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The district of Stroud, on the edge of the Cotswolds and the River Severn, is known for its rural splendour and character but it's also a great place to do business. As a desirable countryside setting in which many people aspire to live, it's easy to forget that excellent travel links bring it in easy reach of the country's major cities and airports.

With an innovative industrial history based on textiles, the district has continued to develop with a more diverse commercial base. Environmental technologies, advanced engineering, manufacturing and the creative industries are key employers in the district, along with a thriving service sector.

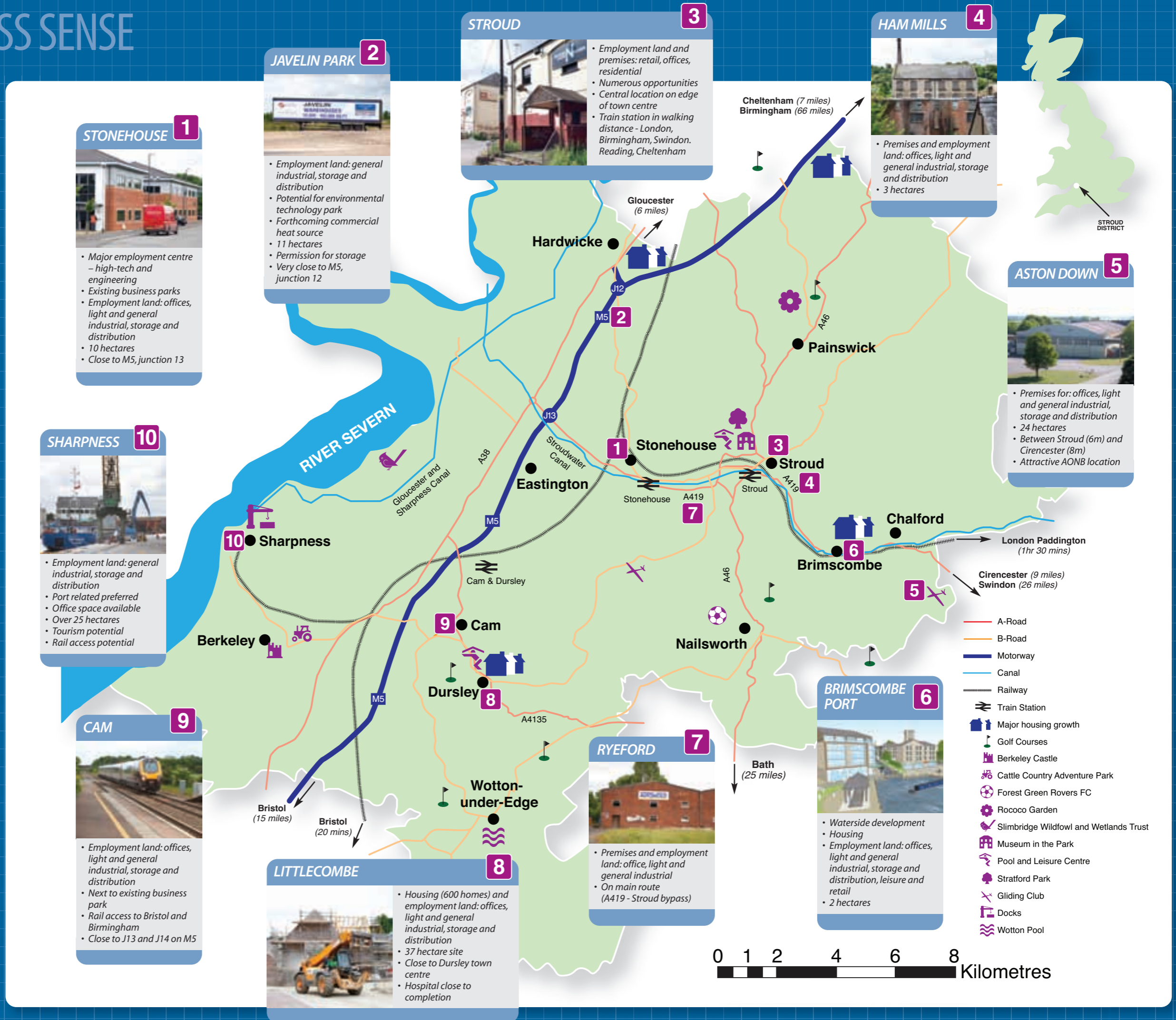
With the recently established Vale and Valleys Business Partnership pushing forward the interests of local businesses, it is an exciting time for development opportunities in Stroud. Our district has a skilled workforce and we want to create more high quality jobs. With everything you need locally and strong national and international links, you can invest with confidence in our growing local economy.

What's more...

- there's **£20million** of investment currently coming into the district to regenerate the Cotswold Canals
- improvements to the rail network will mean that **London is only an hour and ten minutes away!**
- over **2,000** new homes are due to be built

Take a look at just a few of our key investment opportunities on the right to see how you might fit in.

More sites are available, so feel free to get in touch!



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Stroud District is already home to many successful companies, including...



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Stroud District Council is proud to support the Federation of Small Businesses and the Vale and Valleys Business Partnership.



For further information on development opportunities call 01453 754301 or email regeneration@stroud.gov.uk