# **Analyst and Investor Site Visit Montague Park**



Hosted by
Barratt Southern Region
BDW Southern Counties & DWH Southern





### Introduction

# Mark Clare Group Chief Executive





# Good progress with Group's key objectives

**Build profitability** 

Maintain appropriate capital structure

**Drive ROCE** 

**Targets for FY16** 

16,000 completions (inc JV's)

90% completions from higher margin land

**18% ROCE** 

Minimal year end net debt

Land creditors c. 35% of owned land

3x dividend cover

On track

On track

On track











## **Operational highlights**









### Management team



Mark Clare
Group Chief Executive

Rob Tansey Group HR Director



Patrick Law Group Corporate Affairs Director



David Thomas Group FD



Steven Boyes Group COO



Nick Richardson MD, Wilson Bowden



Jeremy Hipkiss Group Sales & Marketing Director

John Reed RMD, Northern Bernard Rooney RMD, Central

Alastair Baird RMD, London



Gary Ennis RMD, Southern

Richard Brooke RMD, East

Chris Burton RMD, West

Tom Keevil

**Group General** 

Counsel & Company Secretary



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David Wilson Homes

# Agenda

Introduction to Southern	Gary Ennis Regional Managing Director			
David Wilson at Montague Park	Paul Crispin Managing Director, DWH Southern			
Tour of David Wilson showhomes Presentation on Design	In Groups			
Tour of construction site	In Groups			
Barratt Homes at Montague Park	James Watson Managing Director, BDW Southern Counties			
Tour of Barratt showhomes Presentation of sales app	In Groups			
Oakley Court Hotel – BBQ lunch				
Land Presentation	Gary Ennis, Regional Managing Director Steven Boyes, Chief Operating Officer Nick Richardson, Managing Director, WBD			
Sales & Marketing	Jeremy Hipkiss, Group Sales & Marketing Director Ed McCoy, Group Head of Sales			
Wrap-up and Q&A				
Drinks				





# Introduction to Southern Region

**Gary Ennis** 

Regional Managing Director, Southern





# Southern Region – management team



Julian Hodder
Regional Finance Director
2 years with Barratt
14 years in industry



Gary Ennis
Regional Managing Director
18 years with Barratt
25 years in industry



Adam Tillion
Regional Technical Director
15 years with Barratt
32 years in industry



James Watson Managing Director BDW Southern Counties

6 years with Barratt 20 years in industry



David Knight
Managing Director
BDW North London

Joined Barratt in February 2014 30 years in industry



Paul Crispin Managing Director DWH Southern

30 years with Barratt 38 years in industry



David Eardley
Managing Director
BDW Eastern Counties

8 years with Barratt 25 years in industry



Mark Bailey
Managing Director
BDW Kent

3 years with Barratt 27 years in industry



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# Southern Region – operational area

#### **SOUTHERN REGION**

1. Barratt David Wilson Southern Counties

Guildford, Surrey (Surrey, West Sussex, Hampshire)

2. David Wilson Homes Southern

Hungerford, Berkshire (Wiltshire, Berkshire, Oxfordshire)

3. Barratt David Wilson North London

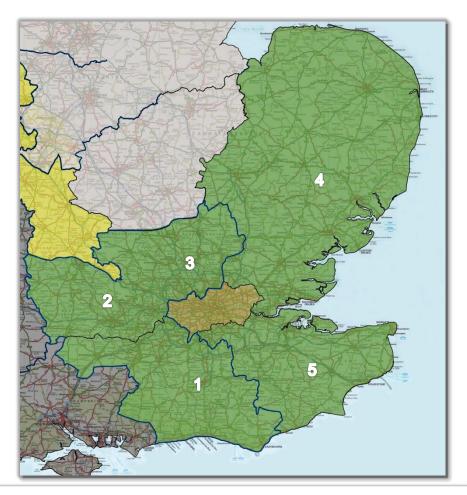
Watford, Hertfordshire
(North London, Hertfordshire, Berkshire, Buckinghamshire)

4. Barratt David Wilson Eastern Counties

Chelmsford, Essex (Essex, Cambridgeshire, Suffolk, Norfolk)

5. Barratt David Wilson Kent

Sundridge, Kent (Kent)







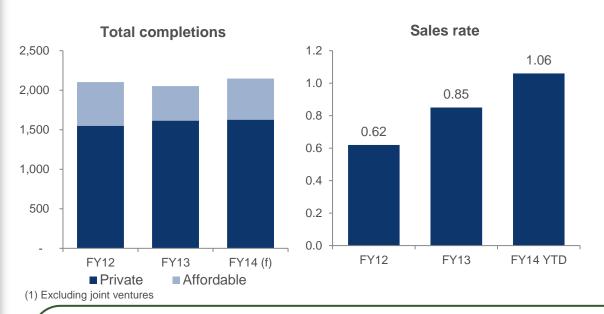
## Southern Region – key strengths

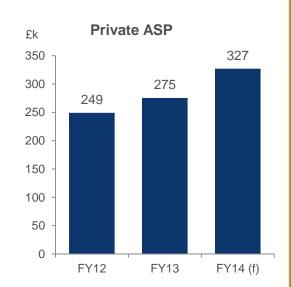
- Diverse product range
- Dual branding capability
- Excellent design & customer care
- Long term local presence
  - excellent reputation
  - in-depth relationships
- Strong local management team
  - home grown talent
  - training & development





### Southern Region – sales performance<sup>(1)</sup>



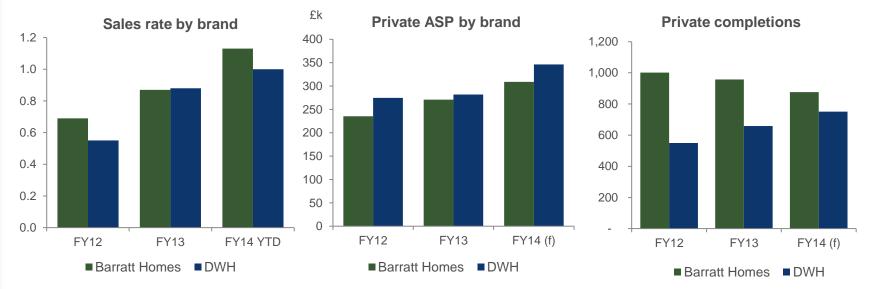


- Strong uplift in sales since H2 FY13 following launch of HTB
- Overall completions relatively consistent over the period
- Average sales of one private unit p/w per outlet this year
- ASP growth due to combination of market improvements and mix changes
- Movement away from apartments to houses has driven this change





### Southern Region – brand performance(1)



- (1) Excluding joint ventures
  - Similar sales rate across both brands
  - DWH brand focused around larger units hence higher ASP
  - Mix moving toward 60:40 split for Barratt/DWH as all divisions become fully dual branded





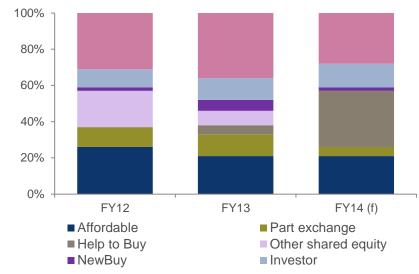
## Southern Region – product mix(1)





- (1) Excluding joint ventures
  - Movement away from apartments to houses in FY12 to FY14
- Land acquisition strategy focused around housing developments therefore apartment % will continue to fall



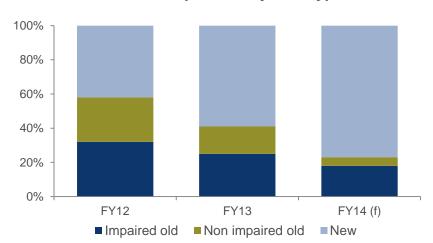


- HTB running at c. 30% of reservations
- PX dependency fallen as a result and now accounts for <5%</li>
- Investor sales increased and now running at c. 13% of completions

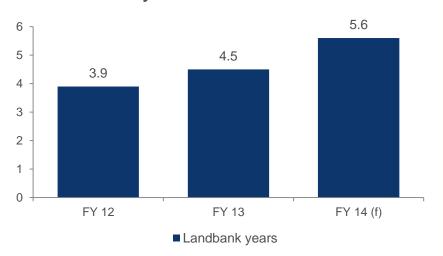








#### Landbank years - owned and conditional



- (1) Excluding joint ventures
  - 23% of completions from old land in FY14 lower than group at 34%
  - Focus has been on building a new land supply with strong success on acquisition and planning achieved
  - Land supply increased from 3.9 to 5.6 years
  - Private land continues to be the main source but ongoing, strong success with public land (making up c. 20% of our land)





## Montague Park, Wokingham

An outstanding greenfield site located in the traditional market town of Wokingham.

This innovative and highly desirable development will provide quality homes and associated infrastructure to create a whole new community.

#### **Key Data**

Divisions DWH Southern

**BDW Southern** 

Counties

Land source Strategic

GDV £175m

Total units 620

Affordable 23%

ROCE (f'cast) 40%







## Montague Park – timeline

December 1996 DWH acquired freehold for Buckhurst Farm

(74.5 acres greenfield land)

November 2000 DWH acquired option over 10.75 acres of land between Buckhurst Farm and

London Road

December 2012 Outline planning permission granted

July 2013 Group land committee approval granted

October 2013 Completed on land acquisition (land to owned landbank)

November 2013 DWH/BH start on site

December 2013 Start housebuild

March & April 2014 Barratt & DWH Marketing suites opened

June 2014 First completions forecast

December 2019 Expected site completion







**Local Centre** 

### Pricing a development



(1) Rightmove, Zoopla, Hometrack, estate agents, competitors





# Paul Crispin Managing Director, DWH Southern



### **David Wilson Homes at Montague Park**

GDV	£100m
Acreage	17
Total plots	351
Private plots	280
Affordable	20%



Private ASP<sup>(1)</sup>
Private revenue / sq ft
Private units sold to date
ROCE<sup>(1)</sup>

£270k - £700k £360 16 40%



(1) Forecast based on current house price expectations



### **David Wilson Homes at Montague Park**

### Pre launch marketing plan

•	Public exhibitions	2013
•	Local newsletters	2013
•	'Coming Soon' on website	Nov-13
•	Other media activity	Feb-14
•	CRM leads qualified (2000)	Mar-14
•	VIP launch invitation only	Apr-14
•	Public launch 2 weeks later	Apr-14



### **Pricing strategy**

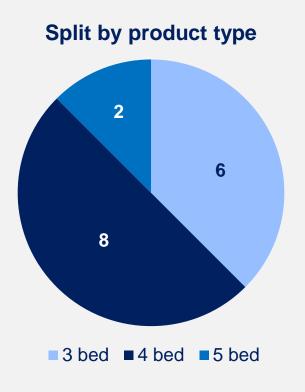
- Premium launch prices due to demand
- Minimal Incentives utilised
- Controlled number of plots 'for sale'
- Constant price review



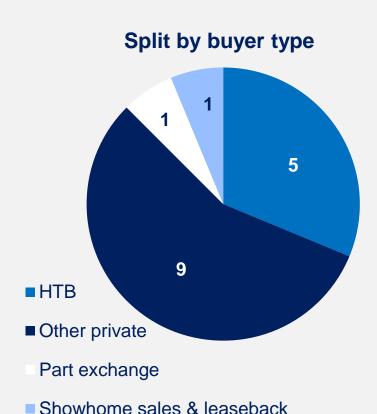


### **David Wilson Homes at Montague Park**

#### Private reservations to date







Q&A







### Benefits of good design







# Great design delivering real benefits

**Trumpington Meadows, Cambridge** 





- Excellent Vendor relationship
- Impressed with Phase 1 delivery
- Offered Phase 2 850 homes
- Contemporary design



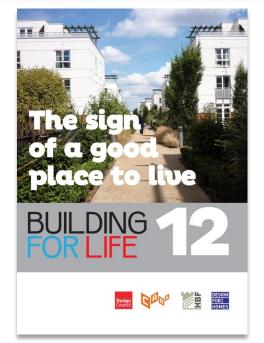
- 13 weeks to secure planning
- Sensitive greenbelt
- 98 homes
- Rural, parkland design





### **Building for Life 12**

- Government recognised independent standard for residential design quality in place making
- Re-worked in 2012 to respond to change in government, the new NPPF and the Localism Act
- Tool for shaping design discussion around12 key issues for good residential design
- Simple traffic light system
- Objective is design consensus between various stakeholders throughout the whole process
- Quality kitemark introduced called 'Built for Life' www.builtforlifehomes.org











### **Great Places**

- Designed to help Divisions achieve Built for Life quality mark
- Based on twelve Building for Life key design issues
- Three main aspects:
  - Publicity Booklet (demonstrate design ethos and illustrate recent achievements)
  - Design Guidance
     (guide focused on Built for Life with "How To" examples)
  - Annual Awards Process
     (submit completed schemes which are assessed by a panel of in-house experts)



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# 12 key issues for good design

**Integrating into the Neighbourhood** 

Connections (links to the existing area)

Facilities & Services

Public Transport Connections

Local Housing Need

**Creating a Place** 



Working with the site and its context

Well defined street structure

Finding your way around

**Street and Home** 





Public & Private Spaces

External Storage

Key: Pink = informed by location, Blue = designer's responsibility





### 1: Connections







### 2: Facilities and services

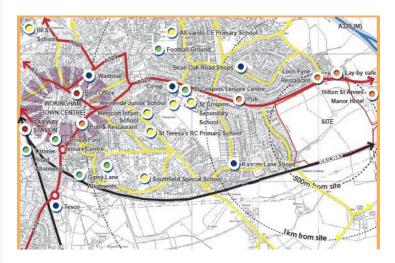




Fig 1.4 View north along Buckhurst Boulevard Into Buckhurst Square



Fig 5.18 Transportation







# 6: Working with the site and its context







# 8: Finding your way around











### **Barratt design success**

- National Urban Design Awards 2014 (Developer Award) Barratt Homes for Maple Quays, London
- London Evening Standard 2014 New Homes Awards (Best Large Development) – Trumpington Meadows, Cambridge
- Built for Life 2014 Awards Montague Park, Wokingham; De Lacy Court, Castle Donnington; The Chocolate Works, York; Derwenthorpe, York; Cottam Hall, Preston; Hendon Waterside, Brentford; Hollygate Park, Cotgrave
- What House? 2013 Awards (Best Development) Derwenthorpe, York (Silver); De Lacy Court, Castle Donnington (Bronze)
- Housing Design Awards 2013 Completed Development Winner, Derwenthorpe, York; Project Scheme Winner, Evolution, Edgware
- Six schemes shortlisted for the forthcoming 2014 Housing Design Awards















### Benefits of good design







Q&A





# Standard product

- Utilisation of standard house types
  - David Wilson and Barratt ranges
  - private and affordable
- Wokingham planners required more contemporary design
  - elevational treatment of house design adapted
- Retain flexibility
  - changes to standard specification reflecting specific market demand
  - increase profitability
- Customer Extras allows for personalisation and additional revenue on plot sale

New standard range launched in 2010

c. 75% of total Group completions (excluding London) use standard product

Barratt Standard Range

- Classic range
- County range

David Wilson Standard Range

- Dash 5 range



# Affordable housing

- Southern region FY13 21% affordable
- Staged payments throughout construction
  - c. 40% of house value at 'Golden Brick' stage - one brick course above ground floor slab
- Montague Park
  - 23% affordable housing on site
  - commuted sum paid annually to the Local authority in lieu of on-site provision
  - location considered as part of overall site design – nearer to smaller homes
  - tenure blind architecture

FY13: 2,268 affordable

completions

FY13: £232.3m affordable

revenue

% of total FY13 completions:

- Group 17%

- Southern 21%



# Work in progress

- Project programme
- Plots managed in 9 key build stages
- WIP release reviewed monthly at Divisional Board meetings
- Build stage release authorised by Regional Managing Director
- Group metrics for WIP determine site specific levels of build commitment
- Current sales environment also factored into WIP release consideration

#### As at 31 Dec 2013

Total Group WIP £1,136m

- London: 21% - Regional: 79%

Top 25 sites: £368m

- London: 48%- Regional: 52%

Average stock

units per site: 2.6



# Joint project plan

- · Compounds located centrally
  - efficiently serve project over a longer period
- Compounds adjacent to facilitate good communication on shared works
- Substantial road built
  - meets planning restriction on construction traffic using only DWH entrance
  - to service the school by Aug 2014
- Lead developer (DWH) constructed infrastructure roads and drainage
  - controls cost and management
- Primary school required by 200<sup>th</sup> occupation



# Labour and material supply

#### Labour

- Subcontractors employed on all trades
- 'Partnering approach'
- Seminars provide 'advance' notice of workload
- Trades tendered on a project basis new contractors introduced to widen the base, and test market rates

#### **Materials**

- 85% procured centrally
- Supply, particularly bricks and blocks, scheduled
   12 months in advance
- Alternative methods of build used to mitigate shortages

Materials & labour c.25% of revenue (typical house)

#### Employees on site (31 Dec 13):

- Barratt c. 3,700

- Sub contractors c. 12,500

#### Annual usage of:

- Bricks 155m

- Blocks 245,000m<sup>2</sup>

- Radiators 150,000

- Kitchens 15,000



- Health and Safety Plan for each development
- Independent Checks not less than monthly by SHE Advisors
- All sites must achieve target score of 93% process for immediate correction if not achieved
- Considerate Contractor Scheme
- Wokingham managed as a Consortium site gateman controlling vehicular access
- Montague Park SHE score averaging 96%

Divisions adhere to Safety, Health and Environmental (SHE) guidelines

FY13 - 5,437 monitoring visits, compliance rate of 97%

NHBC Health and Safety - 2014 shortlisted for five awards

Considerate Constructor - 2 silver and 5 bronze

Injury Incidence Rate reduced by 43% over last 3 years



- Site team and NHBC inspect all plots at key build stages
- 'Forward Through Quality' internal framework
  - development inspected monthly by divisional directors
  - on completion home inspected by site manager, sales advisor and contracts manager
  - final inspection of every plot by a divisional director
  - key question 'Would you move your family into this home tomorrow?'
- Quality of environment around home reviewed

#### **HBF 5 Star Status**

5 Star status for fifth consecutive year - ahead of any other national housebuilder



NHBC Pride in the Job **Awards** 

In 2013, site managers won



102 awards - the most ever won by a housebuilder

5 year warranty on fixtures & fittings

# **Barratt Homes at Montague Park**

£345

23

40%

GDV	£75m
Acreage	14
Total plots	267
Private plots	198
Affordable	26%



Private ASP<sup>(1)</sup> £190k - £495k Private revenue / sq ft Private units sold to date ROCE<sup>(1)</sup>

(1) Forecast based on current house price expectations



#### **Barratt Homes at Montague Park**

#### Pre launch marketing plan

•	'Coming soon' website launch	Nov-13
•	'Pre-launch' media activity starts	Jan-14
•	2,000 registered leads	Mar 14
•	Launch – invitation only	Mar-14
•	First 20 homes released	Mar-14
•	Public launch	Apr-14
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#### **Pricing strategy**

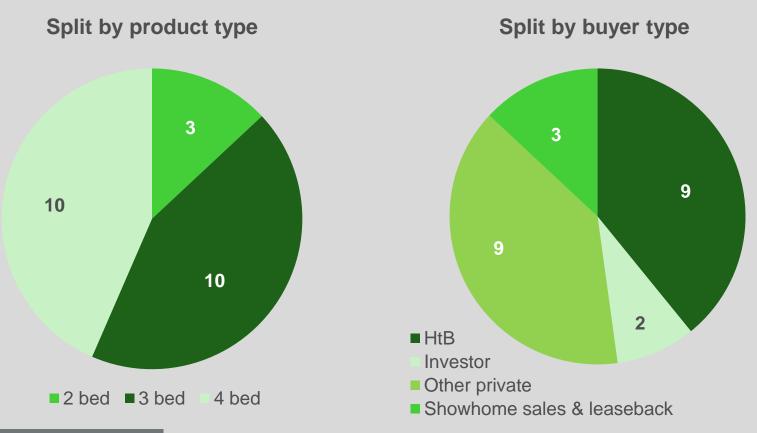
- Detailed local second hand market information
- Review new developments in area price, product and specification
- Detailed analysis of each plot
- Final review of pricing pre launch
- Review over launch continue to optimise price





#### **Barratt Homes at Montague Park**

Private reservations to date





# **Land Presentation**

#### Steven Boyes

**Group Chief Operating Officer** 

# **Gary Ennis**

Regional Managing Director, Southern

#### **Nick Richardson**

Managing Director, Wilson Bowden Developments





# **Optimised operational model**

#### **Land acquisition**

- Right sites & product
- 4.5 year landbank
- Smaller site size
- Conditional land
- Deferred payments

#### Construction

- Minimise 'paid for' infrastructure
- Standardised product
- Control of WIP

#### Sales & marketing

- Affordable housing delivery
- Dual branded sites
- Best in class sales & marketing



#### **Fast Asset Turn**





# Land buying - criteria

- Targeted areas 35% of local authorities
- Regionally balanced portfolio
- Minimum hurdle rates
  - 20% Gross Margin
  - 25% ROCE
- Deferred terms matching revenues and costs
- Maximise planning opportunity, minimise planning risk

**Operational** 

**Public sector** 

**Strategic** 



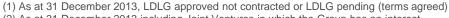
Maximise ROCE
Optimise balance of risk & return





# Flexible, efficient land supply

**Strategic Operational Public sector** Options granted 60,950 plots 9,360 plots Approved & terms agreed land (1)(2) 51 sites Conditional land<sup>(2)</sup> 114 sites Target 4.5 Owned land<sup>(2)</sup> 50,745 plots 516 sites year supply **Maximise ROCE** Optimise balance of risk & return



(2) As at 31 December 2013 including Joint Ventures in which the Group has an interest





#### Public sector land – best in class

- Excellent track record
- Key strength especially in more competitive London and South East land markets
- Strong HCA and Government relationships
- Unique specialist public sector partnerships team
- Gross margin exceeds hurdle rate
- Very attractive ROCE





#### **Public sector land**

- Public land from multiple sources
- Member of all HCA Delivery Partner Panels
- More than 21,500 plots with gross development value of c. £4.6bn secured since mid 2009
- C. 49% of land secured by London and Southern regions
- Government on track to release 100k plots by 2015

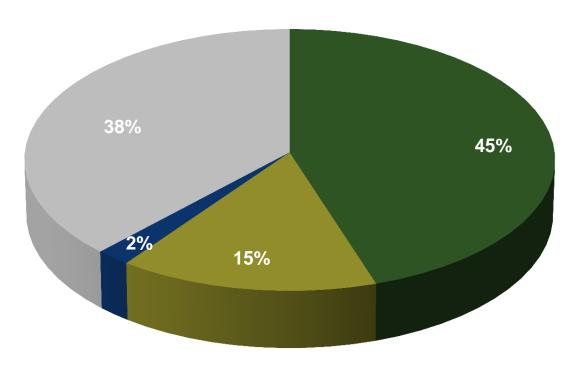


Barratt best positioned to maximise the opportunity





#### **Sources of Barratt Public Sector Land**



#### May 2009 to date

Total GDV £4.6bn

Total sites 123

Total units 21,514

■ OJEU

■ Local Authority Framework

■ HCA Delivery Partner Panel

■ Conventional public land disposal





#### Public land – bidding process & criteria

- Lengthy, heavily regulated selection process
- Multiple stages between 6 to 12 months
- Focus on selection of long term developer partner NOT simply selling land
- Assessment against 'Evaluation Criteria' based on 'Quality' and 'Price'
- Detailed proposals for:
  - design, environment, planning, construction, sales and marketing, employment and training, community engagement, social housing and long term management
- Often non standard development and framework legal agreements, different business models, JV companies and funding arrangements
- Different values, processes, drivers, individuals and language required compared to private treaty





# Milford Hospital, Upper Tuesley, Surrey







GDV: **£53.6m** 

Division: Barratt Homes Southern Counties

Accommodation: 98 dwellings plus 10 self-build plots

Partner: **HCA** 

Procurement: **OJEU** 

Site Area: 31.3 acres

Delivery Period: January 2014 to June 2017

Tenure: 60% Private & 40% Affordable

Status: Won FY13 / Contracted FY14





# Spencer Park, Hemel Hempstead





GDV: **£89.4m** 

Division: Barratt David Wilson, North London

Accommodation: 357 dwellings plus Community

Centre & shop

Partner(s): HCA

Procurement: Land disposal

Site Area: 30.63 acres

Delivery Period: September 2014 to August 2018

Tenure: 60% Private & 40% Affordable

Status: Won FY13 / Contracted FY14





# Strategic land – accelerating ambition

- Increasingly important part of our operating model
  - securing future land pipeline
  - focus is on optioned land

# Increasing rate of acquisition

- FY13 c. 11,800 plots on 61 sites options approved
- FY14(YTD) c.
   24,000 plots on 58
   sites options
   approved

# Strong flow through to consented landbank

- FY13 2,557 plots
- FY14 (YTD) 4,741 plots

# Increasing % of completions

- FY13 7%
- FY14 c. 10%
- FY15 c. 15%





# Strategic land by region



31 Dec 2013	Plots	Sites
Northern	20,130	85
Central	4,820	27
East	13,200	50
West	8,170	44
Southern	14,630	41
Group	60,950	247

- 71% of plots allocated or in LA's with no 5 year land supply
- 85% of strategic sites are smaller than 500 units





# Popley, Basingstoke, Hampshire





GDV: **£106.5m** 

Division: David Wilson Homes Southern

Accommodation: 450 dwellings

Partner(s): Land Owner

Procurement: Option Agreement

Site Area: 50.13 acres

Delivery Period: April 2015 to December 2020

Tenure: 60% Private & 40% Affordable

Status: Won FY14 / Contracted FY14





# Henfield, Horsham, West Sussex





GDV: **£44.4m** 

Division: Barratt David Wilson Southern

**Counties** 

Accommodation: 160 dwellings

Partner(s): Private Land Owner

Procurement: Option Agreement

Site Area: 18 acres

Delivery Period: **December 2015 to December 2018** 

Tenure: 60% Private & 40% Affordable

Status: Won FY11 / Contracted FY15





# Wilson Bowden Developments

#### **Nick Richardson**

**Managing Director** 







#### Wilson Bowden Developments - Areas of Operation

**Legacy Assets - Commercial** 





**Legacy - Town Centre Retail** 





Mixed Use Urban Developments
With Barratt/ David Wilson Homes





Edge of Urban Area or Strategic Mixed Use Urban Developments with Barratt/ David Wilson Homes



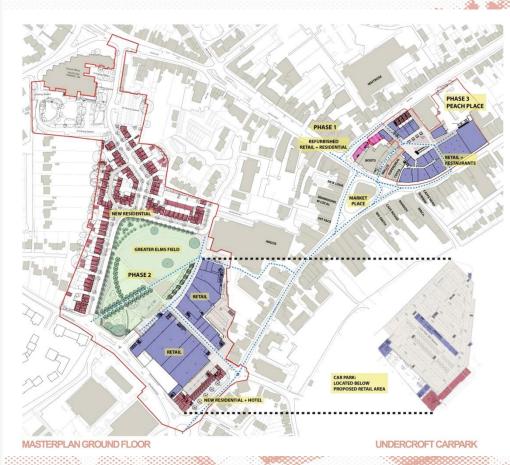








#### Wokingham - Mixed Use





#### **Key Information:**

- Total commercial area 145,000 sq ft
- David Wilson Homes –112 new homes
- ROCE >50%





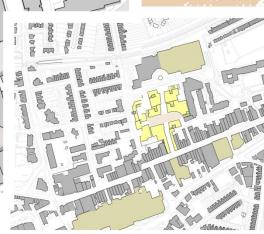


#### **Hounslow - Mixed Use**

# Restaurants Restaurants Restaurants

#### **Key Information:**

- 525 apartments
- Cinema, Restaurant, Retail 110,000 sq ft
- ROCE 38%





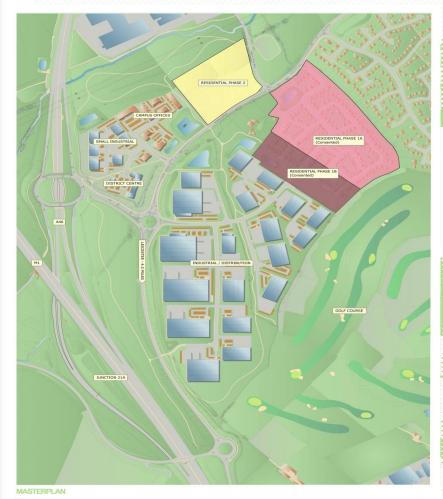








#### Leicester - Mixed Use Urban Extension







#### **Key Information:**

- Commercial Option land Planning won at appeal
- Consent obtained for 250 homes
- Potential for additional c. 140 homes
- Commercial land remaining 59 acres









# **Key Objectives**

- Develop legacy assets
  - deliver cash back into the Group
- Secure further mixed use opportunities
- Leverage Group's commercial expertise to secure residential opportunities







#### Robust land strategy driving returns

#### **Operational**

- Prime location
- 4.5 year landbank
- Smaller site size
- Minimise planning risk

#### **Public sector**

- Best in class
- Competitive advantage in South East
- High ROCE

#### **Strategic**

- Accelerating ambition
- Increasingly significant source of land supply



Maximise ROCE
Optimise balance of risk & return





Q&A





# Industry Leading Sales & Marketing

# **Jeremy Hipkiss**

**Group Sales and Marketing Director** 

&

**Ed McCoy** 

**Group Head of Sales** 



BARRATT — LONDON —



Q&A





# **Closing Remarks**

#### **Mark Clare**

**Group Chief Executive** 





**Operational highlights** Great customer experience Prime Efficient Retail land production capability **Public** Right Best Great places Standardised **Planning** first time designed sector to live capability product Quality & cost delivery homes Exceptional Strategic Industry Mixed use Safe Resource land customer leading sales capability working management relationships service & marketing







#### Conclusion

- Maintain investment discipline
- Secure long term land
- Keep tight control on costs
- Retain good people
- Ensure great customer experience
- Deliver to our shareholders
  - ROCE/Margin



