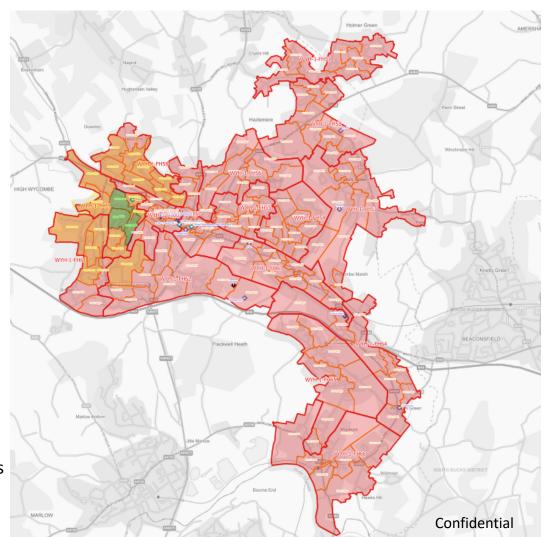
CityFibre's
High Wycombe
Project

Neil Madle– Area Manager Lisa Chinn – City Build Manager





HIGH WYCOMBE SUMMARY



- Investment £23m
- Homes approx. 47,000
- Businesses & Public Sector can also be served
- Single FEX Mill End Road
- CityFibre city build team being mobilised, led by build manager Lisa Chinn
- Build Partner is Instalcom
- Build start date July 2022
- First homes live for service by end 2022 multiple ISPs
- > 2/3 year build
- Crew levels and permits being discussed with Highways
- Social housing & HA wayleaves needed to ensure inclusion

Green – complete Yellow – in progress Red – not started



Construction process — street by street The construction process outside each home typically takes 1-2 days



1. Setting up site

Most work takes place in the pavement, not the road itself. Dig site barriers ensure safety.



2. Laying the ducts

Our construction team dig narrow trenches to hold the protective ducting through which the fibre cables run. Trenches pass driveway entrances – but they are covered until the work is done to allow cars across.

As each property is passed, a small connection box (about the size of a mobile phone) is built into the pavement. When a resident takes a service, fibre is simply extended from the connection box into the home.



3. Reinstating the pavement

After duct installation, we reinstate pavement surfaces and leave the street as we found it by replacing paving slabs or covering with tarmac to match. New tarmac may appear darker in colour but fades over time.



4. Full-fibre installation

When the construction work in each street is completed, our engineers feed the fibre through the duct to the nearest fibre cabinet. This connects the street to the wider network and brings gigabit broadband within reach of each home. This bit is quick and unlikely to cause further disturbance or inconvenience for residents.



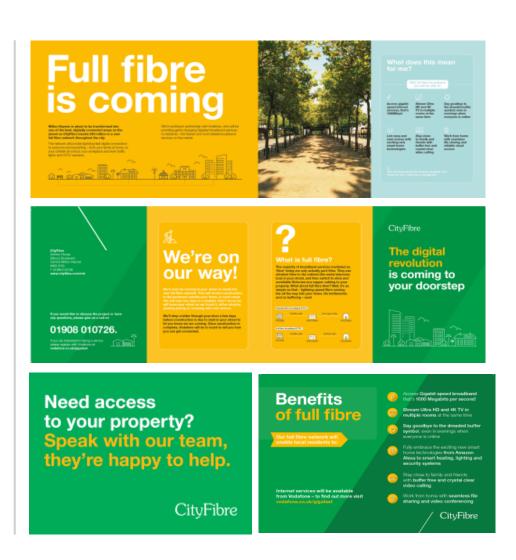
5. The street is Gigabit ready!

With the street connected to one of the fastest full fibre networks in the world, residents are then able to access the brand new gigabit-capable broadband services from our ISP partners



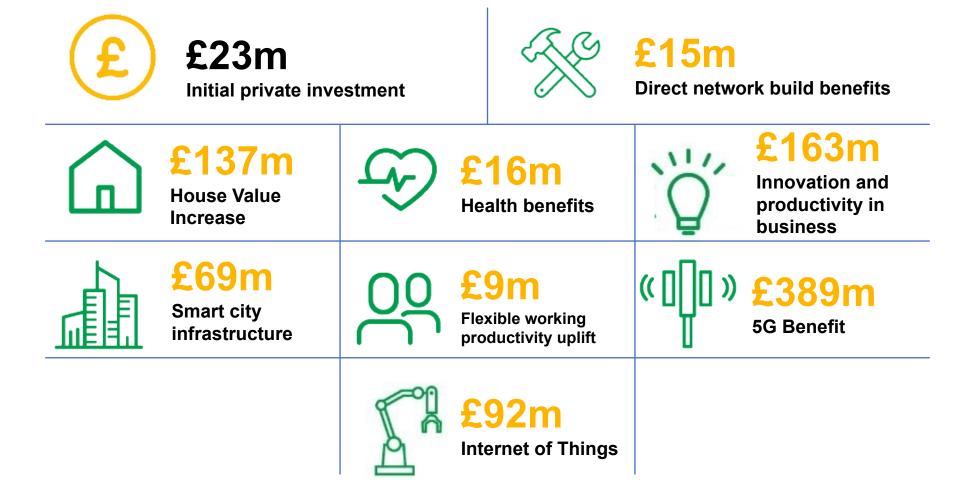
Resident and Construction Communication

- 1. Project introduction door knock (2-4 weeks before build start)
- 2. Build notice letter(2-7 days before build start)
- **3. Parking notices** (48 hours before build start)
- **4. Site branding** (during build)
- 5. Wider community engagement (ongoing)





Our 15-year impact on the local economy







Buckinghamshire Council's Role in High Wycombe Development

Our Roles and Responsibilities

The council play a key part in enabling Cityfibre to roll out their deployment in and around High Wycombe. The below list details these areas of support:

- a) Monthly calls with Highways and Streetworks to discuss build plans, supplier performance and to help shape future development
- b) Using data gathered from other suppliers and central government to ensure Cityfibre are working in areas where other suppliers aren't
- c) Ongoing dialogue to minimise disruption to residents
- d) Supporting growth in High Wycombe by assisting Cityfibre to maximise rollout to as many premises as possible