pm to 8pm



Visit royalgreenwich.gov.uk/woolwichregeneration for full details of events and to sign up



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