



1 Threshold
Raised surfacing, level with the pavement, provides a threshold to the park. Gateway feature welcomes people. Artwork and an information board tells the Hulme Street Linear Park story.

2 Access
Proctors entrance relocated to Jacksons Crescent.

3 Orchard
Located at the entrance to take advantage of the sun whilst also acting as a living gateway feature to the Park. Fruit trees will also replace the existing tree that is to be felled.

4 Cycle Lane
Provides a quick route that links to the pedestrian crossing over the Mancunian Way, whilst making it easier to get to Hulme Park and beyond.

5 Street Trees
A line of street trees create an avenue feel to the street and a strong visual connection to Hulme Park. The trees will be planted in striking high quality planters. Street trees also define the ends of Hummanby and Humberstone Avenue.

6 Social Space
Space located centrally for social activities. Defined by new surfacing, framed by Espalier planting. Picnic tables can be brought out as and when required.

7 Growing Area / Nature Area
Created to improve local bio-diversity whilst taking advantage of the sunnier aspect on this side of the street. Low metal railings define the growing area and offer protection for the shrubs. This area will include Espalier planting, orchard trees, raised shrub planters and mixed native hedgerows.

The native species beyond this area will provide year round interest with minimal maintenance whilst helping to reduce the impact of the Mancunian Way. A mixed hedgerow will act as a "Green Finger" leading to Espalier planting linking to Hulme Park which will provide a habitat and food source for birds and insects.

8 Boundaries
Defensible space has been created to give the Hulme Street flats more privacy. Shade loving plants will be planted within the space. The space is enclosed by a native hedge, further improving local bio-diversity.

9 Mancunian Way
Planting beds with a timber trellis screen help create a living buffer to the Mancunian Way, helping to reduce it's impact on Hulme Street.

10 Creative Play Area / Trim Trail
Located under the trees, this facility will be constructed from natural materials (timber and stone) to have a low visual impact on the overall appearance of the Park. Material from the felled tree will be used to construct obstacles which will engage people of all ages to use their imagination and agility, making up games or simply travelling from one end to the other. Bark chippings are used where there are raised obstacles.

1 Artwork & Future Enterprise Structure
Prime location for a statement artwork where it will be visible from Mancunian Way. However, the final location and form of the artwork will be developed by a local artist in conjunction with the community.

Key																			
	Existing Tree to be retained		Proposed Tree planted in hard surfacing with kerb upstand; with underground guying; irrigation; tree surround; and permeable resin overlay		Proposed Espalier Planting		Proposed Shrub Planting Seasonal variety to boost biodiversity (low maintenance)		Proposed Hedgerow Defines boundary to ground floor properties - maintained by City South		Proposed Metal Gate 1m high; black		Artwork shown indicatively. Location and medium to be confirmed following artist and community involvement		Pre-cast Concrete Pin kerb		Traffic reinforcement to prevent parking		
	Existing Tree to be pruned works include - crown lift, thinning		Proposed Tree in robust contemporary planter; 1400mm diameter conical planter with integrated irrigation and drainage; easily moved with forklift truck		Proposed Fruit Tree		Proposed Bulb Planting provides seasonal variety and colour		Raised (moveable) Planter (recess to facilitate moving by forklift), if required		Gateway Arch / Threshold Welcome Artwork feature (design to be confirmed with community)		Resin Bonded Overlay to existing road surface Buff Colour		Creative Play Variety of features for imaginative play including; Stepping stones, tree stumps, boulders		Existing Lighting (to remain) LP = Lamp Post (approx position) FL = Flood Light (approx position)		Proposed Location for Future community Enterprise building.
	Existing Tree to be removed (based on info from Arbor Survey)		Growing Area -Edible Plants Vegetables, fruit, herbs. Soil improvement works required for planting in ground		Proposed Mixed Native Hedgerow Defines boundary and creates a Green corridor, linking to Hulme Park, boosting local bio-diversity		Proposed Metal Railings defines planting area; 1m high; black		Artwork/ Gateway Feature Location Design to be confirmed - community consultation and input		Existing road level raised to meet adjacent pavement at threshold to street. Resin Bonded Overlay Buff Colour		Proposed Moveable Timber Picnic Table - to be stored elsewhere and brought out for events						