2. Context
Site Context & History

The Civic Centre Site

The Civic Centre is located in Wood Green in the London Borough of Haringey. It benefits from good transport links with the nearest underground station in close proximity.

The existing building is Grade II listed & set within large expanse of green space which is accessible to the public & forms part of the Green Link when seen in relation to Trinity Gardens to the West & Crescent gardens to the East.

Adjacent land use comprises other Grade I & II listed & locally listed buildings including St Michaels Church & Trinity Primary School as well as some business use & residential uses to the North & South.

The site is located within the Trinity Gardens Conservation Area which extends East & West incorporating Trinity Gardens park.

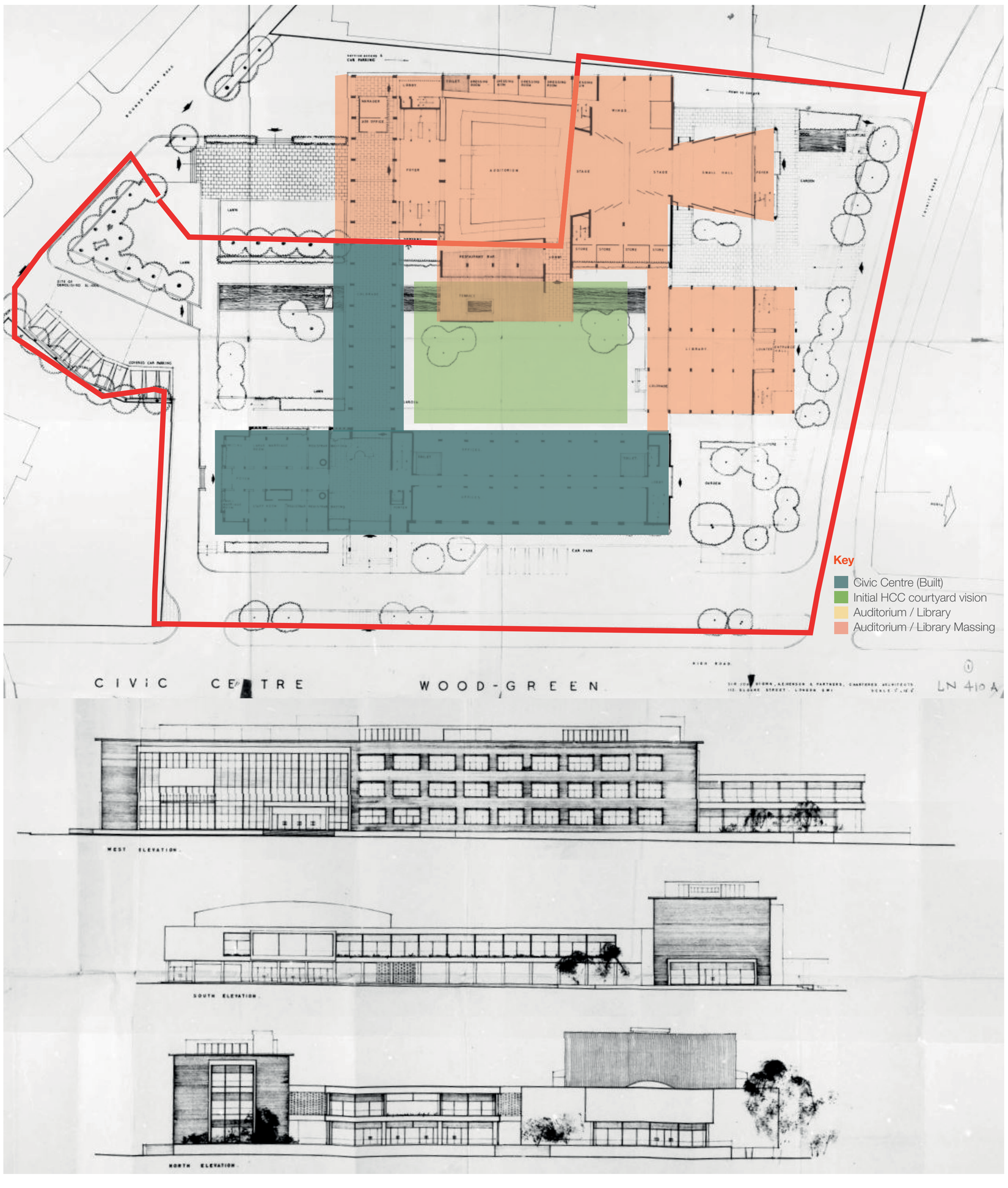
To the immediate West there is a travellers site which formed part of the original 1950's masterplan for a larger complex including a theatre & library however this larger scheme was not realised when the Civic Centre was constructed. The site of this theatre now comprises a car park site in which the new Trinity Building will be constructed.











Above & Right
Images taken when the Civic Centre was constructed in 1958.
The original masterplan for the Civic Centre incorporating a library & theatre.

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