

## Delivery and Funding Plan Summary

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### Delivery and Funding Plan Executive Summary

The masterplan presents a vision that is transformational, aspirational, and delivers place and people based outcomes, but also critically one that is pragmatic and provides a flexible framework for delivery. Integral to the vision is the maximising the potential of underutilised assets such as the station undercrofts, and the identification and unlocking of deliverable development parcels within a highly constrained site, to be able to deliver value to fund the station redevelopment works in addition to the wider public realm and community benefits.

Development is integral to the masterplan vision through:

- · Its interface with the public realm
- · Providing address and activation of key routes and spaces
- Supporting benefits of new jobs and skills, affordable workspace and community amenities
- Delivering value to fund the station redevelopment and wider community benefits.

This chapter provides an executive summary of the potential funding mechanisms and high level delivery principles which support the masterplan vision.

The concept designs shown here are indicative only and have been worked up to demonstrate the potential opportunity for development to come forward around the station - to provide activation, complement improvement works and new public realm, and to provide value to invest in the important infrastructure improvements identified in the masterplan. They have not yet been subject to modelling, testing or assessment against planning requirements, have not been assessed or approved by the Local Planning Authority, or undergone stakeholder engagement, and will require more detailed development, consultation and assessment as part of the evolution of potential proposals.

#### **Potential Funding Mechanisms**

There are four basic approaches to the delivery of the schemes at Waterloo. These are:

- Sell off site in current condition and without planning permission. A variation on this is to sell the site once a planning permission has been secured.
- Development partnership
- Joint venture
- Self-develop.

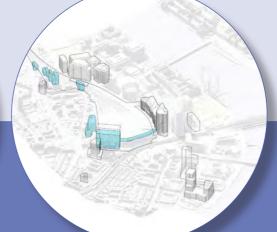
Typical risks and returns associated with these vary from selling the site (least risky but with least financial reward) to developing them on their own (most risky but with greatest potential financial reward). Our initial assessment is that the most appropriate option for Network Rail is either a development agreement or a joint venture partnership. These two approaches are most likely to reflect the balance of risk tolerance and the potential financial reward/development control that the landowners around Waterloo require.

There are potential ways of securing additional funding tied to future tax related receipts. These for example could include prudential borrowing tied to rates receipts such as income associated with the enabling development. While there is the potential to generate significant funds through such mechanisms they are likely to require central government approval. Care is also needed to define and reach agreement on sharing of risks between parties.

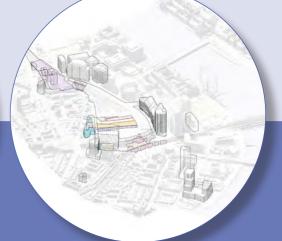
There is also the potential of tapping in to transport-related grant funding. We recommend that further work is carried out considering the transport benefits of the Waterloo station improvements and how these could link in to transport and regeneration related funding sources.



Pipeline Development Potential
Emerging development pipeline and future
levelopment potential proposed by others across
the Waterloo and South Bank area. Inclusion of
massing does not confirm planning status.



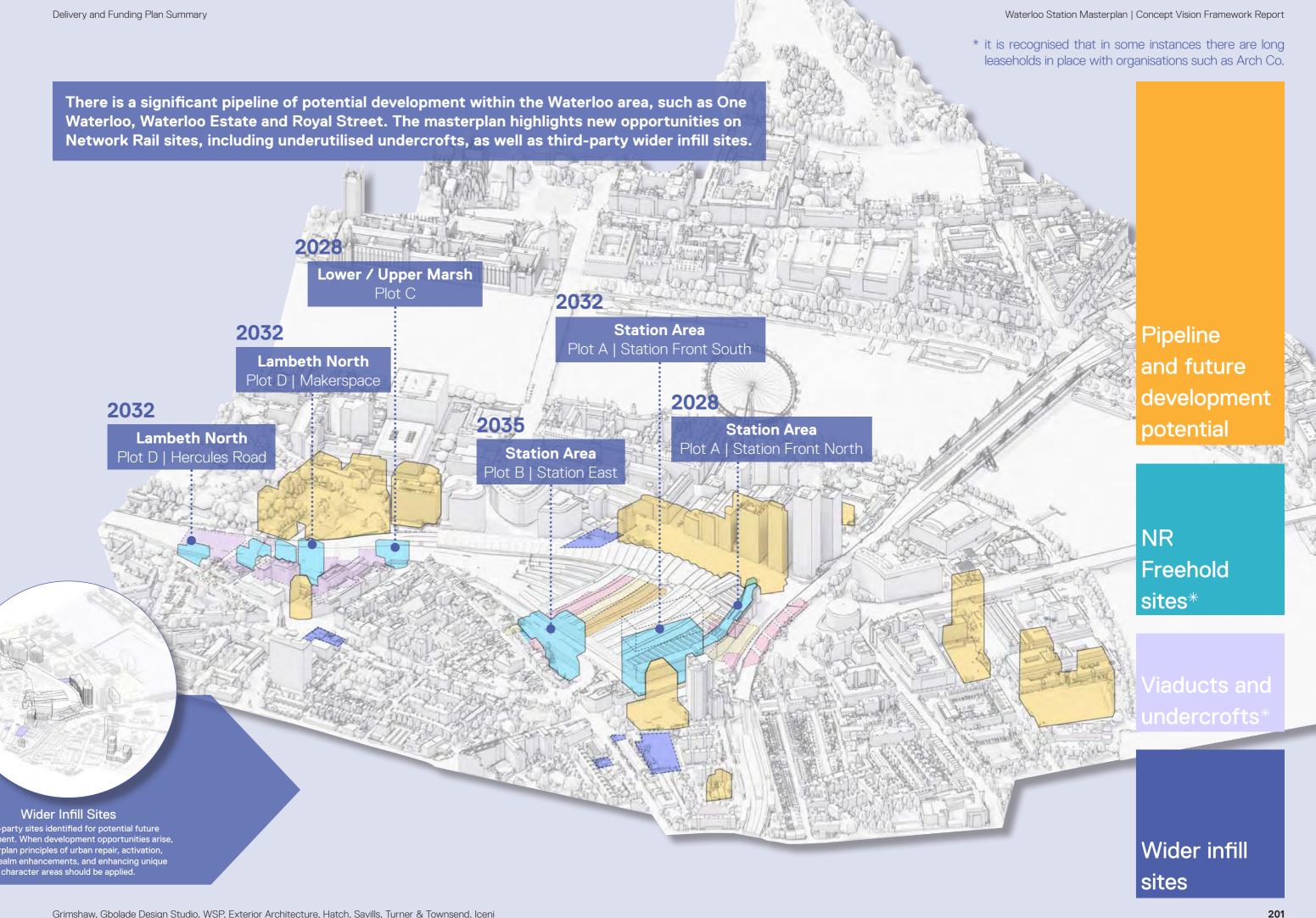
NR Freehold Sites\*
4 sites identified - Station Front, Station East, Lower/Upper
Marsh and Lambeth North. Sites need to be brought forward
with a balance of public realm & development. High level
indicative quantum illustrated to support masterplan viability
and delivery appraisal. Massing to be developed at next stage.



Viaducts and Undercrofts\*

Opportunities to maximise the potential of underutilised assets, providing key activation, connectivity, revenue generation, amenity and workspace benefits.

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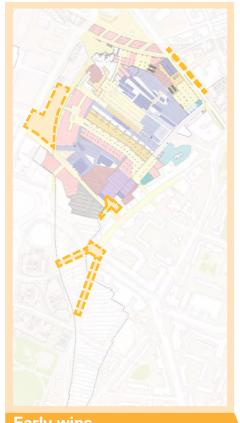


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#### **Vision Timeline Principles**

To support the delivery and funding plan, a series of high level timeline principles were established for the masterplan proposals. The delivery sequence considers the interrelationship between workstages, station and development proposals, however the opportunity exists for variation in response to changing market conditions and the emerging development pipeline - both currently in flux.

At this stage, the overall delivery sequence of the masterplan is indicative only and will require reassessment as the design progresses.

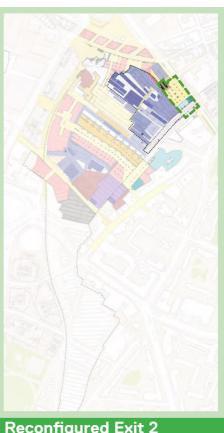


Early wins

Lower / Upper Marsh & Carlisle Lane



**Development Quick Wins** Plot A - Station Front North (mansard roof) Plot C - Lower / Upper Marsh



Reconfigured Exit 2



Plots A & D Plot A - Station Front South Plot D - Lambeth North



Cab Road Bus & Taxi Interchange, Pedestrianised Cab Rd & Mepham St. Expanded northern concourse, New Mepham St entrance



connection to Mepham St Plot B

Plot B - Station East (Spur Road)



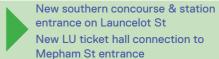
Site surveys & technical studies



Enabling works



New bus & taxi interchange Pedestrianised Cab Rd & Mepham St & new Mepham St entrance



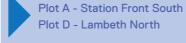
Plot B - Station East (Spur Road)



Leake Street gateway & connection into The Sidings Waterloo Road footpath improvements Lower / Upper Marsh & Carlisle Lane - Lighting, signage & artwork



Heritage trails, art routes and health & wellbeing routes Supporting meanwhile uses



Meanwhile uses programme to mitigate construction & development site

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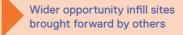


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Royal Street

Waterloo Estate, One Waterloo - Unknown timeline Wider opportunity infill sites brought forward by others



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#### **Quick Win Opportunities Summary**

A series of quick wins have been identified through the masterplan and community workshop process that could be delivered in the short-term across Waterloo. Examples of each quick win are captured on the adjacent map, and these are expanded on in detail across the vision report. These should be discussed with the community and local partners at future stages to understand key priority projects, available funding opportunities and costs.

#### CONNECTIVITY

- 1 Leake Street Gateways Entrance improvements to enhance east-west connections
- 2 Upper Marsh and Carlisle Lane Connections Lighting and wayfinding improvements to strengthen underpass routes
- 3 Brad Street and Wooton Street Public Realm Improvements as part of Low Line onward connections
- 4 Eastern Residential Estates to Lower Marsh Connections Public realm and greenery enhancements to strengthen links
- 6 Area Wide Holistic Cycle Parking Study Working to create a thorough baseline of need, explore centralised versus decentralised parking and create concept designs for any cycle and personal mobility parking.

#### **PUBLIC REALM**

- 6 Cab Road and Mepham Street Pedestrianisation Buses, taxis and service vehicles removed to improve public realm
- Spur Road Landscaping (Partial) Green infrastructure and public realm improvements to heavily trafficked portions of road
- 8 Waterloo Road Pavements Widening, de-cluttering and greening to major public route
- Emma Cons Garden Delivery of design scheme (by others)
- **Lower Marsh Gateway** Public realm improvements to provide high-quality gateway for orientation, wayfinding and identity
- Westminster Bridge Road Cycle Infrastructure Improved cycled routes as part of Lambeth Healthy Routes
- 12 Meanwhile Usage Greening Projects

#### LOCAL ECONOMY AND CULTURE

- Improved Public Realm and Wayfinding to South Bank 'In-between Spaces' Partnering with cultural institutions to connect 'in-between spaces' e.g. Theatre Avenue and similar parallel streets, with South Bank and the Spine Route to form a coherent public realm
- 14 Implementation of Art and Heritage Trails Such as 'Women of Waterloo'
- Meanwhile Uses of Arches and Undercrofts Such as exhibition and performance spaces, and/ or social and community spaces
- 16 Public Art/Murals for Heritage Trails and Low Line
- Meanwhile Uses for Health and Wellbeing, and Art and Culture Such as to Carlisle Lane or Newham Terrace
- 18 Implementation of Play Space Improvements and Opportunities

#### **SUSTAINABILITY**

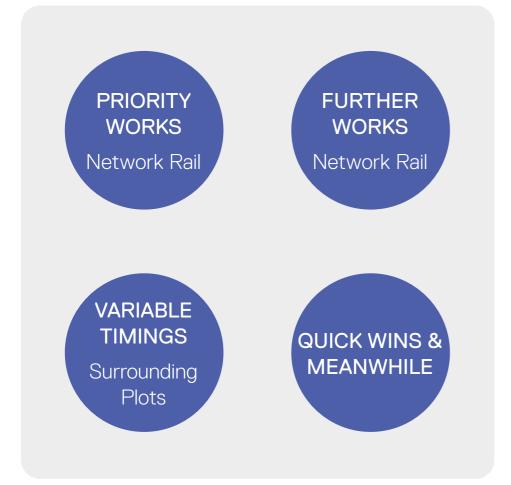
- 19 Freight Consolidation and Neighbourhood Servicing Such as suggested locations for further feasibility study including the sidings by Westminster Bridge Road
- 20 Neighbourhood Tree Planting Implementation
- 21 Sustainable Drainage Systems
- 22 Improved Planting and New Food Growing for Estates



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#### **Station Area Phasing Sequence Principles**

The following diagrams illustrate high level sequencing principles in relation to the proposed station works. A more detailed construction methodology would need to be considered at the next design stage.



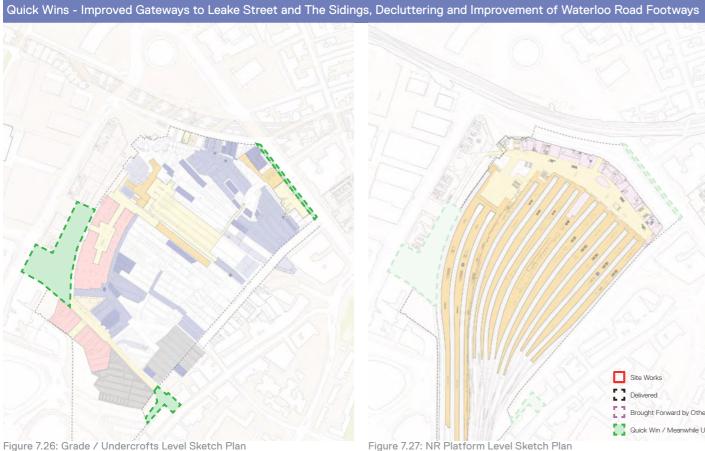


#### **Key Masterplan Considerations**

- Station severs communities (physically, socially, economically)
- Vehicle dominance, air quality, health inequality impacts
- Uncoordinated, piecemeal approach to pipeline/projects
- Exacerbation of station congestion issues, accessibility, wayfinding, resilience and interchange issues
- Lack of resilience to respond to future trends and developments in passenger usage & urban context

#### **Constructibility Considerations**

 Baseline scenario for Waterloo Station Masterplan



#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- · Quick wins look to mitigate existing challenges in relation to station thresholds. E-W and onward connectivity
- Early win of Upper/Lower Marsh plot improves wayfinding, safety and activation across southern Waterloo area



#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- · Quick wins and meanwhile uses can be phased in subject to other constraints.
- · Quick wins look to mitigate existing challenges in relation to station thresholds, E-W and onward connectivity
- · Leake Street gateways to support E-W connectivity
- · Connection into The Sidings
- · Waterloo Road de-cluttering & widened footpath resurfacing
- · Lower/Upper Marsh & Carlisle Lane lighting, signage and artwork

#### Priority Works - Enabling Works for Northern Servicing

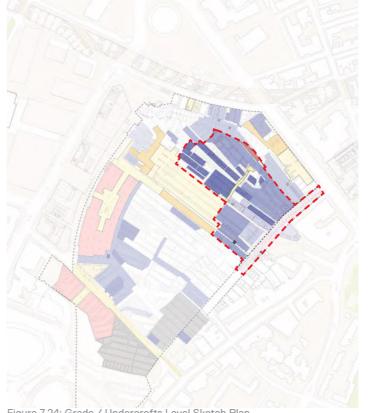


Figure 7.24: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- · Rationalises servicing strategy, reducing FoH movements
- · Unlocks new development plot for jobs & funding of wider improvements
- Enables station & public realm improvements



#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- · Comprehensive survey of entire station as a precursor to the enabling works will be required.
- · This includes (but not limited to) topographic survey, cable tag and trace, asbestos surveys, ground and structural investigations, baseline noise monitoring, etc.
- · Enabling works will identify and move services and infrastructure out of the way for the forthcoming main works and is an essential part of the masterplan works.
- · It is noted that enabling works (and subsequent works) can be very disruptive within a live station environment and works need to be phased so it minimises disruption to passengers, retailers, and operations of trains.

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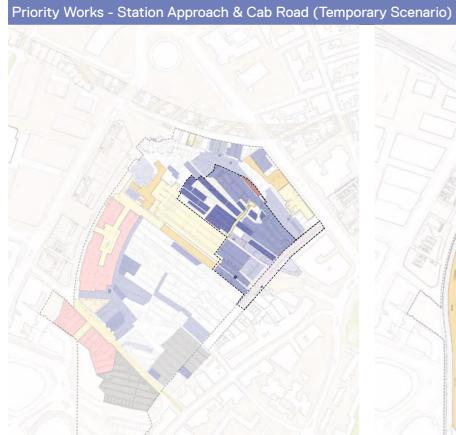
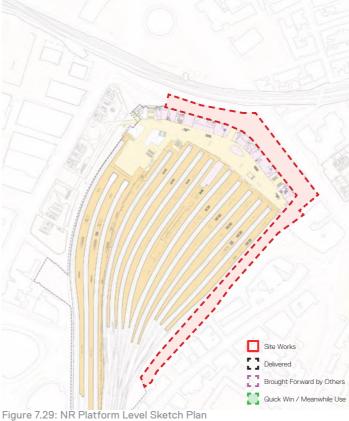


Figure 7.28: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

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#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- The works on Cab Road are required to provide temporary access whilst other works are occurring
- Taxis and buses will need to be diverted to other areas whilst these works are ongoing
- The interface with the Waterloo & City underground station and line will need to be managed throughout.

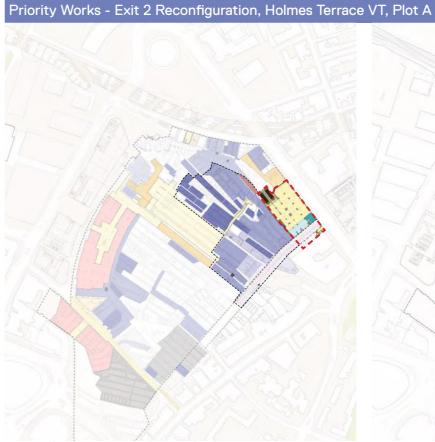
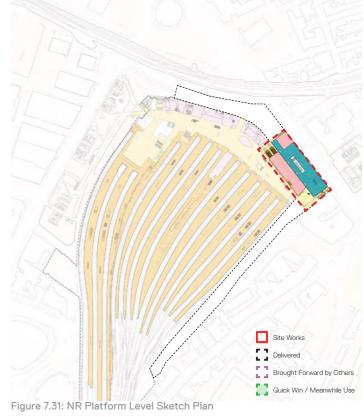


Figure 7.30: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- Addresses current issue of congestion in JL ticket hall
- Addresses congestion in NR suburban platforms
- Increases accessibility, capacity and resilience of NR & LU
- Improves passenger experience and interchange
- Increases permeability of station frontage & provides new routes north-south & east-west across area



#### Constructibility Considerations

- This phases addresses Exit 2, however in order to do so, passengers will need to be diverted elsewhere
- As most passengers typically are heading for the Jubilee line station, a series of alternative routes will need to be provided in and around the station
- This may also include diverting passengers to nearby Southwark, Westminster, Waterloo East Stations, and local bus services
- This phase will be very disruptive to passengers due to the volume of people wanting to use the Jubilee line and therefore careful consideration and planning is required



Figure 7.32: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- · Clarifies wayfinding & multi-modal transport strategy by providing new taxi & bus interchange
- · Increases volume of high-quality public realm space & welcoming green infrastructure
- · Improved access, safety and activation to Lower Marsh via landscaped connection to enlarged exit 1



Figure 7.33: NR Platform Level Sketch Plan

#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- · This phase completes the works to the eastern side of the station
- · This phase will require demolition of buildings adjacent to the station and the Waterloo and City Line.

#### Priority Works - Northern Concourse Expansio, Mepham St Entrance & Pedestrianisation, Waterloo Road

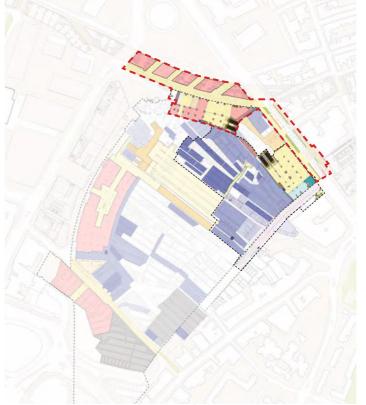


Figure 7.34: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- · Significantly improves passenger experience, capacity, resilience & multi-modal interchange between NR. LUL & buses
- · Significantly improves entrance, accessibility & wayfinding to NR station & LU ticket hall
- Fundamentally addresses issues with station civic presence & vehicular dominated threshold
- · Significantly increases quantum of high-quality public realm space whilst providing new routes north e.g. to South Bank



#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- This phase introduces the works to the north of the station
- · It is noted that along with Exit 2, this area is very heavily trafficked by passengers heading into the city and local public transport links
- Appropriate diversions will be required
- It is recommended that Exit 2 is reopened before the works in this phase are commenced
- · It is noted that this will add pressure to the expanded Exit 2 in any case.

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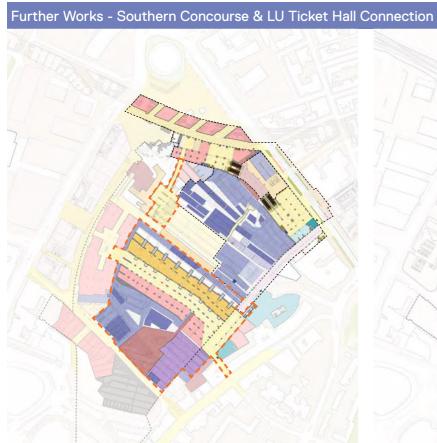
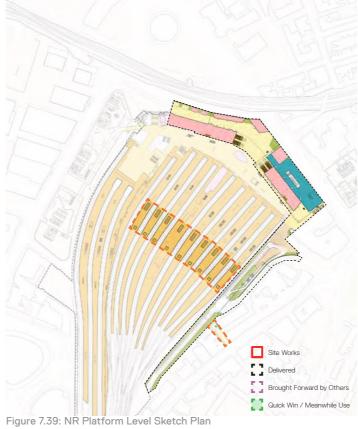


Figure 7.38: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- Provides key E-W connection and onward routes to the south, stitching station into street network, reducing journey times and increasing footfall
- Addresses current issue of congestion on platforms highlighted in Low-Covid 2050 PED modelling
- Responds to future demand from emerging communities to the south, addressing lack of distributed station entrances, onward connections, wayfinding, increased accessibility & capacity



Constructibility Considerations

- New southern concourse will provide better east-west and onward connectivity southward, increase footfall to Lower Marsh & The Sidings, whilst also reducing pressure & congestion on the northern concourse
- Vertical transportation will need to be constructed on the platforms so an element of platform closures will be required
- As a minimum it is recommend an entire island platform (or part of a platform) is taken out of use
- Construction trains can be used to extract spoil and bring in materials and plant, thus avoiding using the main station concourse or other areas used by passengers
- Taking over a platform will require modifications to train service patterns and a slightly reduced service
- If only a part of a platform is taken out of use, there is the possibility of running shorter trains onto that platform, minimising disruption for passengers

# Further Works - Plot B Development

Figure 7.40: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- Unlocks new development plot for jobs & funding of wider improvements
- Provides activation, civic presence, green infrastructure and footfall to Lower Marsh & Spur Road



#### Constructibility Considerations

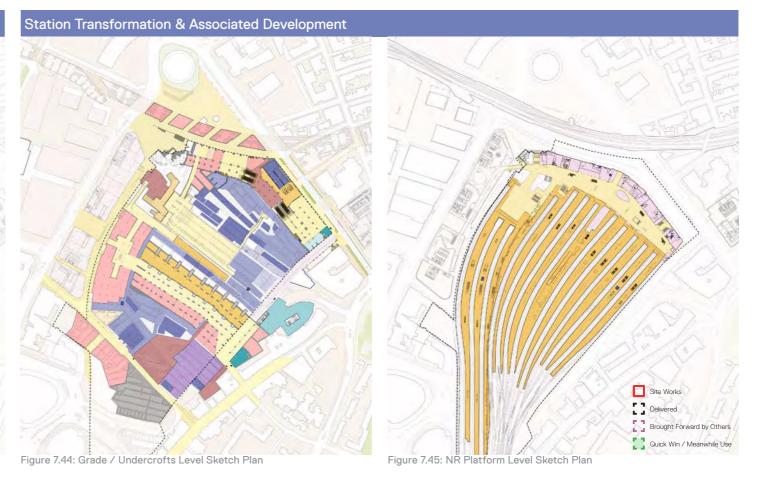
 This phase builds out the new development on Plot B, including demolition and usage reallocation of existing buildings.



Figure 7.42: Grade / Undercrofts Level Sketch Plan

## Site Works Delivered Brought Forward by Others Quick Win / Meanwhile Use

Figure 7.43: NR Platform Level Sketch Plan



#### Key Considerations & Interdependencies

#### Imax Peninsularisation

- · Imax Peninsular public realm scheme dependent on Waterloo Road improvements.
- Mepham Street pedestrianisation scheme not dependent on Imax Peninsula bus interchange strategy. Existing route 243 bus stops/stands on Mepham Street reliant on relocating stops to Waterloo Road and stands to south as per Chapter 05 of vision report only.

#### One Waterloo

- If Cab Road/Mepham Street pedestrianisation brought forward before One Waterloo development, Victory Arch Square required to be implemented to make coherent public realm.
- If Southern Concourse brought forward before
   One Waterloo development, quick-win of improved
   pedestrian access to The Sidings required to be
   implemented to make coherent public realm.

#### **Key Masterplan Benefits**

- Unlocks new development plot for jobs & funding of wider improvements
- Large volume of public realm & activation improvements integrated into consenting and proposed schemes

#### **Constructibility Considerations**

- Pipeline works around the station to be delivered by others can be phased in as appropriate.
- Primary constraint will be volumes of construction traffic for the other elements and space to build along with any highway and utility diversions.

· 2035 station transformation and associated development









