

Transport Planning in the Private Sector

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Introductions



Darran Kitchener

BEng (hons) – Civil & Environmental Engineering – Leeds University 2001

Chartered through Chartered Institute of Logistics & Transport (CILT)

Member of CIHT NE&C Committee – Sponsorship, Awards & Dinner sub-group

Halcrow (CH2M) – 6 years

► Wardell Armstrong – 2 years

► Jacobs – 5 years

► Fairhurst – 2 years





Introductions

Milestone Transport Planning

- Not one of the 'big boys'
- Been in existence for 11 years
- Started by our Managing Director & our Finance Director
- Based in Guildford, Surrey offering national coverage
- I joined in June 2015
- Opened the "North" office & relocated to Gateshead in November
- Met our first year business plan within 8 months
- Currently at 11-17 full-time staff
- Turning over £1m+
- Plans to increase staffing to 30+ within 3 years
- 10% of all our profits go to charity,
 the rest is re-invested or given to the team







Private Sector



Our Clients Include:

























Story



Burnett

Limited

Newcastle

University



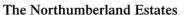


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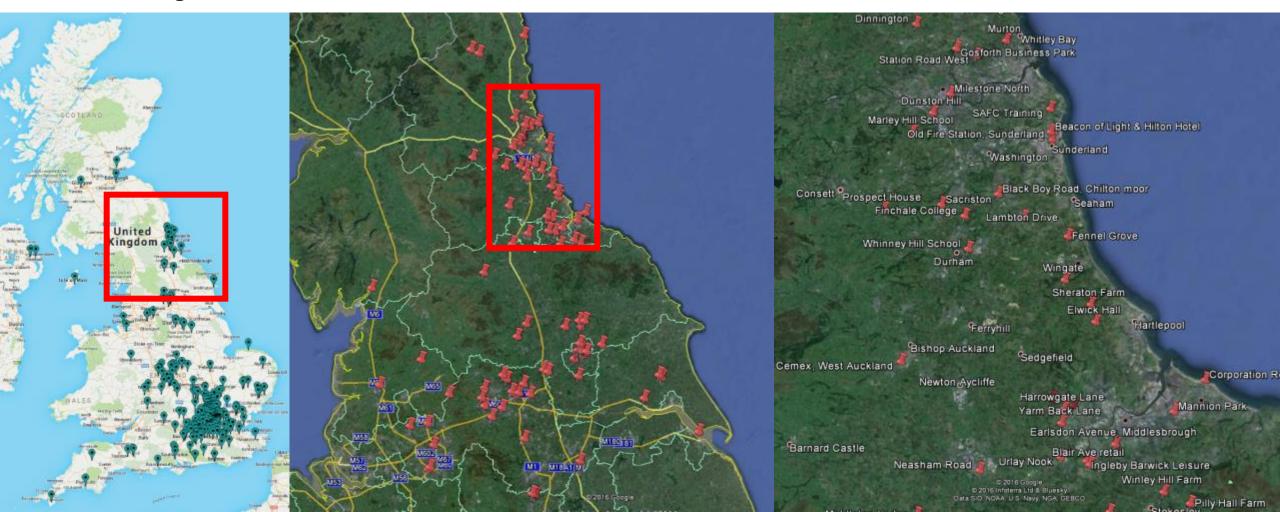
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Coverage:



Private Sector – How?





1. Site Context & Analysis



Boyhood James Cook Statue



Captain Cooks Monument

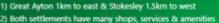


Environment Agency Flood Mad



Great Ayton Village Green

Key Facts:



- 3) Attractive countryside setting close to North York Moors
- 4) Local attractions: Roseberry Topping, Lord Stones and Captain Cooks' Schoolroom & Monument
- 5) Nearby Angrove Camp Site established 2010
- 6) Flood Zone 1 (at least risk of flooding)
- 7) Public footpath runs along the site's southern boundary
- 8) 2.5km from Railway Station
- 9) Bus Stops 700m to south





Angrove Pari Camp Site

Tourism Demand:

- 1) Planning Policies support rural tourism
- 2) North Hambleton is an "untapped" resource
- 3) No largescale holiday complex nearby
- 4) Local demand for high-quality visitor accommodation

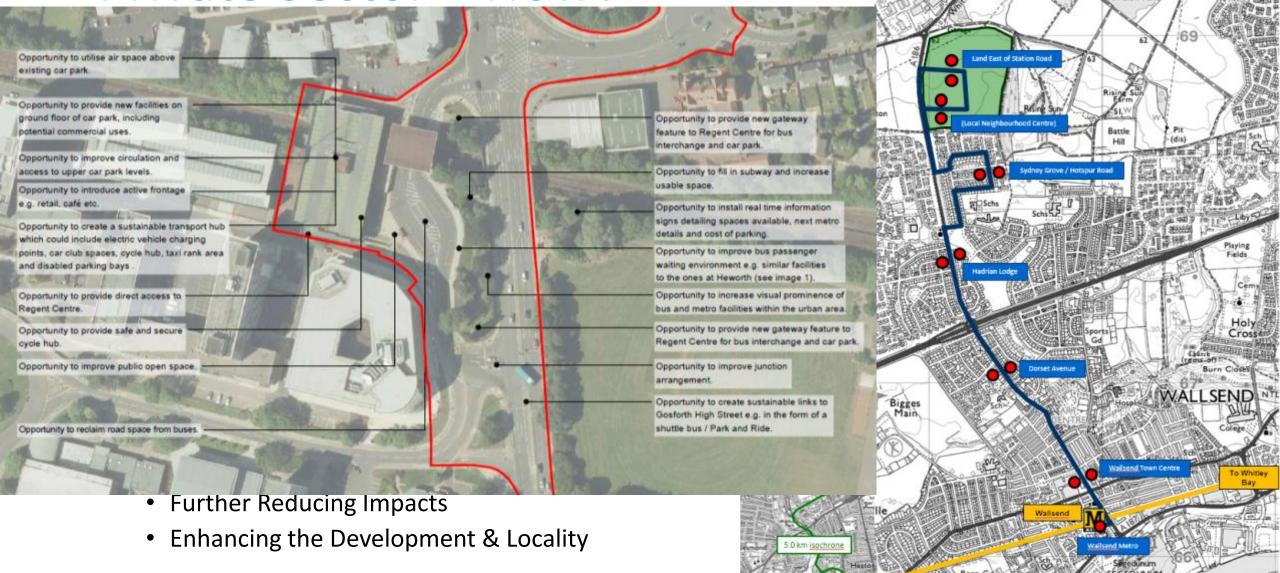
Development Aspirations:

- 1) Unique, high quality facilities
- 2) Excellent visitor experience
- 3) Green, sustainable construction
- 4) Sensitive to rural setting
- 5) Derived benefits to local community



Private Sector – How?





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How do we assist?

Post-Planning Support

Expert Witness

• At Public Inquiries

Condition Discharging

- Further Design Development
- Legal Agreements

Site Supervision

Ongoing Involvement

Travel Plan Co-Ordination



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Private Sector – How?



Small, but perfectly formed

Transport Planners are not all housed within the "big boy" multi-disciplinary, multi-national corporations.

- Small businesses shouldn't be overlooked
- 11 people, turning over £1 million +
- Working for the country's biggest companies
- No "pigeon holing", 100% involvement, at all levels
- Excellent progression and remuneration
- Training as good, if not better, than the big companies
- Range of projects, at all scales, for all sectors





