

PRESS RELEASE

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PLANS FOR CLARENDON HOUSE TO BE UNVEILED

Proposals for new 'Royal Heights' residential scheme on the site of Clarendon House, Watlington Street, to be displayed at a public consultation on 18 April

Plans brought forward by Reading Heights Limited to redevelop and improve the Clarendon House building, off Watlington Street and Queens Road in Reading, are set to be unveiled at a public consultation event next week. The proposals, which look set to create around 90 new homes in Reading, will be available to view at the South Street Arts Centre between 2.30pm and 7.30pm on Wednesday 18 April.

Developed following close engagement with key local stakeholders and decision makers, these plans look set to bring a disused building on a key route around Reading back into beneficial use, creating new homes and setting a new benchmark for residential development in Reading.

However before submitting the plans to Reading Borough Council, local residents and stakeholders are being invited to view and comment on the proposals.

Mario Luca Balducci, of Reading Heights Limited, said:

"We're delighted to be showcasing our exciting plans for Clarendon House on Wednesday 18 April. These proposals look set to bring major benefits to Reading, regenerating a key town centre gateway and creating much needed new homes.

"However before we submit these proposals to the Council, we are really keen to hear what the local community thinks. I'd encourage anyone who is available to visit our public consultation at the South Street Arts Centre, talk to the project team and share their thoughts on these proposals. All feedback we receive will be considered, and will be used to help further develop these plans."

Following the public consultation event, all comments received will be reviewed and considered as the project develops further.

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Notes to editors

The address of the venue which will host the consultation event is 21 South St, Reading RG1 4QU

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