



Officer Decision Record

1. Subject and details of the matter (to include reasons for the decision)

This ODR is to record decisions in relation to the Garth Lane Waterfront Improvement Scheme including the footbridge colour scheme, a new location for the Fishing Heritage Centre sign, arrangements for the ABP pump station compound, artistic paving details and street furniture, in accordance Cabinet decision DN.70 dated 18th December 2019. All items included within this ODR form part of the C R Reynolds Contract who are currently contracted and are on site delivering the project.

2. Is it a Key Decision as defined in the Constitution?

No. Cabinet delegated authority to take all actions necessary to secure the continued implementation and ultimate completion of the scheme including detailed design changes, including bridge design, planning applications and all ancillary issues arising, to the Interim Director of Economy and Growth in conjunction with the Leader of the Council.

3. Details of Decision

For the Executive Director for Environment, Economy and Resources to approve design details for the Garth Lane Waterfront scheme, following Officer consultation with the Leader on 16th December 2020 as follows: -

Footbridge Colour scheme

Early discussions with the Leader, Portfolio Holders for Regeneration, Skills and Housing; Environment and Transport; and Tourism Heritage and Culture resulted in a desire for a blue bridge deck and a colour scheme which represents the fishing industry and a trawler. Further consultation with the Leader has led to a preference to combine a blue bridge deck with ochre masts and white rails (RAL numbers 5013 Cobalt Blue, 1024 Ochre Yellow, 9003 Signal White - image included in Appendix 1).

New Location for the Fishing Heritage Sign

The FHC sign has been removed and refurbished, it will be repainted to match the mast structure of the bridge and a new position has been agreed adjacent to the

footpath west of the ABP compound (location plan Included in Appendix 1). The planning permission for the relocation of the sign will be submitted once this ODR has been approved.

ABP Compound

ABP are due to undertake improvement works within the pump station compound consisting of upgrading the ramp access and walls / internal balustrade, security door and window upgrades, fascia upgrades and surfacing upgrades.

As ABP has agreed to undertake the improvement works above, which will benefit the scheme and improve the overall appearance of the area, the Garth Lane Waterfront Improvement scheme will fund the replacement of the compound security fence which has an ISPS Security Level requirement. Fence types of this nature are very limited; however, the new fence will be a visual improvement on the existing palisade fence and will provide better screening (image included in Appendix 1).

Artistic Paving

Developed by Our Big Picture through the 'Our Haven' public art project, a wind turbine inspired motif is proposed to be inset into the paving, constructed from a combination of traditional tegula and grey conservation blocks, offset by silver grey channel blocks. Three 1m diameter bespoke stone focal features based on the Grimsby seal will be developed through the 'Our Haven' project (image included on Appendix 1). A decision on the realignment of the footpath is due to be heard at planning committee early 2021.

Street Furniture

Railings, to assist access down to the steps, have been chosen and are included on Appendix 1. It was agreed that benches and bins will be procured to match the new street furniture on Riverhead as and when this is agreed.

4. Is it an Urgent Decision? If yes, specify the reasons for urgency Urgent decisions will require sign off by the relevant scrutiny chair(s) as not subject to call in.

No. Although a decision on these items is required quickly to ensure that the scheme can be completed on time and budget.

5. Anticipated outcome(s)

To record changes to the approved specifications that have arisen during development of the project.

6. Details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the officer when making the decision

Bridge Colour scheme

A black/ochre/white option was presented as an alternative option; however, the blue option was the preferred colour scheme to be taken forward.

New Location for the Fishing Heritage Sign

Four possible locations were presented, the preferred option was chosen as it is a more prominent location.

ABP Compound

The fence specification is an ABP requirement.

Street Furniture

Two options for balustrades were presented. The preferred option was selected as it was felt that the design was more modern and complimentary to the bridge design. The preferred option could also be extended to other areas of the waterfront at a later date, if funding becomes available.

7. Background documents considered

Cabinet on 16th December 2019 DN.70 – TOWN CENTRE REGENERATION – GARTH LANE REDERICK WARD WAY, BRIDGE AND PUBLIC REALM IMPROVEMENTS

The Greater Grimsby Town Deal – Full Business Case

'Unlocking the Potential' Contract Variation – Humber LEP

8. Does the taking of the decision include consideration of Exempt information? If yes, specify the relevant paragraph of Schedule 12A and the reasons

No

9. Details of any conflict of interest declared by any Cabinet Member who was consulted by the officer which relates to the decision (in respect of any declared conflict of interest, please provide a note of dispensation granted by the Council's Chief Executive)

N/A

10. Monitoring Officer Comments (Monitoring Officer or Deputy Monitoring Officer)

The decision is consistent with the delegations of Cabinet as described above.

11. Section 151 Officer Comments (Deputy S151 Officer or nominee)

The approval of the decision will allow the scheme to progress in line with the external funding requirements timeline. Costs will be maintained within the existing budget envelope.

12. Human Resource Comments (Strategic Workforce Lead or nominee)

There are no direct HR implications

13. Risk Assessment (in accordance with the Report Writing Guide)

Financial and Programme: The Humber LEP and Town Deal funding allocation for this scheme is within financial year 2020/21. The decisions above are required to ensure the scheme can be completed within the agreed timescales.

14. Decision Maker(s):

Name: Sharon Wroot

Title: Executive Director for
Environment, Economy and
Resources (Section 151 Officer)

Signed: REDACTED

Dated: 11th February 2021

**15. Consultation carried out with
Leader of the Council:**

Name: Councillor Philip Jackson

Title: Leader of the Council

Signed: REDACTED

Dated: 11 February 2021

**16. If the decision is urgent then
consultation should be carried out
with the relevant Scrutiny
Chair/Mayor/Deputy Mayor**

Name: N/A

Title: N/A

Signed: N/A

Dated: N/A

Garth Lane & Frederick Ward Way

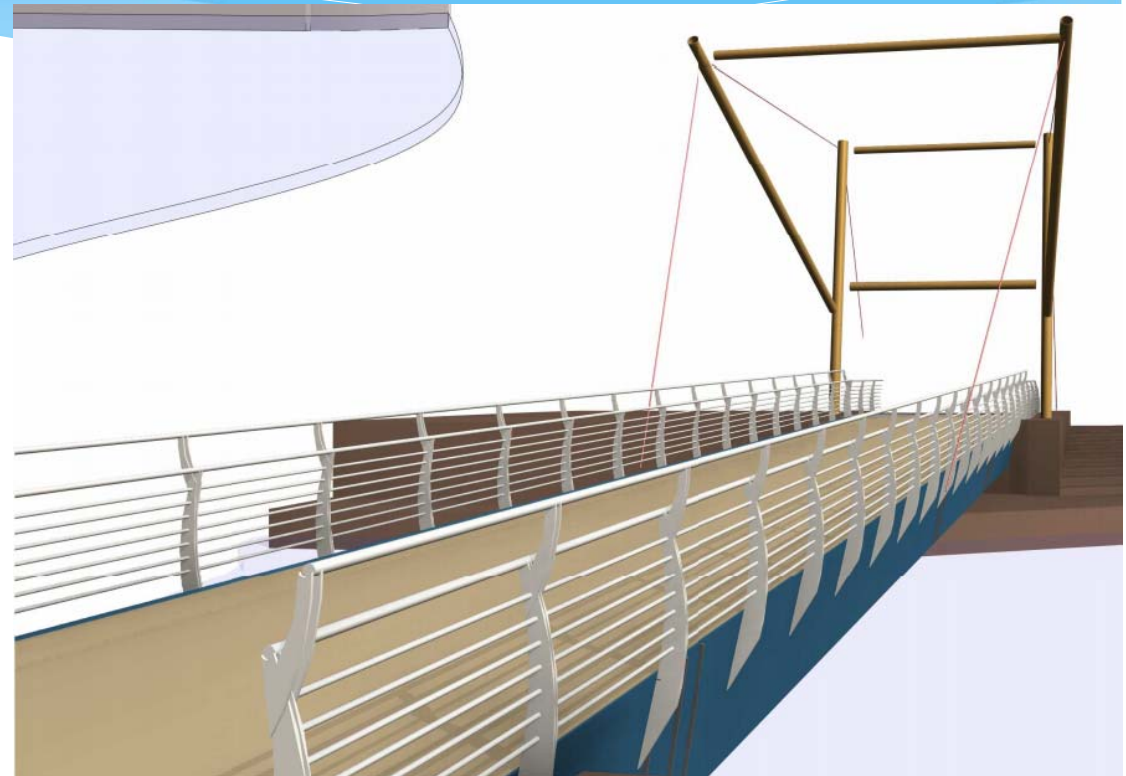
Decisions Required

16th December 2020

Decisions

- * Bridge Colour Scheme
- * Fishing Heritage Centre sign location
- * Railings
- * Artistic Paving
- * ABP compound fencing
- * Benches and seating

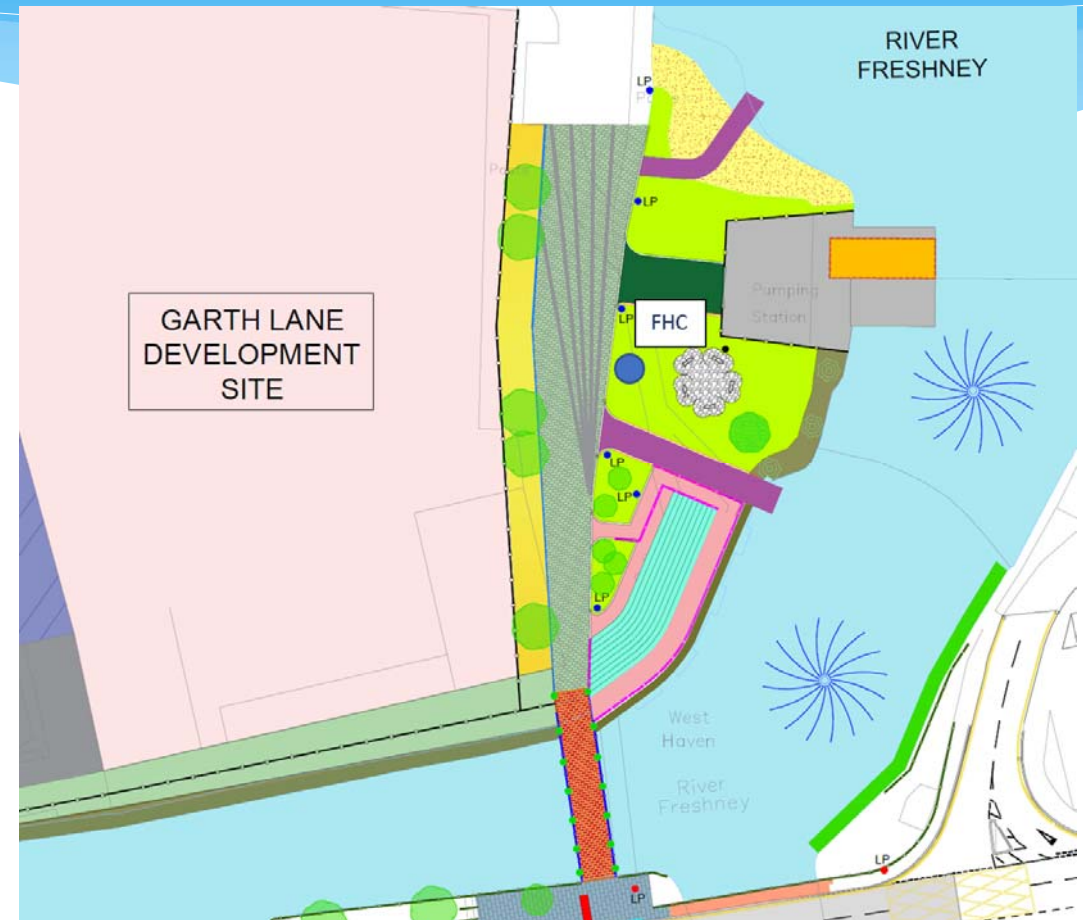
Colour Scheme - Blue/White/Ochre



Fishing Heritage Centre sign location

The FHC sign has been refurbished and is awaiting a new location and a coat of paint

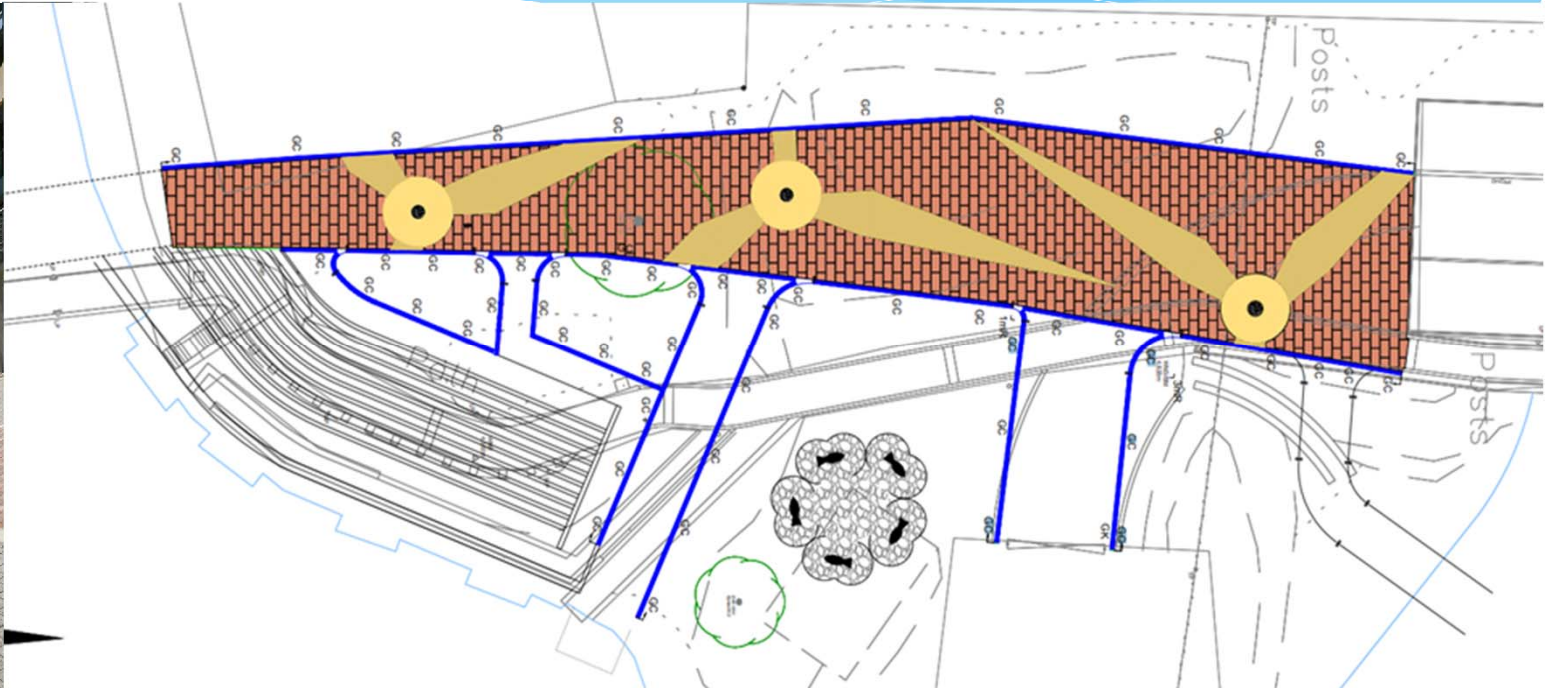
Proposed new location is shown opposite.



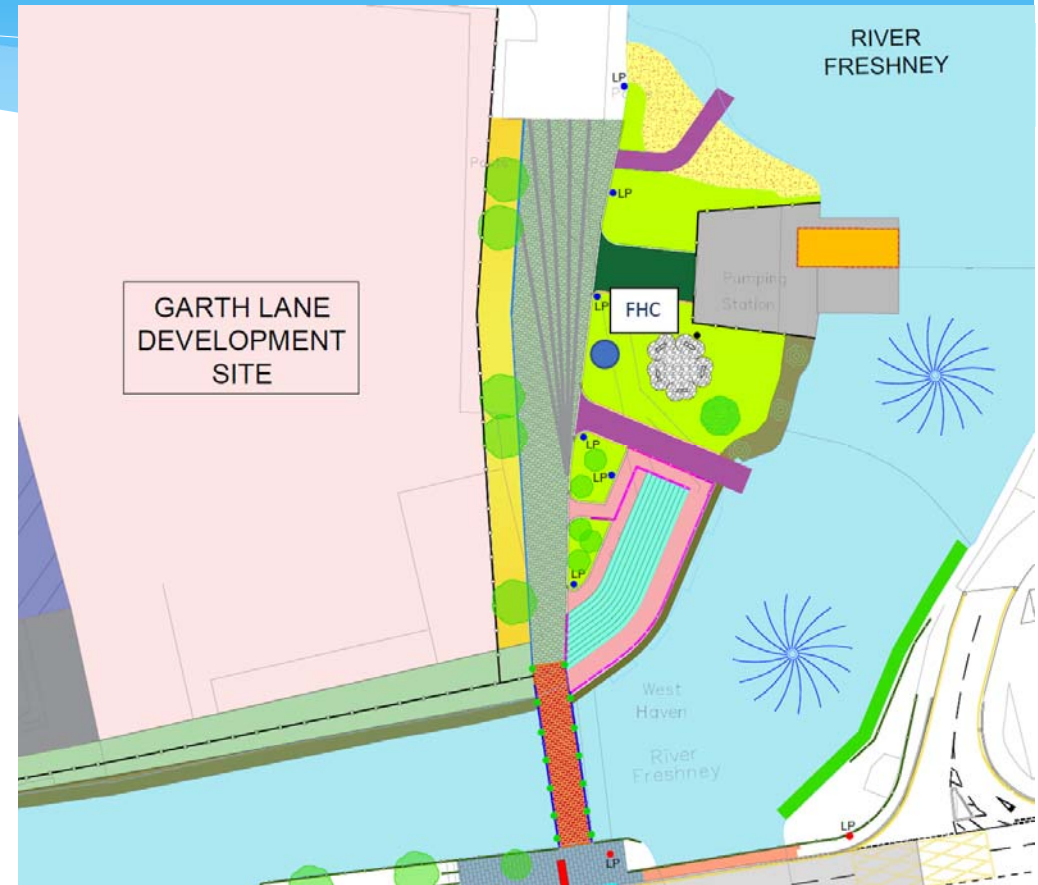
Railings



Artistic Paving



ABP Compound Fencing



Benches and Seating



Similar to proposed for Riverhead

