

KEYHAM GREEN SPACES





1 Existing Trees
Existing trees to be preserved & maintained.



2 Planting Underneath Trees (Understorey)
Beneath existing trees, along the north and south boundaries the ground is steeper and difficult to maintain. We propose planting underneath the trees, including bulb planting, to support wildlife



3 New Tree Planting (Arboretum)
We propose planting a variety of new trees through the centre of the park. This planting will increase tree diversity and provide interesting views and wildlife corridors through the centre of the park.



4 Nature Play Area
We propose a nature play space in and around the existing play equipment. This will be made from natural materials and linked with new planting to provide a playful space for children and young people to enjoy.

Scale
0 10 20 50m



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- 1 Existing Trees
- 2 Understorey Planting and seasonal bulbs
- 3 Arboretum planting
- 4 Nature Play Area
- 5 Wildflower Meadow with mown paths through
- 6 Orchard trees and long grass
- 7 Tree grouping
- 8 Natural scrub planting
- 9 Replacement trees, in preparation for existing trees to reach end of life
- Key views
- Band stand with additional planting to integrate into the natural landscape



5 Wildflower Planting
Wildflower areas are proposed within the steeper and more exposed areas of the park by creating swaths of attractive wildflowers and grasses. Mown paths are also proposed to offer interesting routes through the wildflowers.



6 Orchard Trees & Long Grass
The existing orchard is positioned to the east of the park. We propose additional orchard trees here with longer grass underneath the trees. We propose keeping an area of shorter grass next to the orchard for community access.



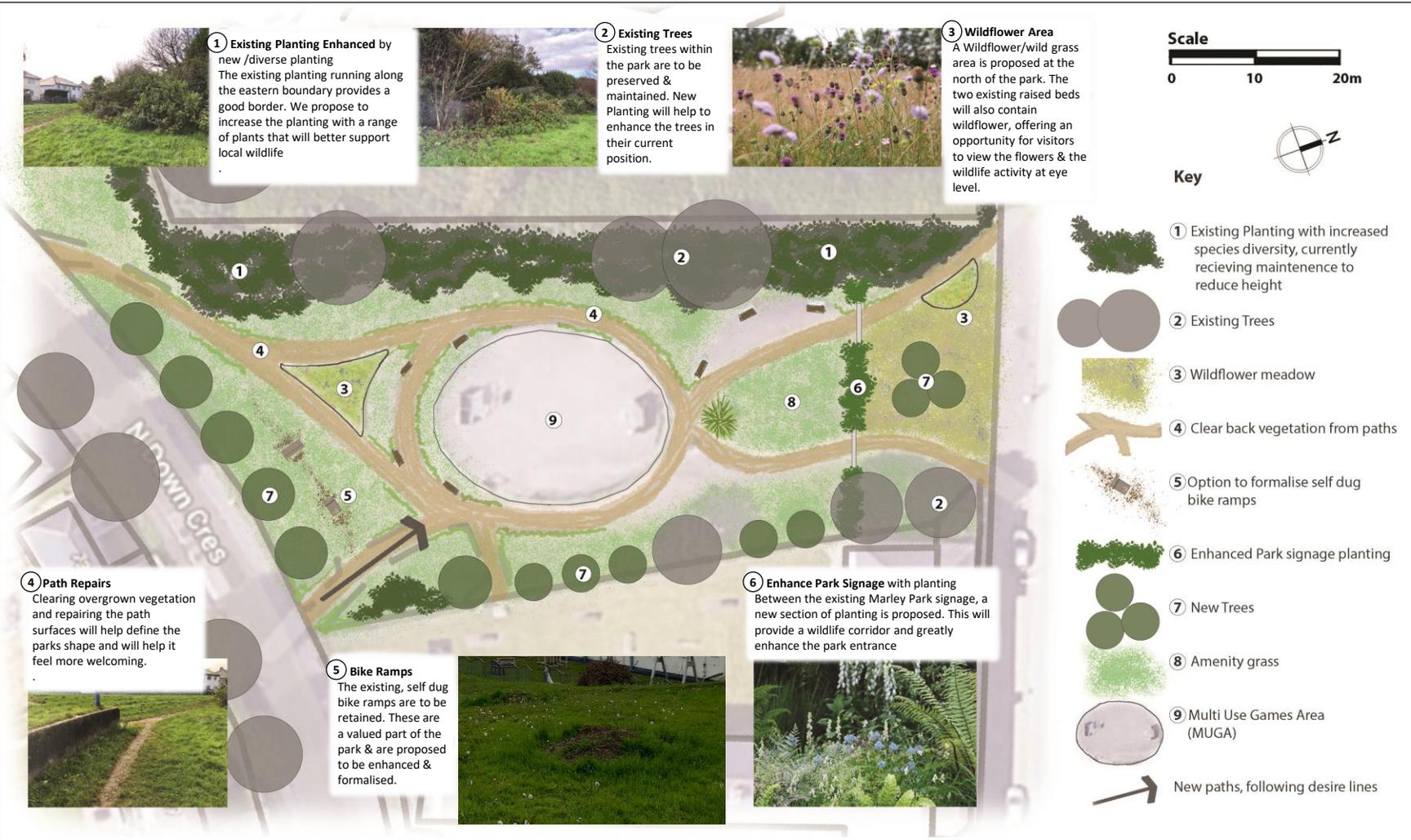
7 Tree Planting in Groups
Within the wildflower area (NO. 5) we propose planting new trees in small groups. This will provide more spaces for wildlife, frame views from the park and provide nature-based learning opportunities for children using this space.



8 Natural Planting (small bushes/scrub)
We propose more natural, native planting along the fence by the railway, to better support the existing wildlife corridor along the railway cutting. Planting will provide food for local wildlife such as pollen from flowers, fruit, seeds and nuts. The planting will also screen the fencing along this boundary of the park

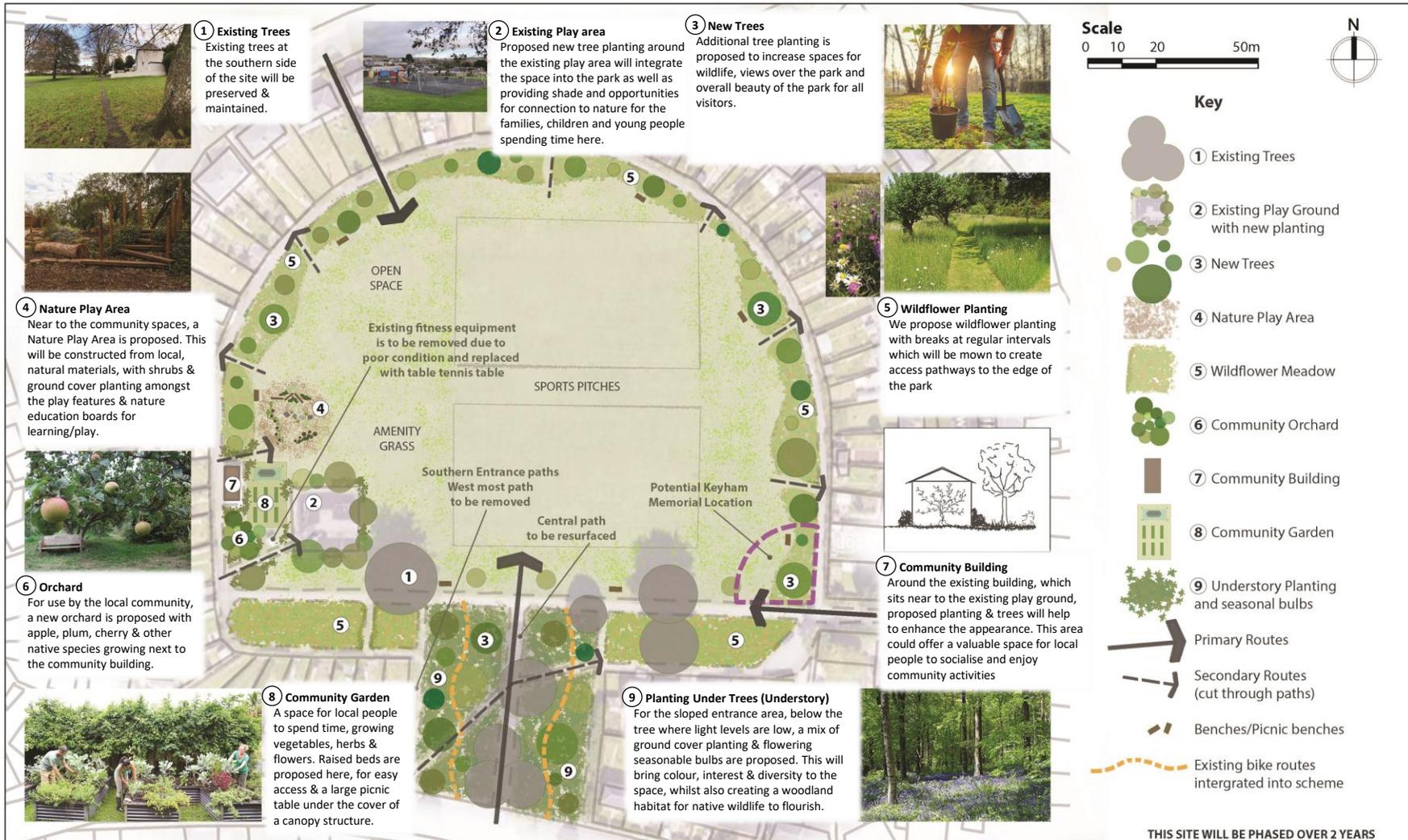
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1 Existing Trees
Existing trees at the southern side of the site will be preserved & maintained.

2 Existing Play area
Proposed new tree planting around the existing play area will integrate the space into the park as well as providing shade and opportunities for connection to nature for the families, children and young people spending time here.

3 New Trees
Additional tree planting is proposed to increase spaces for wildlife, views over the park and overall beauty of the park for all visitors.

4 Nature Play Area
Near to the community spaces, a Nature Play Area is proposed. This will be constructed from local, natural materials, with shrubs & ground cover planting amongst the play features & nature education boards for learning/play.

5 Wildflower Planting
We propose wildflower planting with breaks at regular intervals which will be mown to create access pathways to the edge of the park

6 Orchard
For use by the local community, a new orchard is proposed with apple, plum, cherry & other native species growing next to the community building.

7 Community Building
Around the existing building, which sits near to the existing play ground, proposed planting & trees will help to enhance the appearance. This area could offer a valuable space for local people to socialise and enjoy community activities

8 Community Garden
A space for local people to spend time, growing vegetables, herbs & flowers. Raised beds are proposed here, for easy access & a large picnic table under the cover of a canopy structure.

9 Planting Under Trees (Understory)
For the sloped entrance area, below the tree where light levels are low, a mix of ground cover planting & flowering seasonable bulbs are proposed. This will bring colour, interest & diversity to the space, whilst also creating a woodland habitat for native wildlife to flourish.

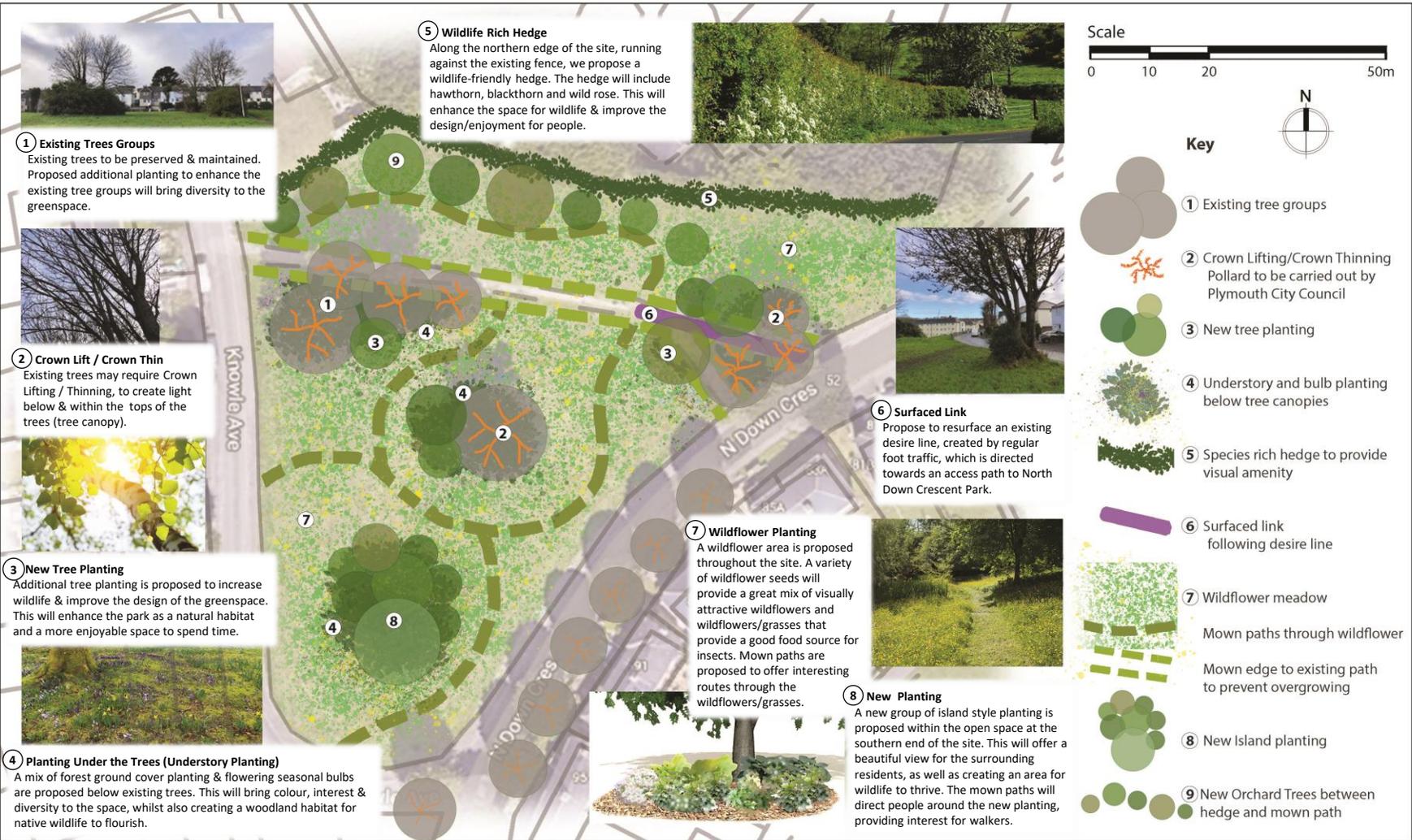
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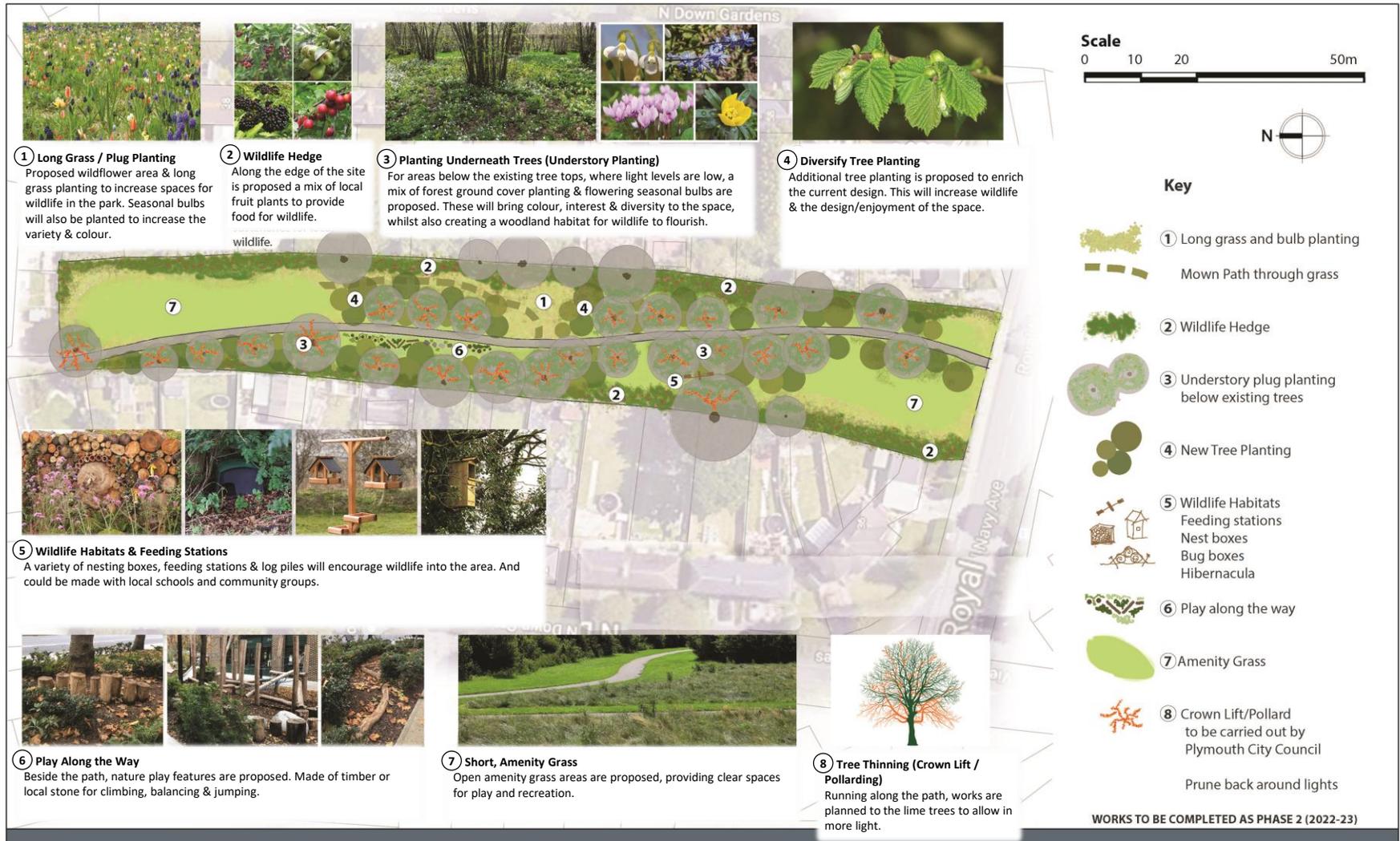
- 1 Existing Trees
- 2 Existing Play Ground with new planting
- 3 New Trees
- 4 Nature Play Area
- 5 Wildflower Meadow
- 6 Community Orchard
- 7 Community Building
- 8 Community Garden
- 9 Understory Planting and seasonal bulbs
- Primary Routes
- Secondary Routes (cut through paths)
- Benches/Picnic benches
- Existing bike routes integrated into scheme

THIS SITE WILL BE PHASED OVER 2 YEARS



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① Long Grass / Plug Planting
Proposed wildflower area & long grass planting to increase spaces for wildlife in the park. Seasonal bulbs will also be planted to increase the variety & colour.



② Wildlife Hedge
Along the edge of the site is proposed a mix of local fruit plants to provide food for wildlife.



③ Planting Underneath Trees (Understory Planting)
For areas below the existing tree tops, where light levels are low, a mix of forest ground cover planting & flowering seasonal bulbs are proposed. These will bring colour, interest & diversity to the space, whilst also creating a woodland habitat for wildlife to flourish.



④ Diversify Tree Planting
Additional tree planting is proposed to enrich the current design. This will increase wildlife & the design/enjoyment of the space.



⑤ Wildlife Habitats & Feeding Stations
A variety of nesting boxes, feeding stations & log piles will encourage wildlife into the area. And could be made with local schools and community groups.



⑥ Play Along the Way
Beside the path, nature play features are proposed. Made of timber or local stone for climbing, balancing & jumping.



⑦ Short, Amenity Grass
Open amenity grass areas are proposed, providing clear spaces for play and recreation.



⑧ Tree Thinning (Crown Lift / Pollarding)
Running along the path, works are planned to the lime trees to allow in more light.

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1 Tree thinning (Crown Lift / Crown Thin)
Existing trees may require Crown Lifting / Thinning to create light below & within the tree canopy..

2 Wildlife Hedge
Along the edge of the site is proposed a mix of local, fruiting plants to provide food for wildlife.

3 Planting Underneath the Trees (Understory Planting)
For areas below the existing tree canopies, where light levels are low, a mix of forest ground cover planting & flowering seasonal bulbs are proposed. These will bring colour, interest & diversity to the space, whilst also creating a woodland habitat for wildlife to flourish.

4 Diversify Tree Planting
Additionally tree planting is proposed to improve the current design for wildlife and people to enjoy.

5 Wildlife Habitats & Feeding Stations
A variety of nesting boxes, feeding stations & log piles will encourage wildlife into the area. And could be made with local schools and community groups.

6 Shrub Planting by Sloping Path
At the southern end of the park, where the land slopes steeply, shrub planting beside the path is proposed. This will add interest to the design of the space & provide diversity for local wildlife.

7 Wildflower Area Over Sloping Land
Where the park becomes steeply sloped, a wildflower area is proposed. This will need less maintenance & will increase wildlife in the park, whilst adding colour to the landscape when in flower.

8 Short, Amenity Grass
Open amenity grass areas are proposed, providing clear spaces for play and recreation.

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- 1 Existing tree Crown lift/Crown thin
Pollard to be carried out by Plymouth City Council this year
Prune back around lights
- 2 Wildlife Hedge
- 3 Understory plug planting below existing trees
- 4 New Tree Planting
- 5 Shrub planting by sloping path
- 6 Wildlife Habitats
Feeding stations
Nest boxes
Bug boxes
Hibernacula
- 7 Wildflower meadow with mown path
- 8 Amenity Grass

Keyham Green Spaces, Linear Park 2 (South of Royal Navy Avenue)
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