

## **Development Plans for the town centre side of Backwater Channel**

### **2001**

- Initial work on preliminary options for Poole Bridge Regeneration Initiative (PBRI) was undertaken and considered a second lifting bridge (Twin Sails) and its location.
- March: Stakeholder workshop at Port of Poole.
- July: Local Transport Plan, Volumes 6 & 7 published.
- November: Consultation on the draft Local Plan.
- Central Area Masterplan initiated.

### **2002**

- PBRI Draft Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) public consultation.
- Local Plan inquiry.

### **2003**

- PBRI transport network developed as part of the Central Area Masterplan. Extensive consultation.

### **2004**

- Central Area Planning & Urban Design SPG published.
- March: Poole Local Plan adopted.
- December: PBRI SPG published.

### **2005**

- Draft Core Strategy. Public consultation.
- Twin Sails inquiry.
- July: Extensive consultation on Local Transport Plan 2.
- September: Poole Harbour Opening Bridges Order inquiry.
- December: Streetscapes SPG approved.

### **2006**

- March: Local Transport Plan 2 published.
- Twin Sails Bridge construction approved.

### **2009**

- February: Poole Core Strategy adopted.
- Construction of highway realignment on West Quay Road (fronting Asda) as per Central Area Masterplan. Funded by S106 money.

### **2010**

- June: Construction on Twin Sails Bridge commenced.
- October–November: Public consultation, review of PBRI SPG.

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## **2011**

- January: Public engagement on Central Area Masterplan.
- January: Poole Central Areas SPG review, final report.
- March: Hamworthy East, West and Poole Town Area Committee held regarding proposed Marston Road/Bay Hog Lane gyratory scheme.
- April: Planning application for Marston Road link (part of Central Area Masterplan) considered.
- Local Transport Plan 3 adopted, 2011-2026
- December: Marston Road link completed for flexibility to both lifting bridges.

## **2012**

- April: Twin Sails Bridge opened.
- June–August: Extensive public consultation on Central Area Planning & Urban Design SPG and PBRI SPG (then 8 years old).
- September: Councillors resolved to review Masterplan proposals. Phil Jones associates appointed.
- November: Councillors consider Phil Jones' report.
- Our Streets & Spaces SPD – Part 1, adopted.
- Development Management & Site Specific Allocations adopted.

## **2013**

- July: Borough of Poole starts Access & Movement study.
- July–September: Public consultation on interim improvements for pedestrian and cycling facilities to West Street & West Quay Road conducted.
- Interim improvements provided.
- October–December: Review of Central Area SPG. Public consultation.

## **2014**

- Central Area Planning & Urban Design Guidance SPG review and refresh undertaken; *Access and Movement*.
- April: Quality Audit by Mouchel of Central Area Planning & Urban Design SPG. Issues and opportunities identified.
- July: Quality Audit meeting. Feedback provided by Mouchel. Poole Quays Forum consulted extensively. Road network 'Option 6' devised.

## **2015**

- October: Sustrans (walking and cycling charity) report.
- December: Poole Town Centre SPD adopted; informed by public consultation responses. 'Option 6' approved.

## **2016**

- September: Outline business case for Townside Access commenced.
- September: Sustrans report – Townside Access study.

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**2017**

- March: Townside Access outline business case and costs approved by Dorset Local Enterprise Partnership (DLEP) Board. Independent review commenced.
- March: Poole Quays Forum Local Neighbourhood Plan (for Poole Town Centre & Hamworthy), approved by Council.
- May: Townside Access review completed. Amendments suggested.
- June: Townside Access Outline Business Case revised and resubmitted to DLEP.
- July–September: Public consultation on Draft Poole Local Plan which aims to deliver 14,200 new homes, jobs and infrastructure in Poole by 2033.
- August–October: Public consultation on shaping attractive public spaces in the Townside area, from Hunger Hill to Poole Bridge including West Street and West Quay Road.