Prior to works taking place, the spaces between the civic buildings discouraged occupation and use, and presented the high street with a series of blank elevations and low-quality entrances to significant public buildings.

The project has created a new town square, a new heart for the suburb, bringing the best of the 1960s civic architecture out into the public realm to support markets, events and informal everyday use.

The square in use by a childrens’ theatre company.

View through the new loggia, showing the new terrazzo floor which borrows from a plaque originally placed in the space in 1966.