

# Take Back the City: Mackies

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#### **STUDIO**

## **BRIEF QUESTIONS**

## A healthy place to live; Climate change; Inclusion

Highly insulated timber frame homes using other natural materials built -as far as possible- by and for the Community.

## Co creation; employment skills; management and autonomy

- Engage with the community and the LA to create the masterplan
- Work with Ligna Alba to establish a passive/solar timber kiln 'farm' to provide timber for dwellings, harvested from as close os possible in NI. Create a Garden Festival similar to that established in Chaumont France to create jobs and Community wealth
- Establish a CIC to manage the development



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## **DWELLINGS**

## **Objective**

A mixture of house plan types focussed on affordable units: Terraced housing, semi detached dwellings, flats..typical family terraced flat illustrated

#### Goals

Energy efficient attractive homes for all

## **Solution**

Engage with the Community and the Council to establish an acceptable mix and design of units.



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## STREET SCENE

## **Objective**

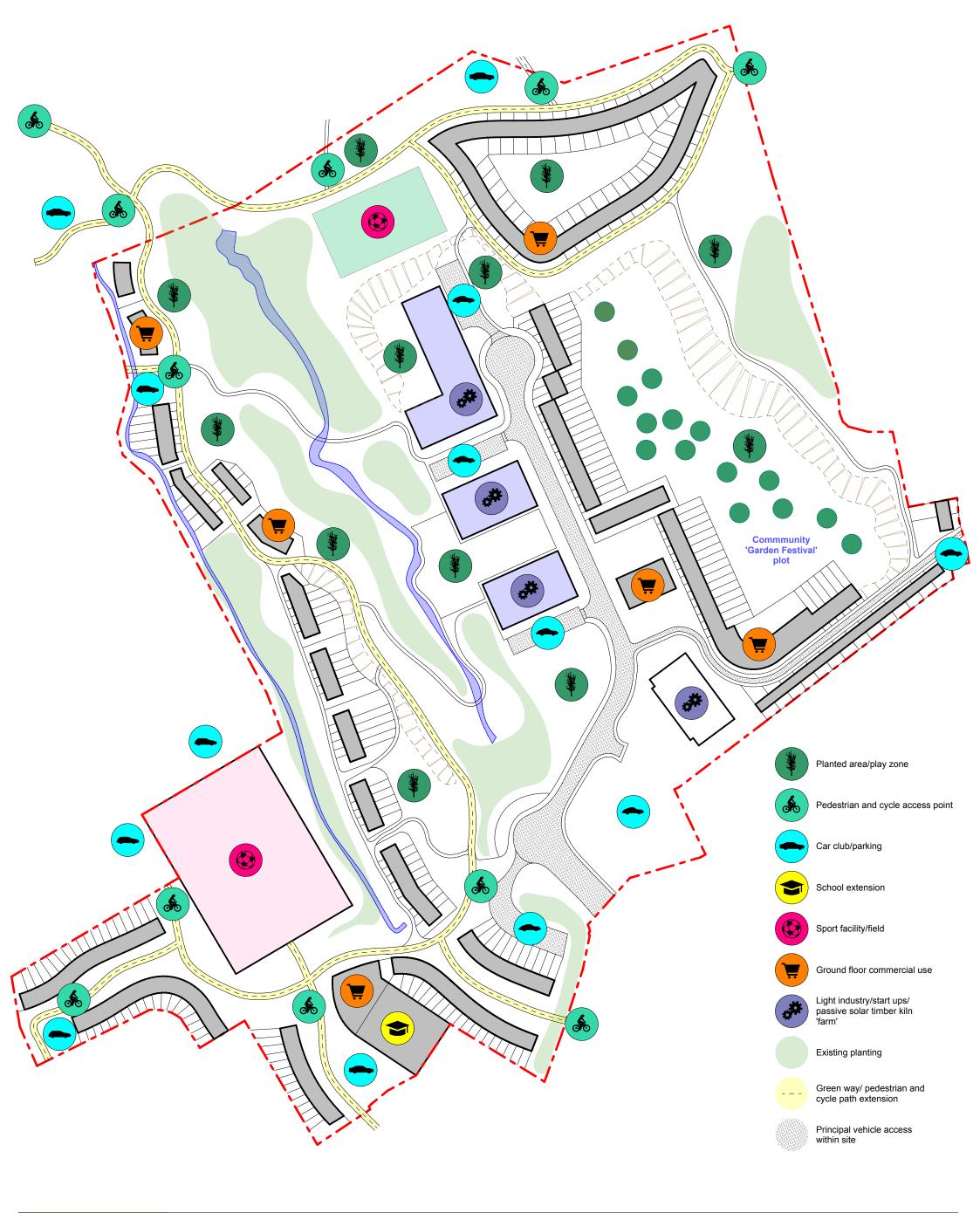
A safe attractive environment in which to live.

### Goals

Car free (by and large), safe attractive streets for all in the Community.

### **Solution**

New housing embraces a greenway which wraps around the site and the existing topography, providing an attractive setting to live and work. A mixture of houses types and tenure across the site focussed on affordable housing.





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Site Plan

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Garden Festival of similar nature to that proposed https://youtu.be/5fMg5EL6iMU

Ligna Alba solar kiln https://youtu.be/OuiKUzL\_hml