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Our aim is to

- provide a focus for engaging with our community,
- to develop a vision for and deliver actions to improve Galashiels and
- create a more vibrant, welcoming and confident community.
- how we got here and where and how do we go forward from here





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FOUR CLUSTERS ONE GOAL

Introducing A Driving Force For Change

Community projects

A few examples:

- Galashiels Heartlands of the Borders
- Floral Gala
- Trishaw
- Gala Remembers
- Property Transformation Grants







Community events

A few examples:

- Monthly Heartland Market
- Community Arts Project
- Maroon'd
- Tangled Fibre Festival
- Town Awards











Murals

- Flying Scotsman
- Braw Lads
- Weave the Magic
- Sir Walter Scott
- Shepherds Tartan
- Mechanical Flow











Award winning Galashiels





Galashiels – place making and investment

A few other examples of investment in the town:

- Tapestry Building
- Destination playpark, Galashiels Public Park
- Borders Railway (Interchange, change in road layout)
- New Academy campus







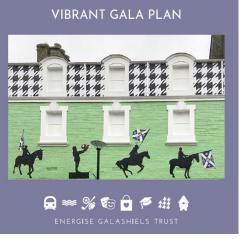
Plans in Galashiels

- Eildon Locality Plan 2016
- Galashiels &Tweedbank Masterplan 2018
- SBC Local Development Plan 2020
- Vibrant Galashiels Plan
- Tapestry Way Study 2022











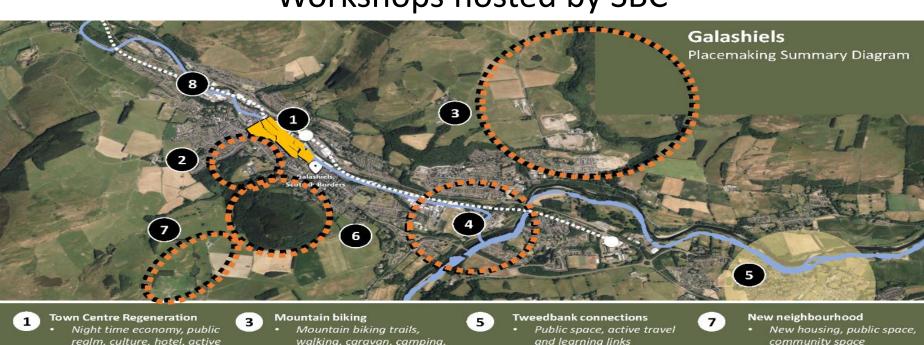


Developing a Town Team and Place Plan the story so far -

- Workshops hosted by SBC
- Meetings hosted by EGT
- Public Consultation
- Consultation review
- Current status



Workshops hosted by SBC



- realm, culture, hotel, active travel
- Community campus
 - Culture, learning, food growing, wild space, paths
- walking, caravan, camping, Langlee links
- Regional campus
 - · Cluster learning, sports, Abbotsford, national business
- and learning links
- Gala Hill
 - · Community trails, bike trails, camping, outdoor learning
- community space
- Lade and river regeneration
 - River walks, cycle, active travel, parks, within town wide green network



Meetings hosted by EGT







Public Consultation





Where we are now?



Thank you