In Wix Studio editor, is it possible to make the line color different from the link text color? I have two links that have white text color with a dark gray background. I want the underlines to show, but I want them to be a medium-to-light gray."

Here is the text for the two links:
   800-123-4567     How we build your website

In hover mode, I want the color of the underline to change to a light blue color.

For the "800-123-4567" phone number text, link to the "create-phone-call" webpage
For the "How we build your website" text, link to the "Our Process" webpage.

Please show me how to do this using designer options and Velo code as needed.

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**Goal:** You want to create **two links in Wix Studio** with:

- **White text** on a **dark gray background**
- **Medium-light gray underlines** (not default text color)
- **Light blue underlines on hover**
- Custom destinations per link (internal pages)
- Achieved using Wix Studio **designer tools + Velo code** if needed

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## ✅ Step-by-Step (Wix Studio Editor – Designer Only)

If you're trying to **avoid custom code**, do this using the editor:

### ① Add Two Text Elements

1. Drag two **text elements** onto the canvas.

2. Use **Rich Text** or set both as "Paragraph 1" or "Custom" — you can format part of the text separately.

3. Enter this text:

- `800-123-4567`
- `How we build your website`

### ② Convert Text to Links

1. Highlight `800-123-4567`, click the **link icon** in the toolbar, and select **Page** → choose `create-phone-call` page.

2. Do the same for `How we build your website` → link to `Our Process` page.

### ③ Apply White Text & Dark Gray Background

- Set **Text Color** = White `#FFFFFF`
- Set **Background Color** of the container = Dark Gray `#1E1E1E` or your choice

### ④ Create a Custom Underline Effect

Wix Studio doesn't natively let you set **underline color separately**, but you can:

1. **Remove the built-in underline** using:
   - Text > Decoration > None

2. Use **Border-bottom workaround**:
   - Add a **Box** below each link with:
       - **Height:** `1px`
       - **Width:** 100% of the link
       - **Background color:** Medium-light gray (e.g., `#B0B0B0`)
   - **Position it manually** just under the link

3. For **hover effect**:
   - Select the Box
   - Click the **Interactions (⚡) tab**
   - Add a **Hover State**
   - In the Hover State: Change background color of the box to `#ADD8E6` (light blue)

This achieves visual separation of text and underline color without code.

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## ✅ Alternative: Do It with Velo Code (Precise Control)

If you want full control using **Wix Velo,** here's how to implement it using HTML inside a Rich Text box or in code:

### ① Use an HTML Component or Rich Text Element

1. Drag an **HTML embed** or **Rich Text** element

**2.** Insert this code:

```html
<!-- custom-links.html -->
<p style="background-color: #1e1e1e; padding: 8px;">
  <a href="/create-phone-call"
     style="color: white; text-decoration: none; border-bottom: 1px solid #B0B0B0
     onmouseover="this.style.borderBottomColor='#ADD8E6';"
     onmouseout="this.style.borderBottomColor='#B0B0B0';">
    800-123-4567
  </a>
      
  <a href="/our-process"
     style="color: white; text-decoration: none; border-bottom: 1px solid #B0B0B0
     onmouseover="this.style.borderBottomColor='#ADD8E6';"
     onmouseout="this.style.borderBottomColor='#B0B0B0';">
    How we build your website
  </a>
</p>
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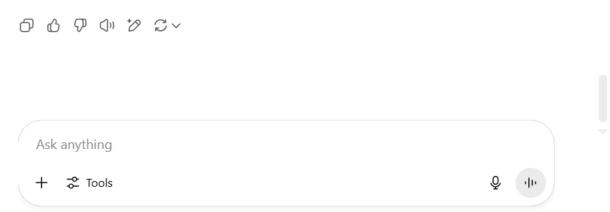
This will:

- Show white text links

- Underlines appear in light gray

- On hover, underline changes to light blue

- Work cleanly in both desktop and mobile views

## ✅ Summary

| Feature | Wix Studio Designer | Velo Code |
|---|---|---|
| Different underline color | ⚠️ Limited (workaround using boxes) | ✅ Full control |
| Hover underline color change | ⚠️ Needs manual interaction setup | ✅ Easy inline CSS |
| Precise alignment and spacing | 🟡 Manual adjustment needed | ✅ Full styling via HTML/CSS |
| Ease of use | ✅ Beginner-friendly | 🟡 Slightly more advanced |

Would you like me to generate this in a working Wix Studio sandbox you can clone, or package it as a test project ZIP file?

Ask anything

+ Tools

ChatGPT can make mistakes. Check important info.