

Goldthorpe: Town Square Development Consultation

Goldthorpe has recently been successful in securing a grant from the Towns Fund. Included in the grant is an opportunity to improve the Public Realm by creating a Town Square.

The old Horse & Groom pub is an old building which would be extremely difficult to bring back into use due to the materials used deteriorating in quality over time, and therefore not reaching regulation standards anymore. In addition to this, it has suffered two arson attacks, and has suffered further damage.

For health and safety purposes, it isn't an option to keep the derelict and dilapidated building that was the Horse & Groom as it is. It is extremely run-down, and has become an eyesore, and the area will be much safer to the public once demolished.

However, as part of the demolition process, the sign from the pub, and the original stone that made up part of the walls will be salvaged so that the heritage of the pub can be remembered.

There are a couple of images below to show a few ideas of what could be included in the town square, and we would like to hear your opinion to inform the re-development of the square.



Current Horse & Groom building



Converted containers for pop-up shops / stalls for events



Artist's concept of town square and market



Stepped green area with hard edges supporting natural play and town picnics

Please tick all the features below that you would like to see:

Seating Area

Information Boards Depicting the Site's History

Street Furniture

A History Trail Leading From Welfare Park to the Town Square

Market Facilities

How would you like to see the heritage of the old pub celebrated within the new town square?

Are there any specific uses you would like the town square to be used for?

Do you have any other feedback?

If you would like to be informed of progress, please leave your contact details below.

Name:

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