

### Why are we here today?

- Formed in 2012
- Pre-Construction Managers, Construction Managers, D&B Contractors, JV Development, Technical Consultants
- BOPAS, ISO, NHBC Accredited
- £37m Construction T/O
- Sustainable investment in people, technology and information flow
- Constructed Projects in: Pre-Cast RC, SFS / LGS Stick/Panelised, Timber, SIP, not modular
  - We have recruited from both modular/volumetric manufacturers and contractors who have erected modular/volumetric



- Magna Off-Site Solutions launched in March 2019
- Pre-Construction Manager, Construction Manager, D&B contractor or sub-contractor partner of choice for clients/manufacturers constructing in off-site solutions
- Challenge traditional procurement logic
- Charge NO OH&P on ANY PRE-MANUFACTURED VALUE
  - Why should we?
- BUT we will take traditional contracting risk
- Pre-Construction for manufacture not construction quality, cost & time

What role can CM/PMs play in delivering competitive off-site solutions?



- All forms of off-site require early integration of the 'complete team'
- Set clear objectives/outputs on your options appraisals
  - Business Financial Metrics not just construction costs
  - Time cost and quality
    - Understand the opportunity/compromise of each
- There are very few people in the industry today who can give you the answer in isolation!
- Aim to maintain 'The Golden Thread' of design, cost and quality from as early as possible

Understand the key metrics of trad to succeed



- To make an informed decision you must be able to make an intelligent comparison
- Programme and logistics
- Time is money we all understand that. Do we truly understand how time influences ROCE, GDM, interest costs, prelim costs, etc?
- Compare the key influencers, they can have big impacts
  - Programme duration/staff levels/crane utilisation/risk of nondelivery – off-site storage costs, etc
  - Risk Profile
- Can we really make an informed decision without truly understanding the programme and logistics?

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- To make an informed decision you must make an intelligent comparison
- BCIS Elemental Cost Plans Standard Format
- Collate data on the outturn cost of your trad projects in a standard way – reallocate in to BCIS Elemental?

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**OFF-SITE SOLUTIO** 

- Traditional is 'manufacturing' just not consistently!
- Understand what is included within the off-site solution to omit from your traditional data sets
  - We have seen several errors of double counting leading to unviability!
- Understand the compromise of cost and quality

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## An example of understanding the metrics

- 224 unit Co-Living Scheme + amenity space – The Collective
- Very efficient and well designed scheme
- No lead-in for modular/volumetric
- Perfect Grid for SFS/LGS Panellised
  - Only seven unit types
  - Only four bathroom types
- Initial assumptions validated
  - SFS/LGS cost effective structure
  - Lighter foundations
  - Quicker programme
  - Bathroom/kitchen/wardrobe pods
  - Service risers efficient
- Good SFS/LGS supply chain capability
- Improved ROCE

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- Depth and weight of the façade and reveals
  - Poor S/C interaction and demonstration of capability/quality for the lightweight façade option
  - Very few options maturing sector with growing capability
  - Introduction of hot rolled steel
- Bathroom pods were on the critical path – certainty of delivery or storage costs to mitigate expensive delays
- Crane utilisation was poor
- Overall Risk profile



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#### So why are we building it in RC?

Off-site solutions now being used:

- Pre-cast RC structures (TBC)
- Pre-cast façade Achieves quality and market certainty
- Bathroom pods off critical path with RC
- Pre-fabricated risers
- Pre-fabricated plant rooms
- Improved crane utilisation
- Nominal programme and cost difference but mitigated time, cost and IMPROVED QUALITY risks





