MERTON'S NEW LOCAL PLAN

Opportunities for Mitcham

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Why does it matter?

- 1. Identifies sites for development and what will be permitted
- **2.** Identifies sites for protection
- 3. Provides the policies which influence type and design of new development
- 4. Influences how and where development levy is spent

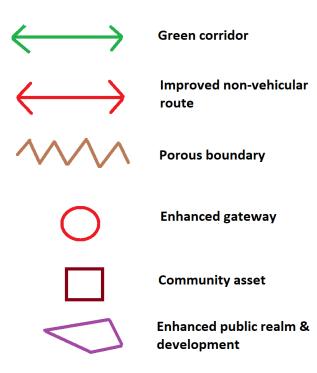
Our plans

- Fourteen development sites
- Three shopping parades
- Six locations to improve public realm or manage traffic
 - Thirteen community assets
 - Four other locations to protect
 - Two employment locations to protect



Benedict Wharf





Local Plan policies

- High design standards
- Houses and streets not flats and blocks
- Support community-led housing
- Protect ponds
- Wandle Valley Regional Park

Investment priorities

- Shopping parades & public realm
- Future of Mitcham Cricket Pavilion &
 Wandle Industrial Museum
- 📲 Better links to Wandle Trail
- Management plans for each of the Town Greens
- Succession planting of trees
- Celebrate world's oldest public railway station & oldest cricket ground

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