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Project Briefing

Project identifier			
[1a] Unique Project	12363	[1b] Departmental	N/A
Identifier		Reference Number	
[2] Core Project Name	2-3 Finsbury Avenue	Section 278	
[3] Programme Affiliation	N/A		
(if applicable)			

Ownership	
[4] Chief Officer has signed	Yes (Juliemma McLoughlin)
off on this document	
[5] Senior Responsible	Bruce McVean, Assistant Director, Policy & Projects
Officer	
[6] Project Manager	TBC (Projects & Programmes team, City Operations)

Description and purpose

[7] Project Description

The project will deliver changes to the public highway in the vicinity of the development at 2-3 Finsbury Avenue through a Section 278 agreement that is fully funded by the developer. The scope of the project is defined in the associated Section 106 agreement and includes, but is not limited to:

- Installation of Hostile Vehicle Mitigation and other security measures on the public highway;
- Repaying of footways on Sun Street and Wilson Street;
- Removal of on-street parking bays and provision of a blue badge parking bay (subject to consultation);
- Tree planting and other greenery.

The next steps to reach Gateway 3-4-5 include:

- Undertake preparatory survey work and liaise with the required statutory undertakers and stakeholders to develop highways and public realm improvement options with the Developer;
- Negotiate and enter into a Section 278 agreement.

[8] Definition of Need: What is the problem we are trying to solve or opportunity we are trying to realise (i.e. the reasons why we should make a change)?

The developer is obligated by the Section 106 agreement to fund works to the public highway which are considered necessary to make the development acceptable in planning terms through entry into a Section 278 agreement.

[9] What is the link to the City of London Corporate plan outcomes?

- [1] People are safe and feel safe.
- [9] Our spaces are secure, resilient and well-maintained.
- [10] Our physical spaces have clean air, land and water and support a thriving and sustainable natural environment.
- [11] Our spaces are digitally and physically well-connected and responsive.

[10] What is the link to the departmental business plan objectives?

Providing an enhanced environment for all street users.

[11] Note all which apply:					
Officer:	N	Member:	N	Corporate:	N

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Project developed from Officer initiation		Project developed from Member initiation		Project developed as a large scale Corporate initiative	
Mandatory:	Υ	Sustainability:	N	Improvement:	N
Compliance with		Essential for business		New opportunity/ idea	
legislation, policy and		continuity		that leads to	
audit				improvement	

Project Benchmarking:

[12] What are the top 3 measures of success which will indicate that the project has achieved its aims?

- 1) Improvements to walking and cycling conditions in the vicinity of the development
- 2) Integration of new pedestrian routes with the surrounding public highway
- 3) Ensuring the new building can be adequately access and serviced

[13] Will this project have any measurable legacy benefits/outcome that we will need to track after the end of the 'delivery' phase? If so, what are they and how will you track them? (E.g. cost savings, quality etc.)

None.

[14] What is the expected delivery cost of this project (range values)[£]?

Lower Range estimate: £400,000 Upper Range estimate: £1,000,000

The broad cost range reflects the options for the security measures.

[15] Total anticipated on-going revenue commitment post-delivery (lifecycle costs)[£]:

Commuted sums to maintain upgraded sections of the highway will be presented at a future Gateway, but will be covered for a period of 20 years as is standard for Section 278 projects.

[16] What are the expected sources of funding for this project?

The project will be fully funded from a Section 278 agreement.

[17] What is the expected delivery timeframe for this project (range values)? Are there any deadlines which must be met (e.g. statutory obligations)?

Lower Range estimate: to be confirmed with developer's programme Upper Range estimate: to be confirmed with developer's programme

Project Impact:

[18] Will this project generate public or media impact and response which the City of London will need to manage? Will this be a high-profile activity with public and media momentum?

No.

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[19] Who has been actively consulted to develop this project to this stage?			
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Chamberlains:	Officer Name: TBC		
Finance			
Chamberlains:	Officer Name: N/A		
Procurement			
IT	Officer Name: N/A		
HR	Officer Name: N/A		
Communications	Officer Name: N/A		
Corporate Property	Officer Name: N/A		

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External	None.
Comptrollers:	Officer: TBC