

£2.5m + capital investment

Visitors encouraged to spend upwards of 4 hours, or all day in Watchet spending money in shops and cafes and visiting all this town has to offer.

Public Space

Event space for music, performance, community activities

Protection of public realm/open space to relax, meet friends, enjoy surroundings

Spill out area for makers engaged in larger scale work

£2million

Increased tourism spend each year

33 related jobs

Lookout tower to draw in visitors

Making the most of the beautiful views and putting Watchet on the map

5 self-catering accommodation pods, providing revenue to the project and extraordinary places to stay

Pathway around the tower, allowing visitors to climb to the summit

20+ jobs in 'Foundry' building

5+ apprenticeships annually

Makerspace – shared workshop for use by community and businesses

'Making' workshops and studios for small businesses, entrepreneurs, craftspeople...

Improving skills and employment opportunities for young people

Skills sharing projects and courses

Helping mental health and combatting loneliness

Ethos of learning by doing, learning from others, working alongside one another

New café/restaurant

Bringing revenue income through lease and providing great place to enjoy views and meet friends with good food and drink

Walkways

Pathway linking Boat Museum and proposed visitor centre to quay and vantage point and coastal views

Links to longer term plan to improve access coasts

Increasing the number of 'things to do' in Watchet, & providing a better visitor experience

Contains Art

Space for 10 flexible, low cost artist studios

Improved gallery suitable for national exhibits

Community space for events and activities with covered area for bad weather

Brand new marina facilities

Upgraded and larger showers, toilets and laundry facilities

New double storey office with view over marina and boatyard

Retention of 43 berthholder car parking spaces on quayside not Harbour Road

East Quay:

Summary of economic impact of a community-led enterprise, tourism and cultural regeneration project

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