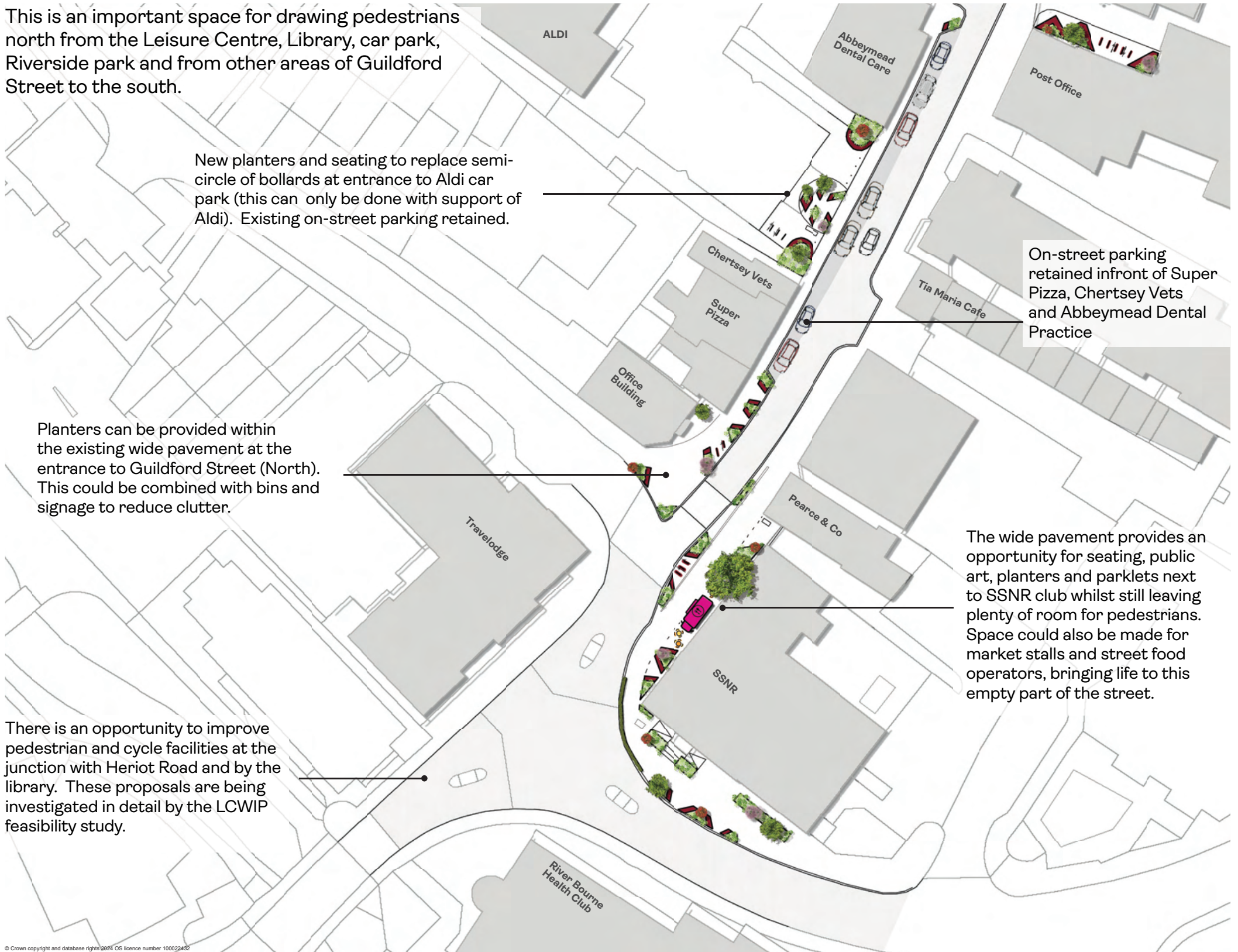


Area 3: Southern Gateway

Guildford Street

This is an important space for drawing pedestrians north from the Leisure Centre, Library, car park, Riverside park and from other areas of Guildford Street to the south.



New planters and seating to replace semi-circle of bollards at entrance to Aldi car park (this can only be done with support of Aldi). Existing on-street parking retained.

On-street parking retained in front of Super Pizza, Chertsey Vets and Abbeymead Dental Practice

Planters can be provided within the existing wide pavement at the entrance to Guildford Street (North). This could be combined with bins and signage to reduce clutter.

The wide pavement provides an opportunity for seating, public art, planters and parklets next to SSNR club whilst still leaving plenty of room for pedestrians. Space could also be made for market stalls and street food operators, bringing life to this empty part of the street.

There is an opportunity to improve pedestrian and cycle facilities at the junction with Heriot Road and by the library. These proposals are being investigated in detail by the LCWIP feasibility study.



Indicative sketch showing how a parklet could improve the space outside the SSNR building, with new planting, seating and even opportunities for 'street food' whilst still leaving plenty of room for pedestrian flow to and from Guildford Street. It would provide a focal space for social activity which is lacking in the town centre.

Tell us what you think of the ideas to improve the Southern Gateway

