Place making for Londoners

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The 21st Century
Will effect the ways we live.
By 2050 80% of the world's population will be in cities.
Cities are thrilling, exciting, creative, liberating, cruel and inhuman
What kinds of city do we want.
KEY INTERVENTIONS IN LONDON

• The Green Belt
• The Central Activities Zone
• Riverside Walk
• Viewing Corridors (St. Pauls)
• Public Transport Accessibility
• Deregulation of the City
• Disability Legislation
• The smoking ban?
The number of people moving around St. Giles Circus may almost double due to Crossrail and increased local interchange.
1. New tube and Crossrail entrances/exits
2. New public space - 'Rathbone Square'
3. Public space in front of new station entrance
4. Alternative routes to Oxford Street
5. Reinforced 'one street back' route to Oxford Street
6. New connection from 'Rathbone Square' to British Museum
7. Greater priority for pedestrians in Oxford Street
8. New public space with the potential of an 'Urban Room'
9. New courtyard and pedestrian connections: Central Saint Giles
10. New network of urban squares
11. New pedestrianised street linking St. Giles Circus to Covent Garden
12. New Oxford Street set back buildings, wider pavements, rationalised bus services transform interchange
13. Re-landscaped public space in St. Giles Churchyard
14. Improved pedestrian environment on routes to British Museum and Bloomsbury
15. Improved pedestrian environment, 2-way buses
16. Improved layout in favour of pedestrians
B1 Create an urban space at St. Giles Circus

"A fantastic urban space"
Olympics - 2012
Transition: 2012-14
The Lower Lea Valley has significant potential for change
6 key themes from the LLV OAPF

- The water city
- The connected valley
- The working valley
- Thriving centres
- Neighbourhoods + communities
- Maximise Olympic benefits
Thank You