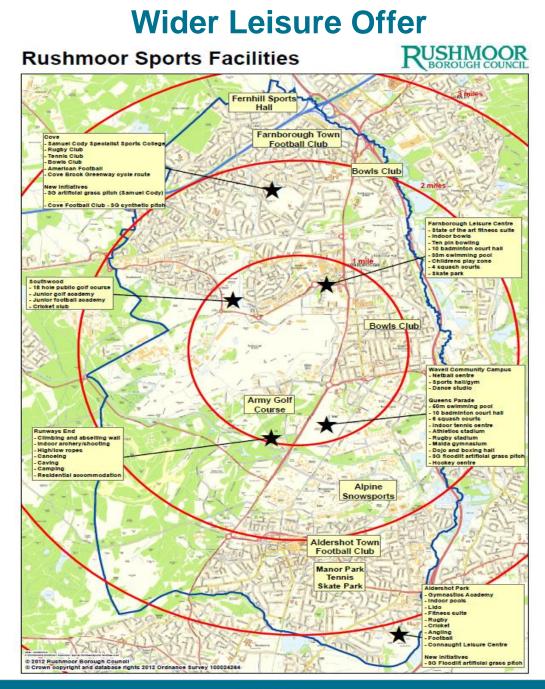
Leisure Provision

- Current Leisure Offer
- Work to date on procurement of new arrangements
- High Level Outcomes
- Current Performance & Facility Mix
- Management Options
- Procurement
- Extension
- Consultation approach
- Considerations







Leisure Provision – Current contract

Farnborough Leisure Centre

 10 court sports hall, 6 rink indoor bowls, 100 station gym and 20 bike spinning studio, well being rooms, 4 glass door squash courts, soft play, 10 lane ten pin, 2 dance studios, multi activity room, 33m main pool, learner pool, spectator seating and café

Aldershot Indoor Pools

o 25m pool, learner pool, spectator seating and 30 station gym

Aldershot Lido

 Irregular unheated pool, 3 flumes, 1m diving board, café, 2 floodlit 5 aside pitches in 9 acres of grounds



Work to Date

Aldershot Pools Complex

- Lido Review Working Group, Friends of Aldershot Lido and Leisure & Youth Panel – produced vision
- Lido options appraisal Sports Consultancy 2014
 - (facility options, commercial assessment, consultation)
- Aldershot Indoor Pools and Lido soft market testing 2017

Farnborough Leisure Centre

- o B3R Architects 2017
 - (existing provision, feasibility studies on refurbishment, new build, collocations and location on Civic Quarter)

Both Venues

- Condition Surveys Latest report due this month
- Sport and Recreation Study Continuum Sport & Leisure 2014 (Audit and assessment of need)
- Places for People contract performance, opportunities and extension



Leisure Management Contract High Level Outcomes

- High level outcome from procurement :
 - Reduce Costs
 - Investment in Facilities refurbishment or new build
 - Increased participation
 - Reduce risk to the Council
 - Well supported by wide consultation
 - A good facility mix



Leisure Management Contract Performance & Facility Mix

| Farnborough Leisure Centre | Visits | Income | Floor Area sqm | Build cost @ £2,500 sqm | MRP £50k per £1m |
|---------------------------------|---------|--------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| Health & Fitness Inc. wellbeing | 200,000 | Above | 832 | £2.08m | £104k |
| Swimming plus changing | 150,000 | Above | 1260 | £3.15m | £157k |
| Ten pin bowling | 55,000 | Above | 960 | £2.4m | £120k |
| Sports Hall plus changing | 28,000 | Below | 1350 | £3.38m | £169k |
| Soft Play | 23,000 | Above | 112 | £0.28m | £14k |
| Dance Studio* | 55,000 | Above | 320 | £0.8m | £40k |
| Indoor bowling | 14,000 | Below | 1152 | £2.88m | £144k |
| Squash | 7,000 | Below | 258 | £0.65m | £33k |
| Activity room* | 4,000 | Below | 160 | £0.4m | £20k |
| Creche | 3,000 | Below | 125 | £0.31m | £16k |
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| Aldershot Indoor Pools | | | | | |
| Health & Fitness | 85,000 | Above | 300 | £0.75m | £38k |
| Swimming | 120,000 | Above | 1,300 | £3.25m | £162k |
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| Aldershot Lido | | | | | |
| Total (average) | 25,000 | Below | | | |



Facility Mix - Industry Position

- Positive supply for water space and sports halls even if Garrison removed.
- Squash courts meet national standards although low demand
- Indoor bowls meet national standard
- Farnborough Leisure Centre
 - Minimum 8 lane pool, teaching pool, spectator seating, 4 court sports hall and gym (increase from 100 to 150 stations)
 - Provision / demand position regarding: ten pin bowling, soft play, climbing, indoor bowling, crèche, flexible community space and squash. Requires careful consideration through public consultation
 - Currently no interest from health providers or library to collocate.
- Aldershot Indoor Pools and Lido
 - Vision (Task and Finish/FOAL/L&Y) Integrated facility with outdoor heated water, adventure golf, flumes, splash pad / paddling pool, playground and fitness centre (increase from 30 to 40 stations).
 - $\circ~$ Review level of water provision.



Leisure Management Contract – Soft Market Testing

Aldershot Lido

- Lido to remain in situ due to Lido heritage and consider integration with Aldershot indoor pools
- Retain with price increase and Adventure Golf possible saving
- Water theme park c£3m possible saving (higher risk)

Aldershot Indoor Pools

- Retain current building with self funding improvements possible saving (subject to condition survey)
- New build £7m possible saving

Godalming Completed £5m 2012







Leisure Management Contract Facility Options

Development Proposal – Front Elevation

Farnborough Leisure Centre

- Could retain current building with self funding improvements saving short term (subject to condition survey – cost increases and reduced income)
- o Refurbishment
- New Build
- Size and cost depends on facilities mix e.g.
 - Basic new build (just pools, hall and gym) up to £11m
 - New build c£18m provides majority of activities but will need some compromise on facility mix
 - Full refurbishment c £23m likely increased cost
- Potential £2m Sport England grant against new build
- All new investment will need to be backed by borrowing





Leisure Centre - location

- Farnborough Leisure Centre currently in Civic Quarter
 - 600,000 footfall increases viability of town centre providing more leisure and social opportunities through linked trips
 - Excellent transport access (buses, train, Cycleways etc.)
 - Planning define as main town centre use and need to apply sequential test
 - Extensive search of Borough has not identified another viable site
 - New build preference for clear site and continued operation
 - Enhances Civic Quarter and additional residential will increase footfall



Civic Quarter

- Identified preferred Investment Partner will be working together on concepts/capacity and agree site specific objectives
- Developing a detailed masterplan target planning submission July 2019
- Revised timetable identifies stakeholder engagement from October onwards
- Needs to work with Leisure procurement timetable



Leisure Management Contract Management Options

In - House

Strengths -

- Retain profit and benefit from upturn in market,
- Direct control

Weaknesses

- Not recover VAT on income or NNDR relief
- Increased costs as staff would transfer to Councils terms of employment and pension scheme
- Increase in support costs (HR, Finance, health and safety, IT)
- Increased budget risks to Council on income and expenditure particularly any downturn in the market

Leisure Operator

Strengths -

- Will attract competitive bids from experienced operators
- Some risk transfer & greater budget stability
- recover VAT on income and NNDR relief
- Increased economies of scale (procurement, marketing, health and safety)
- Group expertise providing innovation and industry best practice (health and fitness, maintenance, sports development)

Weaknesses

 Reliance on contract and specification to address performance concerns



Leisure Management Contract Procurement Options – to be confirmed once Civic Quarter Masterplan clear

• Design, Build, Operate & Maintain (DBOM)

- Contractors experience to balance facility mix, build & operating costs.
- Single procurement, accountability, risk transfer & cost certainty
- Attract fewer large bidders as complex procurement

Design, Build & separate Operate & Maintain (DB/OM)

- Need certainty over requirements
- Two procurements build and operate with additional costs
- Separate risk transfers with potential for disputes
- Attract more smaller bidders for OM

• Joint Venture Partner (similar to DB/OM)

- Maximise land values and easier to integrate design of Farnborough Leisure Centre within Civic Quarter
- Seek operator for Farnborough Leisure Centre and opportunities for improvements to Aldershot Pools Complex

Competitive procedure / dialogue

- Retain buildings and seek improvements from contractor.
- Increased risk transfer to Council due to age of facilities



Contract Extension

- Farnborough Leisure Centre and Aldershot Pools Complex renewal 1 February 2019
- Civic Quarter revised masterplan timetable requires extension to 31
 March 2021 in line with financial year
- Benefits enables consultation on facilities mix as part of wider public engagement on Civic Quarter site
- Extension with PfP until 2021 still under negotiation.



Consultation

- Policy and Projects Advisory Board indicated they could have a role in shaping consultation approach for Civic Quarter and leisure strategy
- Needs sufficient time and budget
- What other Member involvement needed throughout consultation and contract procurement process



Leisure Provision Considerations for today

- Overall provision
 - Maintain facilities in both Farnborough and Aldershot
- Wait for Joint Venture input into Civic Quarter
- Facility mix
 - part of Civic Quarter consultation for Farnborough
 - Aldershot requires input from bidders based on vision
- Policy and Projects Advisory Board Role
- Procure based on leisure operator
- Note approach to any Design and Build finalised after Masterplan fixed

