

Goring-by-Sea

Introduction

Working closely with Adur & Worthing Council, WSP is proposing an upgrade to the current 2-metre wide footpath along the promenade. The proposals include increasing the footpath width to 3.5 metres to create a shared space for pedestrians, cyclists and other users. This change will offer a safer, more accessible route to the beach and surrounding areas for everyone to enjoy.

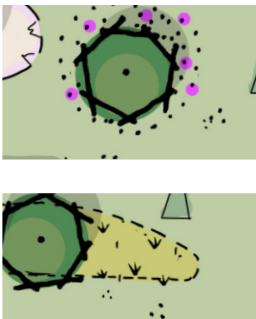
Alongside the path improvements, the proposals look to enhance the local environment by creating attractive public spaces and boosting biodiversity. The design includes the planting of coastal wildflowers which suit the local setting and encourage wildlife. These natural additions will help make the area greener, more vibrant and enjoyable for everyone.

The proposed route passes through a nationally important habitat known as “coastal vegetated shingle”. It’s a rare and valuable landscape that supports unique plants and animals found only in this type of environment. By drawing on lessons from nearby areas like Shoreham Beach (a Local Nature Reserve), this project will support the Council’s wider “Renaturing” aspirations by helping restore and protect coastal nature for future generations.

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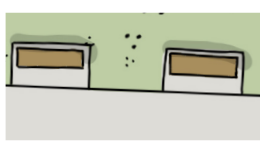
Existing amenity grass



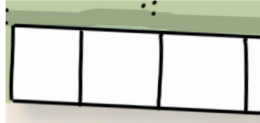
Seasonal bulbs and self-seeding plants within tree planting



Coastal wildflower seeding



Benches and rest stops

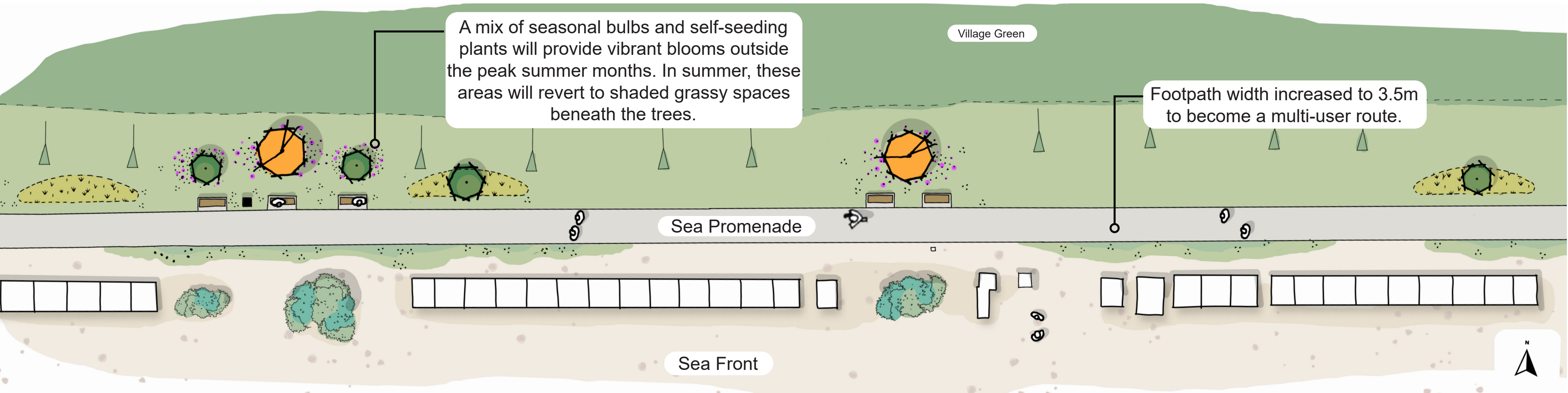


Existing beach huts

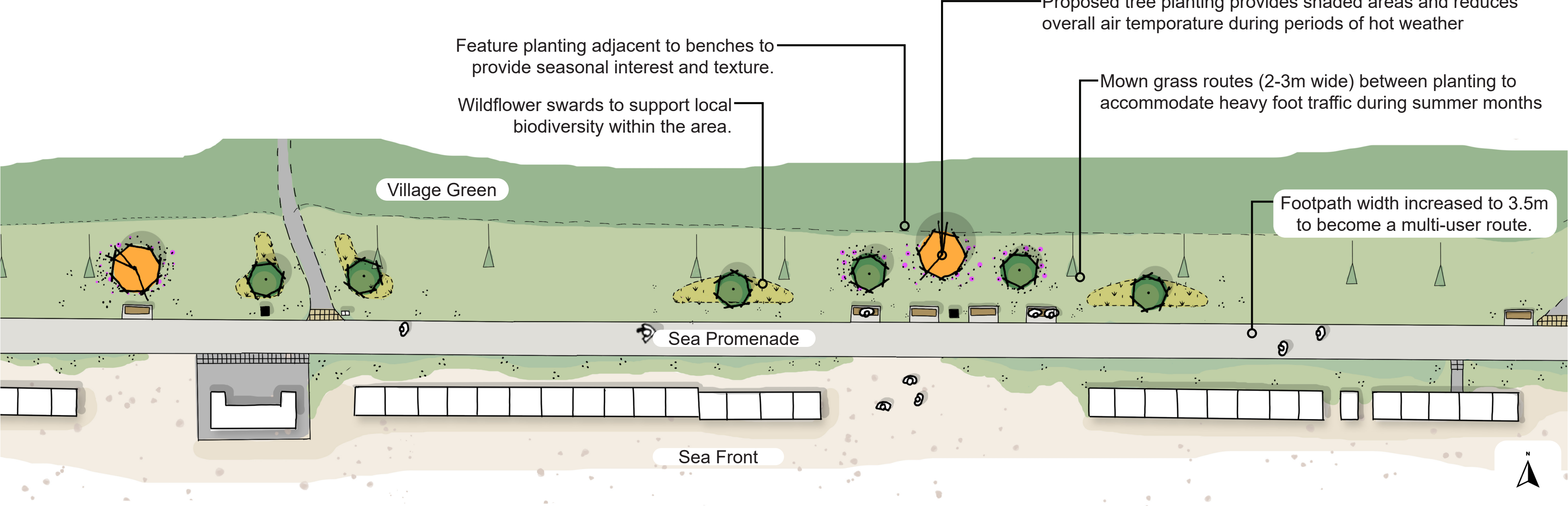
Location Plan



Soft Landscape Proposals - Location 1



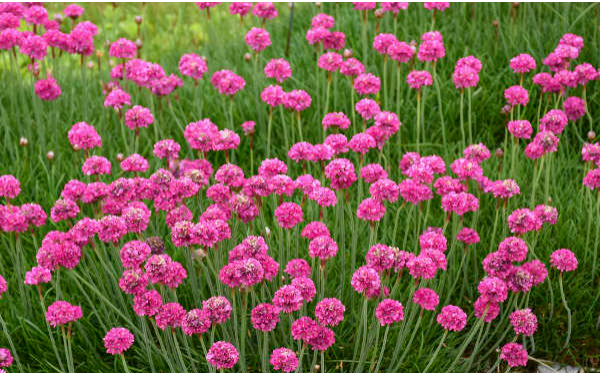
Soft Landscape Proposals - Location 2



Planting Palette

Ornamental Species

*Some of the species below can be found at **Shoreham Beach a Local Nature Reserve (LNR)**

 *Crambe maritima Sea Kale	 *Glaucium flavum Yellow Horned Poppy	 Allium Allium 'Gladiator'	 Eryngium Sea Holly
 Santolina chamaecyparissus Lavender Cotton	 Centranthus ruber Red Valerian	 Erigeron glaucus Seaside Daisy	 Armeria Maritima Sea Thrift

Individual Tree Species

 Tamarix gallica Common tamarisk	 Hippophae salicifolia Sea buckthorn
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Seeding and Seasonal Interest

 Naturescape - N15 Coastal Meadow Mix	 Boston Seeds - BS10M Wildflower Meadow Seed
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