Mind your step Sustainable mixed-use developments

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Today's presentation

- Introduce Bioregional
- One Planet Living our challenge and an approach to restructuring our urban environment to enable sustainable living
- Stories of four One Planet Communities, sustainable mixed-use developments in UK and Canada

Bioregional Championing a better way to live

We work with partners to create places, products and services which enable people to live, work and do business within the natural limits of the planet. We call this One Planet Living.



Charity & Social Enterprise Established in 1994 in UK, working across five continents

Bioregional – what we do and how we work

- Practical, social entrepreneurs, experts
- We work on sustainable living through;
 - Communities: new build & regeneration
 - Business: operations, products, services and events
- Work in partnership, in an advisory role & though our own associated companies
- Use our One Planet Living framework, train others & make it freely available
- Measure & tell the stories of our work to inform policy & industry practice





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*	Equity and local economy
***	Culture and community
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	Sustainable water
Ú	Local and sustainable food
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World Ecological Footprint by component









The world has agreed to take action: Paris Climate Agreement & Sustainable Development Goals



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An average UK citizen's eco-footprint



Housing	Home energy	Transport	Food	Consumer goods	Gov't.	Business	Capital assets
8%	18%	15%	23%	14%	7%	9%	6%



BedZED eco-village

Designing in sustainability at the start

- zero carbon energy strategy
- sustainable building materials
- green transport plan
- water strategy
- composting and recycling
- local and sustainable food
- Work space





BedZED – not just buildings and technology





Make it easy to do the right thing...



....difficult to do the wrong thing....

One planet living at BedZED?





Nicole's eco-footprint is 1.7 planets and her carbon footprint is 6 tonnes per year



Achieving one planet living – differing responsibilities



"Nice community spirit, non-isolating"

> "Social side is spectacularly good"

One Planet Living framework

Health and happiness

- Equity and local economy
- Culture and community
- Land and nature
 - Sustainable water
 - Local and sustainable food
- 💑 Travel and transport
 - Materials and products

Zero waste

Zero carbon energy

A sustainable living design framework based on:

- Natural resource limits & equity: fair share carbon & ecological footprint
- Ten principles with sciencebased goals and suggested targets and indicators



One Planet Living – Process

1. Gather information



2.Workshops-Action Plan



3. Implement & share progress & learning









One Brighton, UK



172 apartments, office and communal space

One Brighton – sustainable construction

Zero carbon energy



- Site workers induction
- Sustainable food for workers
- Bio-diesel generators
- Greenest concrete frame in UK – post tensioned concrete comprising 50% ground granulated blast furnace slag & 100% secondary aggregates
- low fired clay block

One Brighton - sustainable living





- Rooftop food gardens
- Zero carbon energy
- Zero car use
- Healthy residents
- Easy Recycling, on site composter
- Café and workspace
- Commercial success
 - Built within the normal range of build costs
 - 10% ROCE in 2009
 - Sold 50% faster
- In 2013 Brighton & Hove become a One Planet City

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Eco-towns – influencing policy



What makes an eco-town?

A report from BioRegional and CABE nspired by the eco-towns challenge pane





Planning shapes the places where people live and work and the country we live in. It plays a key role in supporting the Government's wider social, environmental and economic objectives and for sustainable communities.



Bicester eco-town – 6,000 home mixed-use extension to an Oxfordshire market town



Bicester eco-town, Elmsbrook, the first 400 homes



One Planet Living at Elmsbrook, Bicester



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Cycle culture, green space, local food growing, outdoor facilities



Community orchards, allotments, Markets for local produce, cooking classes in community centre



programme

30% affordable housing, 430 jobs Business start up centre



40% reduction in carbon – use of timber, local, natural building products, community swap-shop

Green travel plan, cycle network,

50% of journeys non-car, new

amenities close to homes



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40% of site to be open space, net biodiversity gain with meadows and ponds, green roofs



Reduce water use by 45%: rainwater collection, efficient appliances, SUDS



Zero construction waste to landfill, 80% recycling/composting rate



Zero carbon through energy efficient homes, District heating, PV panels

Zibi, Ottawa – a one planet community



Zibi

- 15 hectare ex-paper mill site on two river islands
- 3 million square feet of development
- 2,500 homes, shops and office space, hotel, waterfront parks, pedestrian and cycling paths
- Working with the Algonquin-Anishinabe First Nations people







Zibi



Zibi - steps to sustainable living





Zibi – on site last week



Thank you!

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