# Ashmore Update

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### **Social Sustainability**

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- Aims of the study
  - Identify and assess likely social impacts
  - Provide recommendations to mitigate impacts and achieve social sustainability

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• What is social sustainability?

*"Maintenance and improvement of well-being for current and future generations"* 





- Methodology
  - Assessment of proposed built form
  - Population predictions
  - Existing and planned facilities and space
  - Benchmarking
  - Opportunities to create spaces for social interaction
  - Principles and recommendations

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#### city of villages

- Local character
  - History and heritage
  - Culture and arts
  - Environmental and social consciousness

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- Cafes
- Vibrancy





#### city of villages

- Community now
  - More families with young children
  - Working aged
  - High income
  - GLBT
  - Less older people and young people

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- Predicted community
  - Changing trends families in apartments
  - Working aged
  - Couples and single people
  - Young children
  - Likely to have fewer older and teenaged people





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- Five principles
  - 1. Housing options
  - 2. Movement and connection
  - 3. Open space and public domain

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- 4. Accessible facilities
- 5. Activated place





city of villages

- Open space
  - 15,000m<sup>2</sup> of open space supported
  - Serves unique function creates village green
  - Connects places
  - Activated in day
  - Informal. Passive. Meeting point
  - Walk and cycle



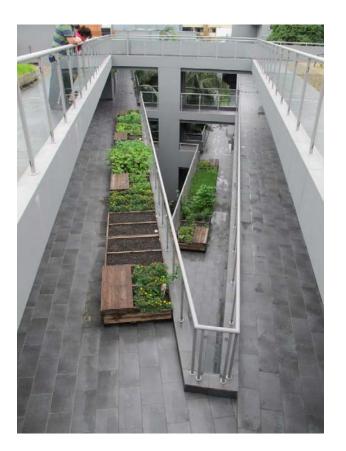


- Community facilities
  - Impact on primary school places
  - 210 childcare spaces required
  - Planning controls should create opportunities for private childcare
  - Communal spaces





- Affordable housing
  - Identify locations for potential affordable housing
  - Key workers and families





- Creating place
  - Live/Work units
  - Unique identity which reflects character
  - Community building
  - Markets, popups and events
  - Complementary business

