Project Vision

Westminster City Council is committed to delivering public space improvements

With funding from the Greater London Authority's Good Growth Fund, Westminster City Council commissioned a multi-disciplinary team to design and deliver public space improvements to Westbourne Green Canalside. From 2021, we have engaged with the local community and listened to their priorities, and from this feedback we created a vision for the design. We are now thrilled to share this vision with you and answer any questions you may have about the forthcoming developments.

St Mary Magdalene Church and Grand Junction are already beacons of community; we want to the public space that surrounds them to be a natural extension of the community common ground. Our vision is to unlock the potential of the canalside and transform it into a vibrant destination for the whole community. The

vision is built on three key objectives: enhance the canalside, upgrade the landscape, and improve connectivity and access for pedestrians,

cyclists and wheelchair users.

This exhibition illustrates the future scheme and highlights how we transformed community feedback into design proposals. If you would like to share feedback on the proposal, please do get in touch with us at:

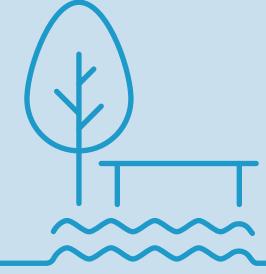
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Project Objectives



Enhance the canalside

- 1 Open park up to waterfront
- 2 Remove overgrown shrubbery
- Remove railings where possible
- 4 Create spaces for rest and relaxation



Improve the connectivity

- Create inviting and well-lit gateways
- 6 Extend pedestrian-only slow route
- Improve the 'shared surface'
- 8 Add signage and wayfinding



Upgrade the landscape

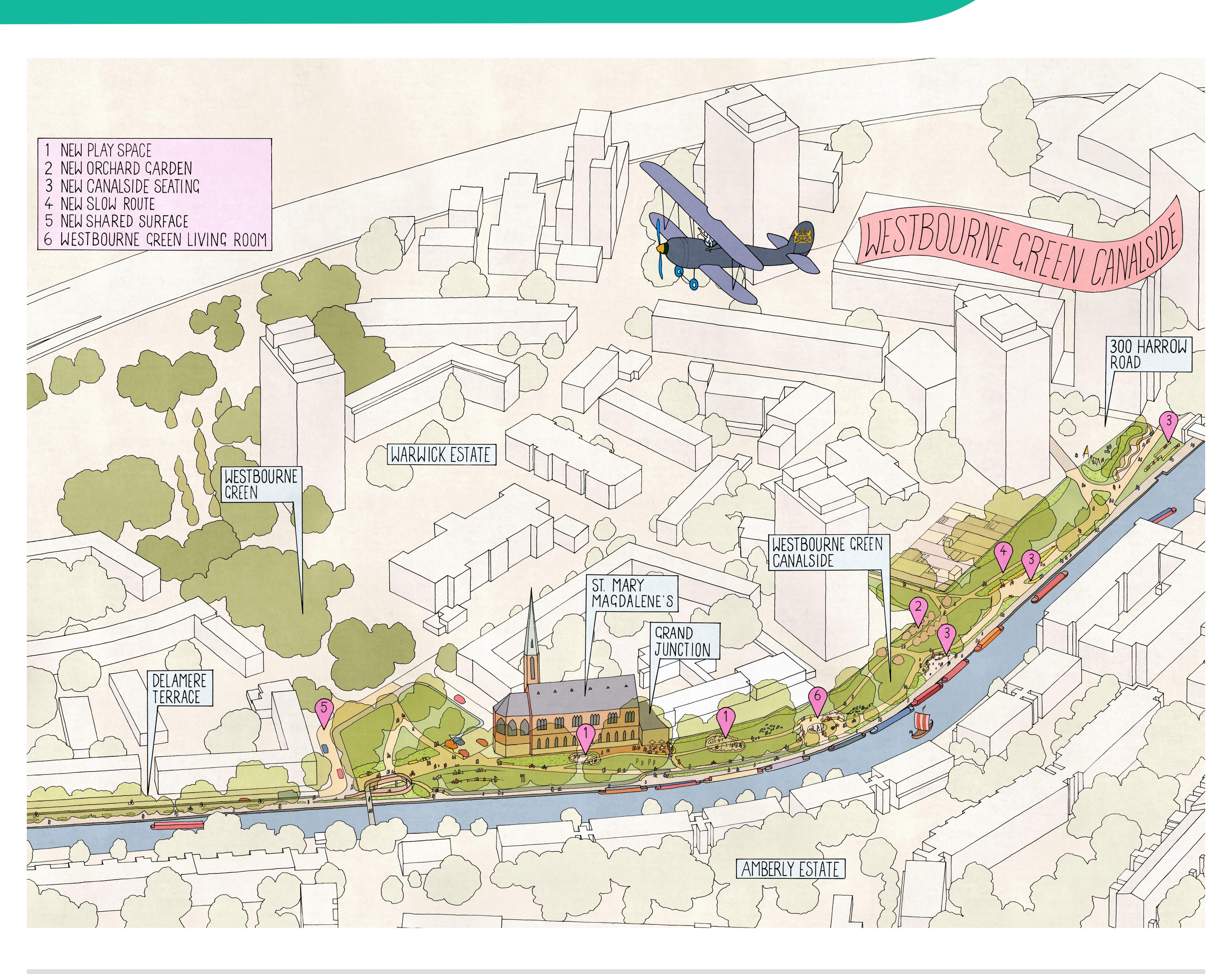
- Page 2 Rewild and increase biodiversity
- 10 Establish fruit trees
- Enable diverse community activities
- 12 Animate south facing lawns







View of the whole site









Statement the Leader of Westminster City Council

Public spaces are the common ground where all our residents can meet and play, do exercise or celebrate, or simply enjoy the peace of nature in a busy city.

At Westminster City Council, we are committed to making our public spaces safer, cleaner, greener, and more pleasant to walk and cycle in. As part of this commitment, we are transforming Westbourne Green Canalside and the Grand Union canalside into an attractive and fully accessible green-blue spine for the north of the city.

The proposal - exhibited here - is based on extensive community feedback, and we hope that you will be able to enjoy the fruits of the designs for generations to come.

Cllr Adam Hug, Leader of Westminster City Council, Westbourne Ward Councillor







Welcoming eastern entrance and additional lighting

Your feedback*

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Proposed view looking west from Delamere Terrace to Lord Hills Road and Westbourne Green Canalside.







New canalside living room with comfortable seating

Your feedback*

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Proposed view looking east along renewed cycle and pedestrian walkway with new seating.







Distinct paths for pedestrian and cyclists

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Proposed view looking east showing removal of railings between Westbourne Green Open Space and canal towpath.







Your feedback*

Spaces to rest and relax along the canal

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Proposed view looking east with new bleacher seating facing the canal.







Increased biodiversity and fruit trees

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Proposed view looking east showing fruit tree lined walkway, secondary walking route.







New landscaped play spaces for children

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Proposed view looking west showing new play equiptment and extended hard surface near Grand Junction. Bleacher seating on south facing slope.







Enhancements in front of Grand Junction & café

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Proposed view looking east showing enhanced setting to Grand Junction and Community Noticeboard.







Your feedback*

Introducing shared spaced along Delamere Terrace

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Proposed view of raised section of Delamere Terrace looking west showing new shared space and canal towpath.





