

Kiruna

Story about a project that involves difficult challenges, but so many more possibilities!





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The municipality of Kiruna

20 000 km²

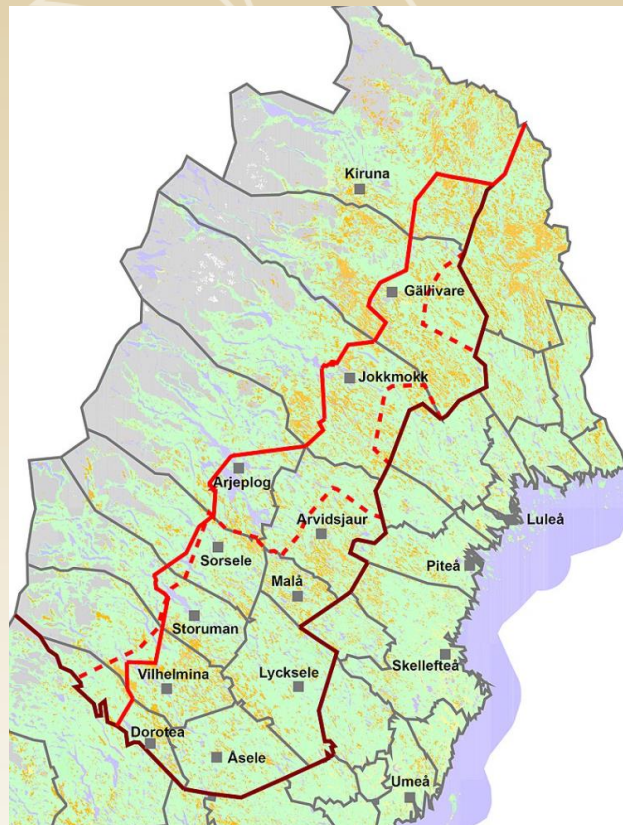
23 178 inhabitants





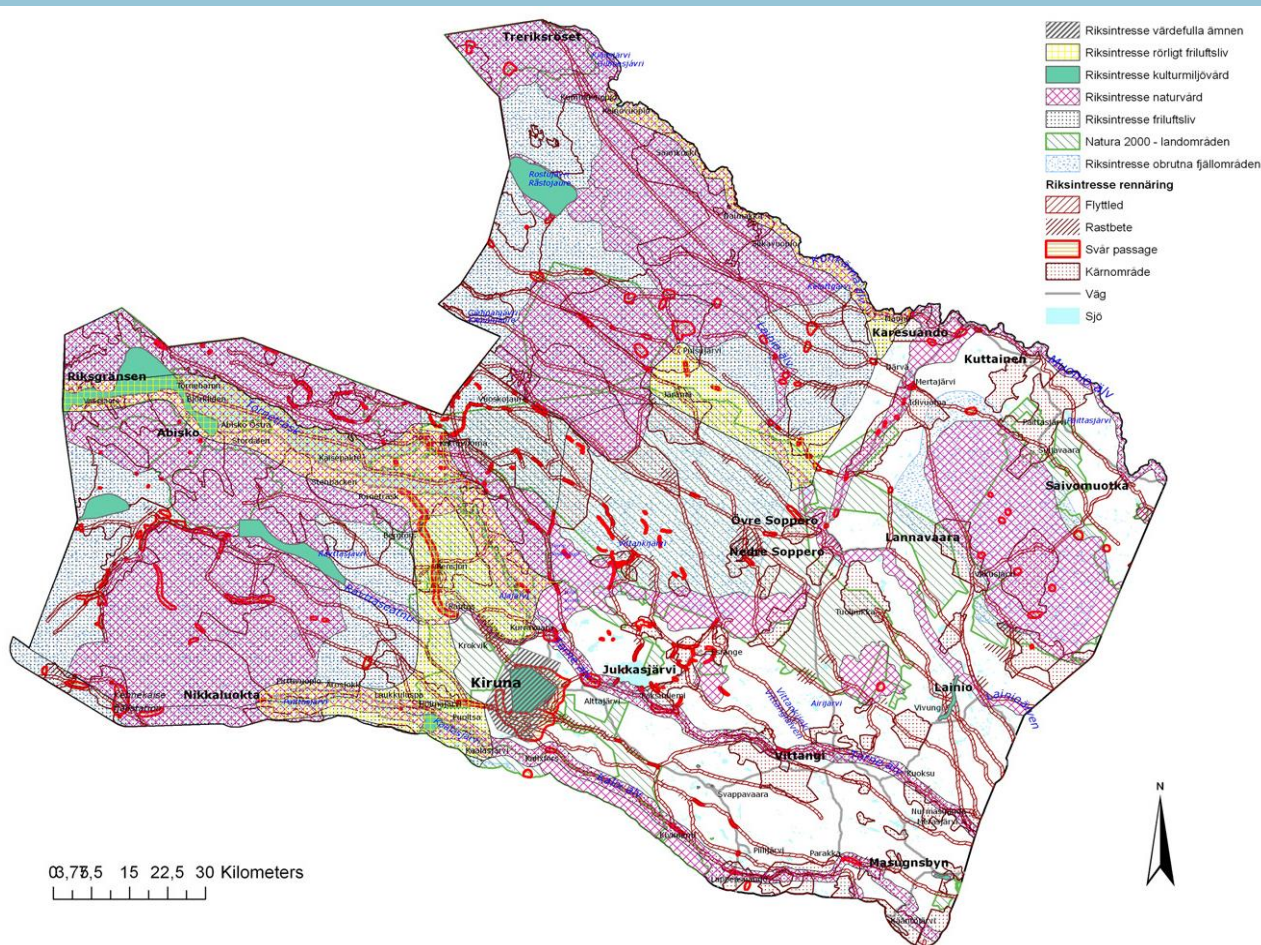
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THE challenge for urban transformation





National interests on the land





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What is unique with the urban transformation?





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What is affected?



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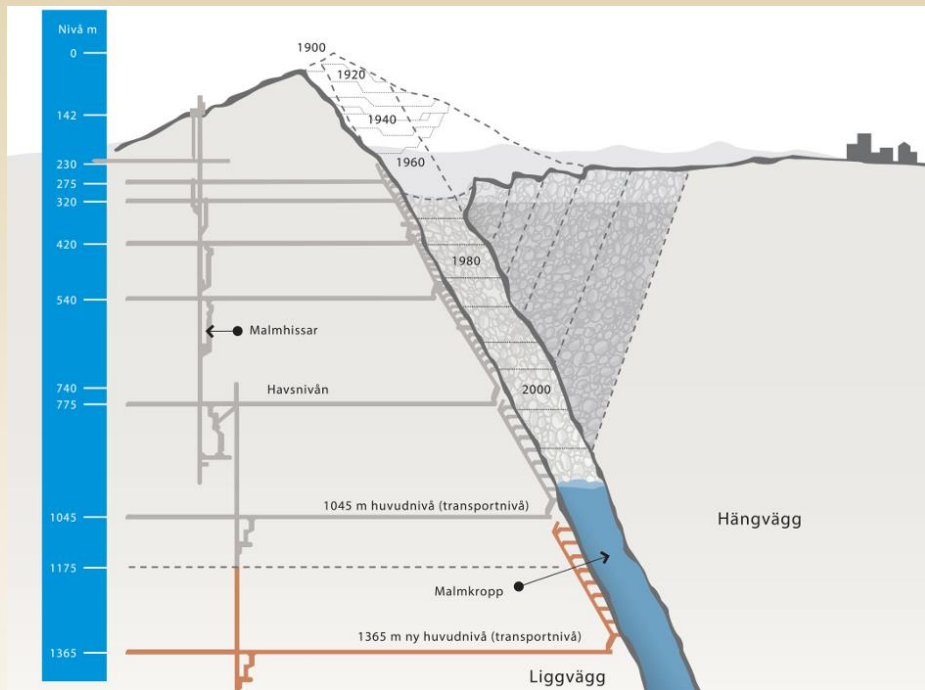
It started with a letter...

The kick-off for the city transformation project was in 2004, when the mining company LKAB sent a letter to Kiruna municipality asking for changes in the comprehensive plan.





Ground deformations





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Gruvstadspark- Mine City Park

Kiruna municipality and LKAB have agreed on how parts of the town are to be phased out, and how the new areas are to be developed.





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Our task

- ✓ Create space for 3000–4000 housing
- ✓ Plan for new commercial centre, offices and healthcare.
- ✓ Plan and build new infrastructure in the new city center.
- ✓ Plan and build new public buildings like cultural centre, swimming hall, upper secondary school, sportshall.





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High historical values





Demolition/ deconstruction



And moving of houses





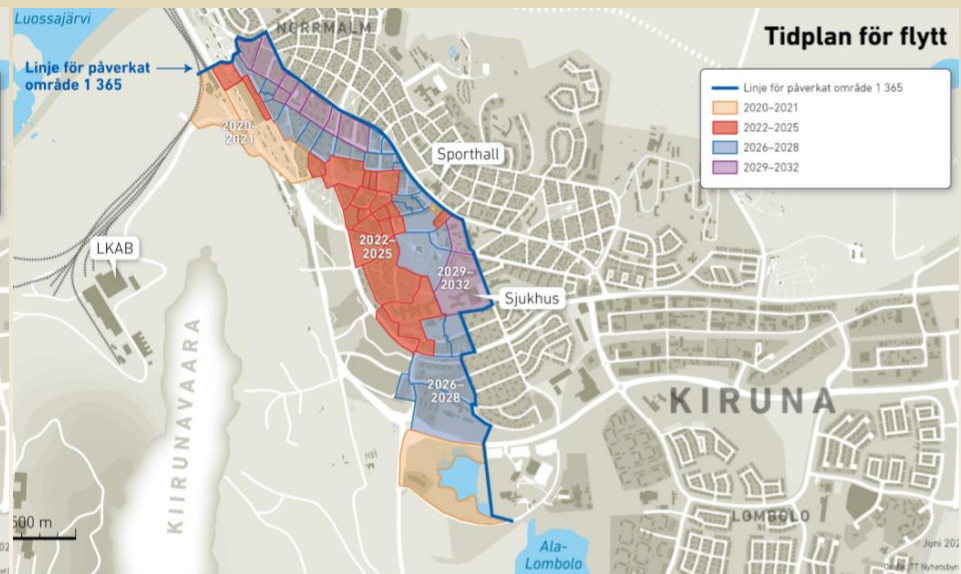
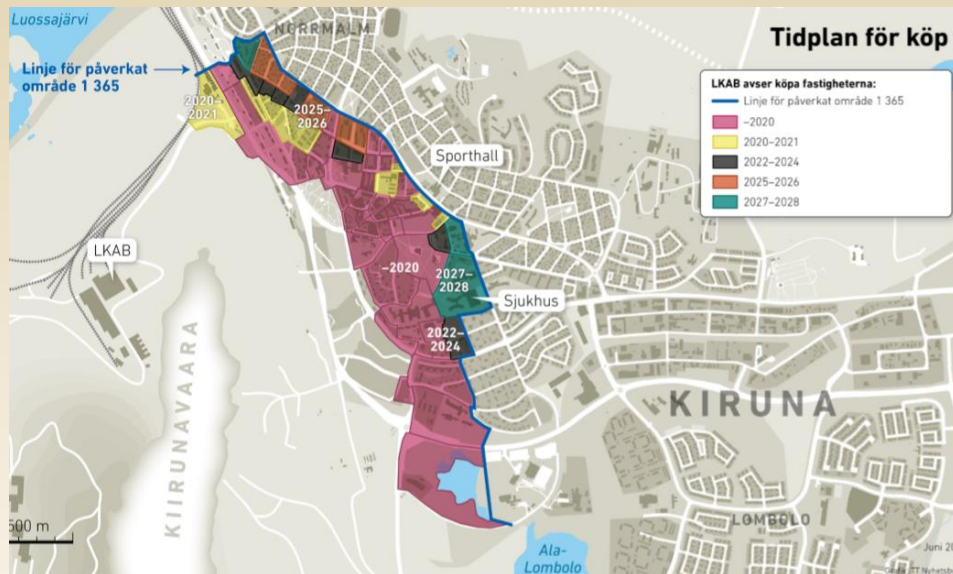
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New location
towards east





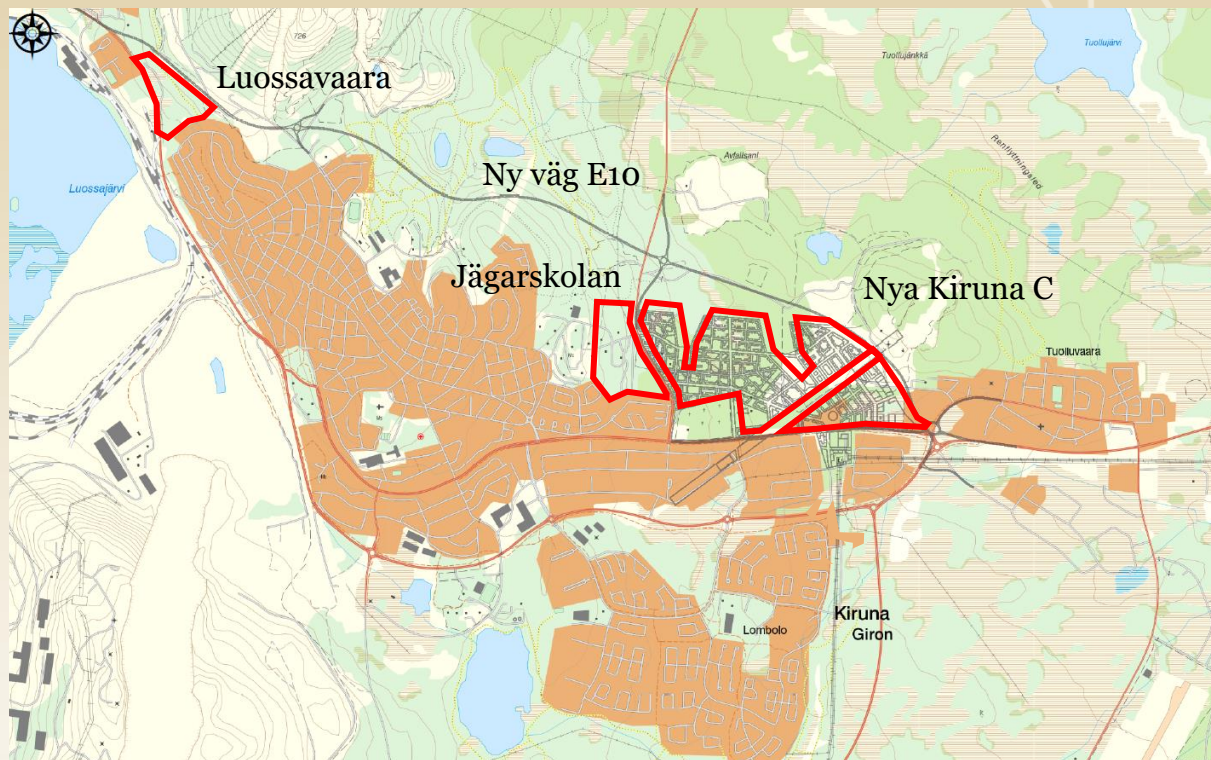
Communication





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The new city centre



Illustration från Utvecklingsplanen 2014

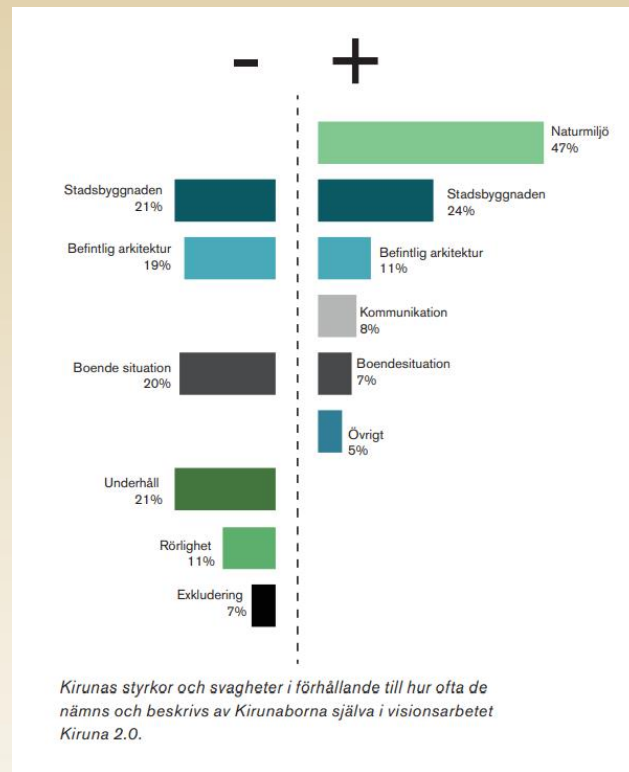


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It started with dialog...

What is important for the citizens of Kiruna?





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City centre architect competition in 2013

Winner was the entry "Kiruna 4-ever", submitted by White Arkitekter AB and Ghilardi + Hellsten Arkitekter

White Arkitekter and Ghilardi Hellsten Arkitekter



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Development plan



Utvecklingsplan 2014 antagen i KF

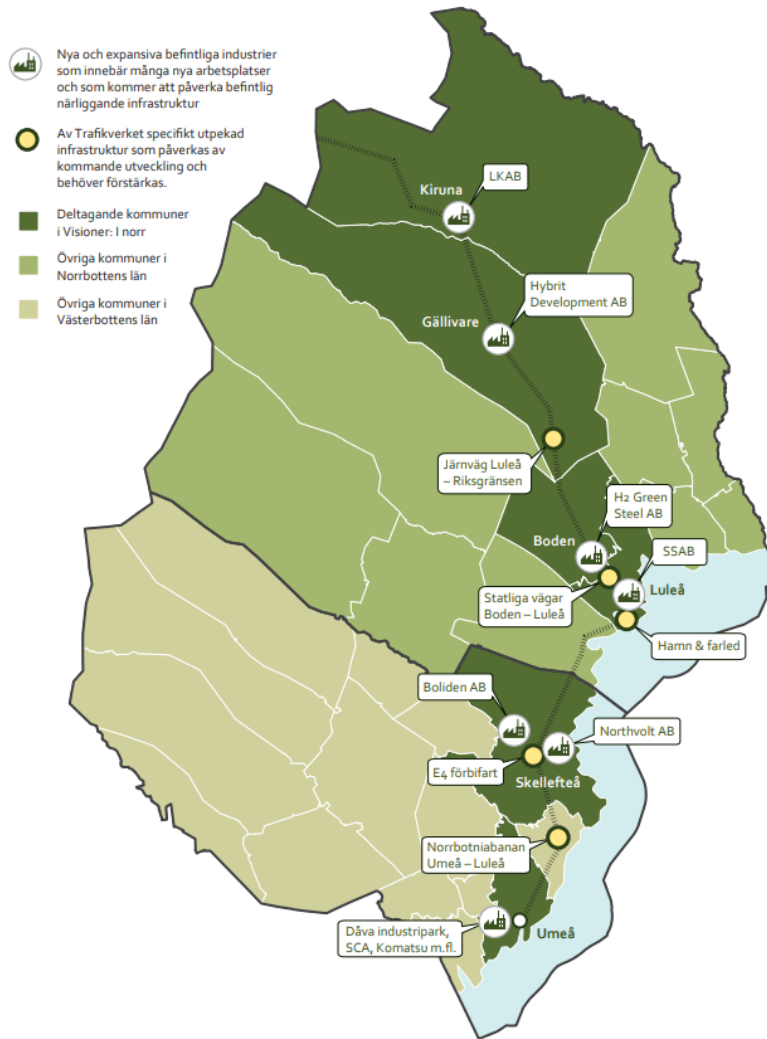


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The green transition



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