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Public invited to share vision for World Class Stratford

Members of the public are being invited to an informal gathering on Monday 12th November so they can find out more about plans for the World Class Stratford initiative.

The community event – being held between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m. at No.1 Shakespeare Street, Stratford – marks the completion of the Urban Design Framework (UDF) and 'Vision' document for the town that is aimed at reinvigorating one of the most famous tourist destinations in the world.

Representatives from World Class Stratford, Stratford-on-Avon District Council and Warwickshire County Council will be on hand to answer questions and explain the vision behind the exciting and wide-ranging project.

The evening is being organised so people can simply "drop in" at their convenience, talk to those involved and take away copies of the document which outlines the scheme in CD Rom form.

Councillor Les Topham, chairman of the World Class Stratford Strategy Group and leader of Stratford-on-Avon District Council, said: "Everyone who has an interest in the future of Stratford is welcome to this event. It is a positive opportunity for people to find out more about World Class Stratford and gain a more detailed understanding of the proposals and the vision for the town."

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Representatives of the media are also invited to this event

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