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Cambridge South East Transport CPCA Transport and Investment Committee November 2020

Objectives

- Support the continued growth of Cambridge and south Cambridge's economy.
- Relieve congestion and improve air quality in South East Cambridge.
- Improve active travel infrastructure and public transport provision for South East Cambridge.
- Improve connectivity to key employment sites in South East Cambridge and Central Cambridge
- Support delivery of the CPCA's CAM network



Strategic Need

- Pressure on transport system from Local Plan and CPIER growth
 - **8,000 additional homes planned** in South East Cambridge.
 - 44,000 additional jobs across Cambridge & South Cambridgeshire
- Local development pressures from residential and commercial development leading to significant pressure on transport system already at capacity
- Existing car mode share and car ownership is high. Future growth expected to generate additional demand – journey times expected to increase by about 50%
- Reflects potential transport investment: CAM, EWR, CSS etc. in line with Government guidance, OBC considers CSET project a stand-alone transport scheme



Project Development

2016

- Public consultation on a range of concepts for public transport improvements and other schemes along the A1307.
- Concepts included busway on a route closer to the A1307 than currently proposed
- Options sifting and scheme development

2017

- •Workshops with LLF to present and refine 200+ ideas including busway via Sawston
- •3 Public transport strategies recommended to Board for Public Consultation – Strategy 1 – off highway public transport route

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• Further assessment of options

•Public Consultation on 3 public transport strategies including Strategy 1

• Of the three strategies – Strategy 1 was the most strongly supported

• Strategic Outline Business Case

•Board recommended to adopt Strategy 1 as preferred strategy •LLF Workshop on Travel Hub locations

2019

• Public consultation on more detailed route and travel hub locations

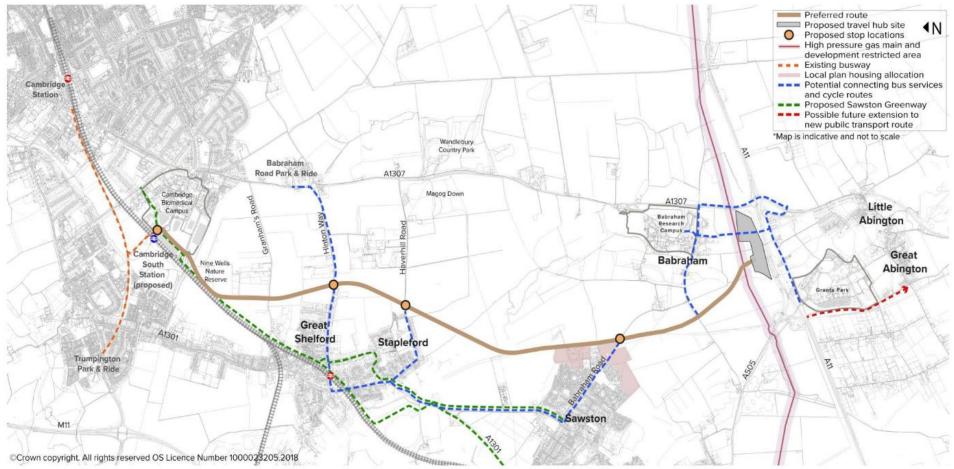
2020

•Outline Business Case and Preferred Option •EIA Consultation in progress

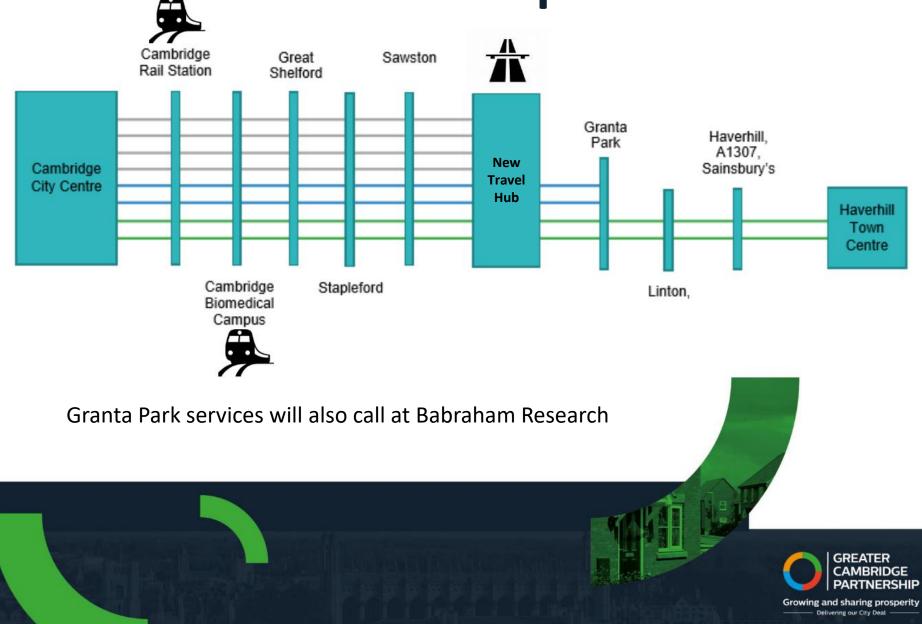


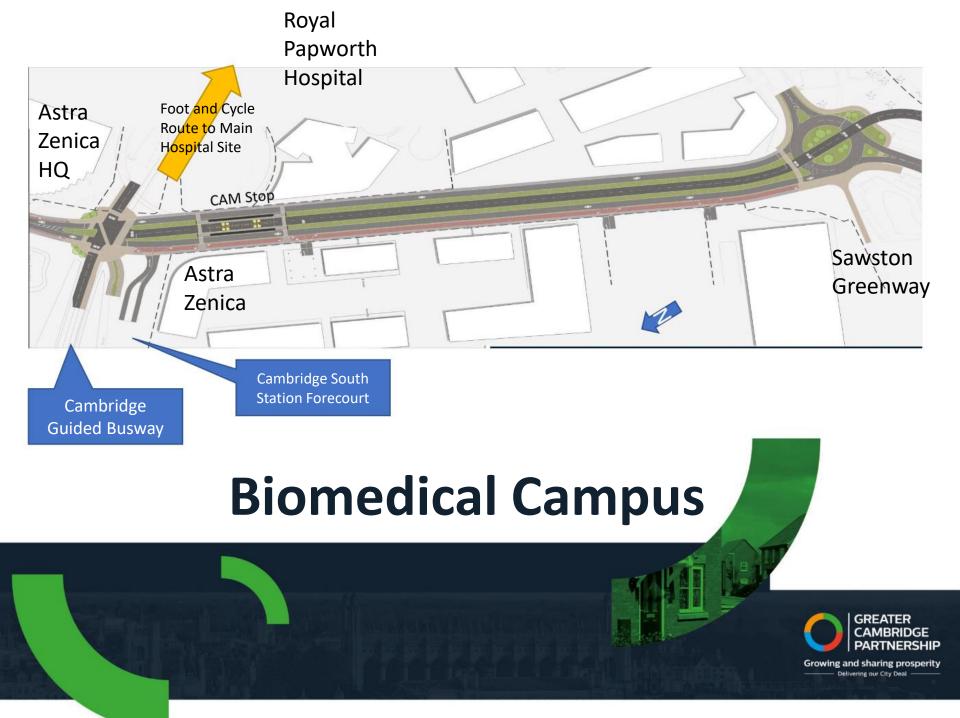
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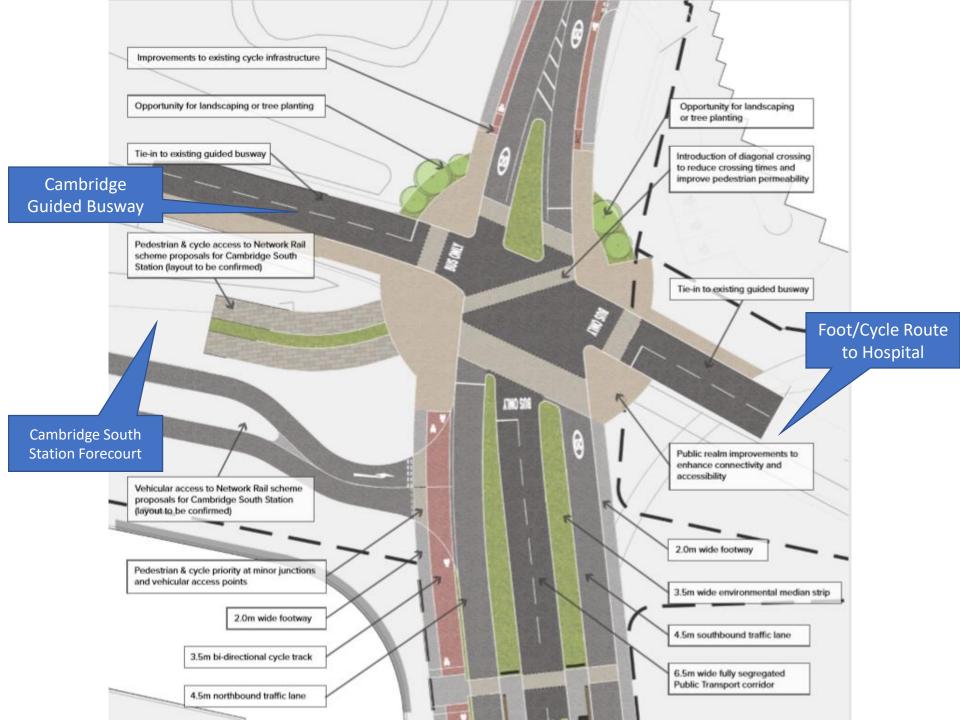
Preferred Route



Transport Network







Typical Stop



Disabled Parking Cycle Storage Drop Off and Pick Up Potential for Connection to Other Services

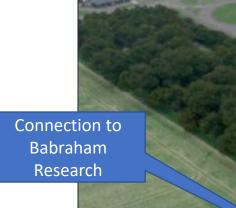


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Travel Hub

A11/A1307 Junction

Connection to Granta Park



Visualisation of design

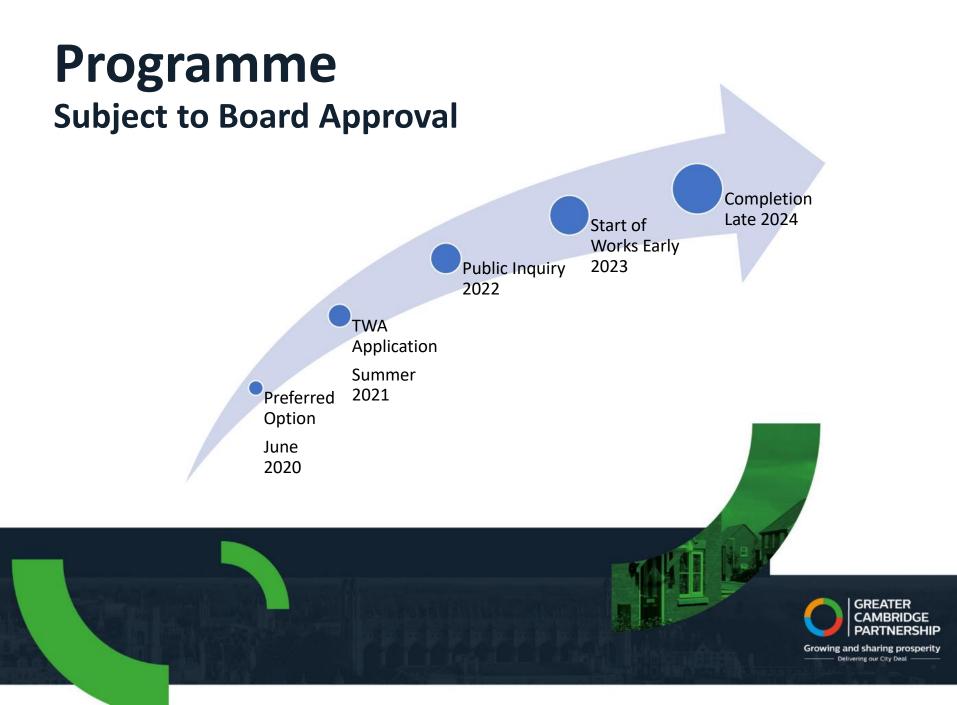
Environmental Mitigation

- Electric vehicle commitment
- A biodiversity net gain to deliver a minimum of 10% gain, with the objective of achieving 20% gain
- Commitment to preservation and enhancement of the Nine Wells Nature Reserve and Hobson's Conduit
- Extensive planting and creation of a linked recreational and natural points of interest (linear park)
- GCP continues to work with environmental and other stakeholder groups to develop scheme design



Environmental Mitigation





QUESTIONS

