



How green infrastructure
could unfold in the future.

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Reshaping Wellington's future

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GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE

Green infrastructure is the interconnected network of open spaces and natural areas – such as parks, reserves, wetlands and native plant vegetation – that naturally manages stormwater, reduces flooding risk and improves water quality.

There are opportunities to incorporate more green infrastructure into Wellington's central city. This is in keeping with Wellington's aspiration to become an eco-city and will contribute to Wellington becoming a model for sustainable living.

This project involves rethinking the city's open space network, both at a small and large scale. In effect, it's about the whole city being a park made up of interconnected parts. It would require:

- planning for new and innovative ways to clean and retain water within the network before it discharges into the harbour
- creating strategies for boulevards and stream streets, incorporating new tree planting
- revising the built form standards
- encouraging green roofs and walls in new developments (both private and public).

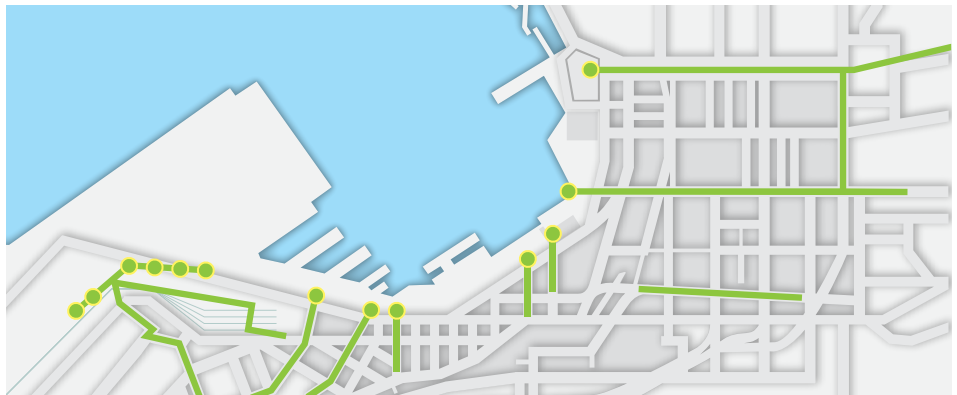
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PROJECT LOCATIONS