

IDP-3: Sustainability Awareness

Intent

To promote the efficient ongoing operation of the public realm by enabling visitors and workers to appreciate, understand and therefore contribute to responsible resource use in the public realm.

Credit Requirements

GENERAL

Demonstrate that a Sustainability Awareness Strategy was developed by the design team and updated at the end of construction.

The Strategy must address the education of site users on the following topics as a minimum:

- Ecological and cultural heritage features of the site, their value within the local, regional and global context and ways for site users to preserve/protect these features;
- Energy and water efficiency measures used on-site (including buildings), and how site users' behaviour affects performance;
- Information on materials used in the public realm, including environmental and social benefits, as appropriate;
- Waste and recycling policies and information such as location, sorting requirements and the use of organic and landscaping waste;
- Location of nearby amenities and community facilities, including sports and recreation, food growing/allotment areas; and
- Alternative transportation offered to site users including locations of nearby public transport, shuttle service and on-site bicycle facilities.

Demonstrate how each topic is communicated using:

- Static Communication - educational kiosks, interpretative signs, displays and information packs; and/or
- Ongoing Communication - continually updated information through digital display, internet and/or newsletter with information on performance measures such as ongoing energy and water consumption or generation of energy from renewable sources.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT/CLARIFICATIONS

Individual Streetscapes

This credit is not available.

Credit Submission: Design Rating

- ☐ Narrative describing the Sustainability Awareness Strategy setting out the communication mechanisms to be used to raise sustainability awareness;
- ☐ Where Static Communication will be applied, provide a site plan, signage drawings and renderings illustrating the elements of the Sustainability Awareness Strategy and summary of the content of the information pack; and
- ☐ Where Ongoing Communication will be applied, provide samples of digitally displayed messages, website template and structure or template of Newsletter.

Credit Submission: Construction Rating

- ☐ Updated narrative describing the Sustainability Awareness Strategy setting out the communication mechanisms to be used to raise sustainability awareness;
- ☐ Where Static Communication will be applied, provide a site plan, photographs illustrating elements of the Sustainability Awareness Strategy and a copy of an information pack; and
- ☐ Where Ongoing Community Communication will be applied, provide a summary of messages displayed, website link/files or sample Newsletter.