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# An Evaluation of 48 Leisure and Cultural Sites along Victoria Harbour: Suggestions for a Vibrant Hong Kong Harbour-front

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## **Abstract**

Even though Hong Kong is well known for its waterfront views, Victoria Harbour uses little of its waterfront to the fullest potential. From past research, we identified four main qualities essential to a beneficial harbour-front: accessibility, connectivity, quality and design/maintenance. After observing forty-eight sites around Hong Kong's Victoria Harbour, we indicated both positive and negative qualities that added or detracted from the site's vibrancy. We found that a mix of facilities, amenities and activities at water's edge can make Victoria Harbour a more popular destination for both residents and tourists. Our report presents findings and suggestions for the improvement of Hong Kong.

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# **Executive Summary**

As the majority of the Hong Kong people report, Victoria Harbour reflects the identity and history of the people of Hong Kong, but constant construction along the harbour has caused the public to perceive Victoria Harbour as "being abused and silenced" (Harbour Business Forum, 2006). Given the strong identification that the Hong Kong people have with the harbour, they still hope it will become less focused on development and more people-oriented. Studies have investigated the urban planning of Victoria Harbour and suggest several key factors that should be considered when developing the waterfront areas—accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance (The HOK Planning Group, 2007), (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008).

Therefore, we set out to identify ways in which the waterfront can improve its accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. Specifically, we examined 48 sites along Victoria Harbour owned and operated by the Leisure and Cultural Services

Department (LCSD). To assess how well each of the sites met the criteria of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance, we first defined the four factors as a) accessibility: a measure of available facilities that allow an able-bodied person to reach a site, b) connectivity: a measure of how well the site connects people to the hinterland and along the waterfront c) quality: the ability of the site to provide people with activities to do and encourage people to stay, and d) design and maintenance: how aesthetically pleasing the site was and how well the site was maintained. To assess these factors we conducted interviews and site observations. We then rated each site on a scale of one to four, four being the best, on its

accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance and examined whether each of these four characteristics predicted the popularity of the site.

We found that the average accessibility of the sites was two stars; the connectivity scored two stars; the quality scored two stars; and the design and maintenance scored three stars.

Furthermore, we found that each of these factors predicted the popularity of the site. Specifically, in terms of accessibility we found that while most sites had at least one form of public transportation within walking distance (400 meters), only 19% of the sites were marked from the public transportation stop with directional signs. In addition, in terms of connectivity, only 19% had a continuous harbour-front, such that it connected people to other sites. In terms of quality, only 71% provided visitors with a harbour view. In terms of design and maintenance, 71% of the sites were well-maintained and clean.

Based on our findings, we recommend that signs are added between the transport dropoff and the site and between disconnected, nearby sites to increase the ease of travel. We also
suggest that more food services be created, as only 33% of sites have food. In addition, we
recommend that the sites implement a variety of activities and that more shaded seating is
provided, as it was requested in user interviews. Since fences limit both connectivity and design,
we also suggest that chain-link and barbed wire fences be removed or changed to more
aesthetically pleasing fences.

In particular, we also recommend that more recycling bins be added across all sites and that future research examines factors that may contribute to an environmentally friendly harbourfront. Based on our findings, we have made specific suggestions to improve each of the 48 LCSD locations. In sum, our project assessed the accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design

and maintenance of these 48 locations and provided specific recommendations to help Victoria Harbour become a genuinely vibrant and well-used area.

## 1. Introduction

As the vast majority of the Hong Kong people report, Victoria Harbour reflects the identity and history of the people of Hong Kong, and provides residents with a sense of belonging and emotional welfare (Harbour Business Forum, 2006). In fact, the Harbour has a rich and vibrant past centered around trading, shipping, and fishing (Harbour Business Forum, 2008). In its early years under British rule, the Harbour served as a major European trading center for the city of Hong Kong, which resulted in the construction of wharfs, piers, dockyards, and warehouses. But over time, the major industries moved to more outlying areas of the harbour, and consequently left vacancies along the central areas of the harbour-front.

This resulted in the construction of high-rises and other buildings along the waterfront.

Due to the high value of this land, the harbour-front was extended by filling in the water to create more space for development. As a result, the harbour-front has been under constant construction, and has caused the public to perceive Victoria Harbour as "being abused and silenced" (Harbour Business Forum, 2006).

Given the strong identification that the Hong Kong people have with the harbour, they still hope it will become less focused on development and more people-oriented and integrated with their daily lives. Therefore, we set out to identify ways in which the waterfront can improve to become a genuinely vibrant and well-used area, representative of the pride that the Hong Kong people have in Victoria Harbour.

# 2. Background

Several studies have investigated the urban planning of Victoria Harbour. The results of these studies suggest several key factors that should be considered when developing the waterfront areas—accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance.

### 2.1 Accessibility

Previous research on Victoria Harbour has shown that accessing the harbour is often difficult, as there are long and complicated access routes from public transport to the harbour (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008). This study found that one major factor contributing to this is the lack of signage to and from the harbour. In addition, another study shows that there is a need to build new public transportation closer to the waterfront (The HOK Planning Group, 2007). These reports have highlighted the importance of both sufficient signage and available public transport to creating an accessible harbour-front. Thus, we examined the accessibility of specific sites, particularly assessing the available signage and public transport.

#### 2.2 Connectivity

In addition to accessing the harbour from the hinterland, the connections beteen various locations and the existence of physical barriers (e.g., cargo working areas, sewage treatment areas, bus stops, busy roads) preventing connections along the harbour may also be important factors. Looking at Victoria Harbour, previous research found that the harbour lacks connections and has barriers between its attractions (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008). Research has also shown that another significant factor of connectivity is the amount of street-level access because this influences the perceived convenience of reaching the location (Harbour Business

Forum, 2006). Entering the harbour using street-level entrances is more convenient than climbing stairs, crossing footbridges, and using underground walkways.

Looking beyond Victoria Harbour, case studies of several international port cities, such as Boston and Sydney, show that connectivity helped improve the ease of travel along the harbour and helped enhance the use of the waterfront area. For example, both Boston and Sydney have created walking paths that connect various waterfront destinations such as parks, cultural attractions, and harbour-viewing points

In addition to providing connections between sites, a study looking at the Boston Harborwalk showed that signage to and from different locations along the harbour is important (The Boston Harbor Association and Boston Redevelopment Authority, 2009). This study found that breaks in the Boston Harborwalk caused it to be more difficult to follow and resulted in less frequent usage. Consequently, Boston has implemented directional signage that guides visitors to specific destinations, especially when the trail becomes disconnected.

While research highlights the need for connections to the harbour and between harbourfront locations, another important factor could be connecting visitors directly to the water. While
research has not investigated this aspect of connectivity directly, research does show that certain
activities (e.g., fishing), attractions (e.g., beaches), and facilities (e.g., steps) bring people to the
harbour and allow them to interact with it directly (The HOK Planning Group, 2007). Given the
lack of connectivity found along Victoria Harbour and the research showing the importance of
connectivity in bringing people to the harbour-front, we examined the connectivity between
specific sites along the waterfront of Hong Kong.

#### 2.3 Quality

To help improve the quality of life, the majority of the Hong Kong public (89%) advocates devoting more time and resources into developing leisure activities along Victoria Harbour (Harbour Business Forum, 2006). Yet, as of last year, most of Hong Kong's harbourfront area lacked food and drink kiosks, public toilets, restaurants, and shopping options (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008). Other reports indicate that the harbour-front could also improve in quality by providing more lighting, new piers, swimming pools that face the harbour, and public facilities such as exercise areas (The HOK Planning Group, 2007).

Case studies of other international port cities also suggest that providing a variety of activities and amenities help improve the overall quality of a harbour-front. For example, Boston Harbor supports activities that appeal to various groups of people by providing venues such as parks, restaurants, museums, sports arenas, and hotels (Burayidi, 2001). In addition, popular venues such as Christopher Columbus Park contain amenities such as drinking fountains, food service, lighting, seating, and shelter. Together these activities and facilities give visitors things to do and provide the necessary means for a prolonged stay in the venue. These factors may improve the overall quality of the visitor's harbour-front experience. Similar to Boston, Baltimore's Inner Harbour has utilized its harbour-front space for entertainment venues, museums, concert halls, and arenas. In addition, dining options and food vendors surround these destinations (Millspaugh, 2003). Given the lack of activities and amenities found along Victoria Harbour and the research showing the importance of these factors in bringing people to the harbour-front, we examined the quality of specific locations on the Hong Kong waterfront, specifically assessing activities and amenities.

### 2.4 Design and Maintenance

Another factor that may also contribute to the quality of the harbour is the design and overall maintenance of the area. In fact, research shows that people often choose to walk in comfortable and enjoyable areas (Millspaugh, 2003). Research also suggests that well-designed and well-maintained venues provide a sense of pride and ownership among all users (Harbour Business Forum, 2007). However, studies looking at the maintenance and design of Victoria Harbour show room for improvement (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008). In particular, this study found that the design of some of the areas was limited by ventilation grilles and chain-link fences, and some waterfront areas were so poorly maintained that few people used them—even though they were easily accessible.

Case studies of international port cities also suggest the importance of design and maintenance in the quality of the harbour-front. In particular, Boston's parks attract visitors by creating a well-landscaped, green, and aesthetically appealing (e.g., the inclusion of public art, sculptures, and water fountains) atmosphere (The Boston Harbor Association and Boston Redevelopment Authority, 2009). In addition, studies of the Boston Harbour suggest that increased maintenance of the area (e.g., benches, lights, walkways) would further enhance the vibrancy of the waterfront (The Boston Harbor Association and Boston Redevelopment Authority, 2009). Given the lack of design and maintenance found along Victoria Harbour and the research showing the importance of these factors in bringing people to the harbour-front, we examined the design and maintenance of specific locations along Victoria Harbour.

### 2.5 Conclusion

In sum, urban planning studies show that four main factors should be considered when developing and improving harbour-fronts—accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. Case studies of international harbour-fronts also demonstrate the importance of many of these factors. Looking specifically at Victoria Harbour, studies consistently show that many areas of the harbour lack many of these characteristics, and may contribute to the perception that the harbour is not people-oriented (Harbour Business Forum, 2006). Since the Hong Kong public hopes for the harbour to become more integrated with their daily lives, we set out to identify ways in which the waterfront can improve its accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance.

# 3. Methodology

### 3.1 Participants

A total of 41 (16 males, 17 females, 8 did not report) people participated in the user interviews. Of these participants ten were tourists, 27 were residents and four did not report. Participants gave verbal informed consent and were not given any incentives for their participation.

### 3.2 Design

Specifically, we examined 48 sites along Victoria Harbour owned and operated by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD). For our examinations, we conducted user interviews and made site observations to assess each location on its level of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. In order to assess these four characteristics we formulated a definition of each characteristic. Each definition contains the criteria a site must possess to suit the needs of visitors as established by previous research, user interviews, and our observations. Based on these definitions, we conducted user interviews and site observations to measure the level of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance of each site.

#### 3.2.1 Accessibility

In order to evaluate accessibility, we defined it as the measure of available facilities that allow an able-bodied person to reach the site. Available facilities included public transportation systems and signage. Specifically, we evaluated the proximity of four modes of public transportation to each site. The four modes of transportation, MTR, bus, ferry, and tram, had to be within walking distance of the site. Since past research has shown that people will happily

travel "400 meters of delay and discomfort through congested street networks", we defined walking distance as 400 meters (Harbour Business Forum, 2008).

We conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the accessibility of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of accessibility. To measure user's perceptions of the accessibility of the site, we asked participants how they got to the site and how easy it was to get there. For the site observations, we made note of the presence of available public transportation (e.g., MTR stations, buses, ferries, and taxis) and recorded the mode that we took to get to the site. The approximate distance of the public transportation from the site was determined using an aerial map along with online measuring tools. MTR stations were measured from the closest exit. Buses and trams were measured from the closest stop and ferries were measured from piers. We excluded taxis and water taxis in our analysis because both of them can reach any destination upon the customer's request. In addition, we evaluated the presence of directional signs from the public transportation drop-off to the site.

#### 3.2.2 Connectivity

In order to evaluate connectivity we defined it as a measure of how well the site connects people to the hinterland and along the waterfront and the measure of how easy it is for a person to enter the site. Within this category, we formulated two sub-topics: site connectivity and signage.

### 3.2.2.1 Site Connectivity

Site connectivity included four items: at-grade access, sufficient entrances, continuous waterfront, and berthing. At-grade access, a connection between the hinterland and the site that does not have stairs, enables visitors to more easily reach and enter the destination. In order for a person to easily enter the site, we determined through observation that a sufficient amount of

entrances relevant to the site's size must be present along the site's perimeter. Site's were first determined as small, medium, or large (see Appendix E). Small sites must contain one to two entrances, medium sites must contain three to four entrances, and large sites must contain five or more entrances in order to have sufficient entrances. If a site has more access points relative to its size, it has an increased means of connecting people to the waterfront and to the hinterland. In addition, a site must connect visitors to the harbour by creating a continuous waterfront. A continuous waterfront contains no barriers between adjacent sites, providing easy travel along the harbour. Lastly, a site connects people to the water and hinterland by enabling a person to temporarily dock a boat, also called berthing. If a site contains the means of berthing it enables visitors to more easily travel throughout the harbour and reach the hinterland.

#### 3.2.2.2 *Signage*

We evaluated the presence of four types of signs that increase a site's connectivity: a site sign, site layout map, directional signage to available facilities, and directional signage to nearby destinations and transport. A site sign is located at the entrance of the site and displays the full name of the site in English and Chinese, clearly indicating its location to visitors. A site layout map displays the name and entire area of the site, labeling all amenities and facilities.

Directional signage to available facilities within a site directs visitors to facilities (e.g., activities and services) within a site. Directional signs to nearby destinations and transport directs visitors to other nearby sites, to the harbour front, and to nearby transportation. These four types of signs make it easier for visitors to travel within the location, to other nearby locations, and back to the hinterland, further increasing a site's connectivity.

We conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the connectivity of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of connectivity. To measure user's

perceptions of the connectivity of the site, we asked participants how they got to the site and how easy it was to get there. For the site observations, we assessed site connectivity by making note of whether connections to other sites, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transport existed, and classified what type of connections were there and which were lacking. In addition, we noted whether barriers prevented possible connects between the site and other sites, the water, and nearby destinations and transportation, and what these barriers were. To assess signage, we noted whether the four types of signs were present, and classified which type of signs were present and which type were not present.

#### **3.2.3** *Quality*

The quality of the site was determined by evaluating the ability of the site to provide people with activities to do and encouraging people stay at the site. Past research shows that a number of different factors can contribute to increasing the likelihood that people will use a site (Habour Business Forum, 2006). Based on these findings, we evaluated the quality of a site by looking for the following features: a) special features (e.g., harbour views and historical monuments), b) facilities (e.g., parks, promenades, soccer pitch, playground, basketball court), c) food and beverage (e.g., kiosks, restaurants, vending machines), d) amenities (e.g., toilets, lighting, information kiosks, and WiFi/public telephone), e) allowed activities (e.g., fishing, dog walking, swimming, biking, and ball games), and d) seating (e.g., whether seating existed and whether it was shaded)

We conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the quality of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of quality. To measure user's perceptions of the quality of the site, we asked participants the purpose of their visit to the site and for suggestions for areas of improvement for the site (e.g., what amenities they wished the site had,

and what activities they liked to do). In addition, we visited hotels and asked the hotel staff for recommendations of activities to do in order to examine whether they would recommend visits to the nearby harbour front sites. For the site observations, we assessed site quality by making note of whether the site had special features, facilities, amenities, allowed activities, and seating. We also made note of whether the site had any additional features not included in our list, and noted any signs disallowing certain activities (e.g., no fishing allowed).

#### 3.2.4 Design and Maintenance

The design and maintenance of the site was determined by evaluating how aesthetically pleasing the site was. More specifically, we evaluated the design and maintenance of the site by evaluating it on several features: a) how well it was maintained (e.g., damage, rust), b) how clean the site was (e.g., presence of rubbish and recycling bins and overall level of cleanliness), and c) how well landscaped the area was (e.g., greenery, artwork, fencing).

We conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the overall design and maintenance of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of design and maintenance. To measure user's perceptions, we asked participants the how well-maintained they felt the site was. For the site observations, we assessed the design and maintenance by making note of whether the site was maintained, clean, and landscaped. For maintenance, we noted whether anything had rust, chipped paint, was broken or damaged, and whether there were dead plants. For cleanliness, we noted whether the site had trash on the ground, was visibly dirty, and whether it had rubbish and recycling bins. For landscape, we noted whether the site had different types of fences (e.g., chain-link, barbed wire), had artwork (e.g., sculptures, themed sections, water fountains), and had greenery (e.g., trees, shrubs, flowers, grass).

#### 3.3 Procedure

To conduct the user interviews, two researchers visited the site and worked with bilingual volunteers who spoke Cantonese or Mandarin. The researchers asked visitors of the site if they would like to answer some questions about possible improvements for the site. In addition, the researchers asked people who were not at the site, but nearby, if they would like to answer some questions about the possible improvement for the nearby site. After agreeing to participate, the researchers interviewed the participants using a set list of questions that assessed their perceptions of the accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance of the site. The gender and whether the participant was a tourist or resident were recorded. The interviews lasted approximately 10-15 minutes. After completing the interview, the participants were thanked.

To conduct our site observations, four observers visited each site at the same time and made separate evaluations of the sites. The observers took public transportation to each site and recorded the type of public transportation taken and the other available options. From the public transportation drop-off, the observers walked towards the site using a map, and recorded whether signage helped direct them towards the site. Once they arrived at the site, they assessed the sites in terms of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance based on the standardized criteria. In addition, the observers explored and took photographs of the surrounding area to help understand the usage of the site.

After observing each site and conducting interviews, the observers rated each site on its level of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. The rating was based on the site's ability to fulfill the criteria of the respective characteristic (See Appendix B). For each

item of the criteria that the site fulfilled, the site received a point. The number of points was divided by the total possible points and multiplied by one hundred. This gave a percentage rating. If the site fulfilled 0-25% it received one star, 26-50% it received two stars, 51-75% it received three stars, and 76-100% it received four stars.

### 3.4 Findings and Results

In order to assess the overall vibrancy of a site, we conducted interviews to measure users' or potential users' perceptions of the four characteristics: accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. In addition, we conducted site observations to observe the level of each of the four characteristics and popularity. We then rated each site according to the criteria outlined in Appendix B and Appendix C. In the following analysis we examine what features played important roles in increasing the sites' rating of each of these four characteristics. In addition, we examined whether each of these four characteristics predicted the popularity of the site.

#### 3.4.1 Accessibility

In order to assess the accessibility of a site, we conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the accessibility of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of accessibility. In particular we observed the presence of close by public transportation and signage.

According to our rating system, the average rating for the accessibility of the sites was two stars. We found that most sites had at least one form of public transportation within walking distance (400 meters). We found that buses were the most prominent form of public transportation within walking distance, as 98% of the sites were accessible within walking

distance via a bus. Ferries provided the second-most available form of transportation within walking distance, as 50% of all sites were accessible within walking distance from a ferry pier. Additionally, we found that sites were accessible by MTR and Tram approximately 33% of the time. Looking at the specific sites, we found that several sites, especially beaches, were particularly difficult to access through public transportation and they were: Approach Beach, Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden, Lido Beach, Tai Wan Shan Park Promenade, Ting Kau Playground and Beach.

From our observations, we found that most sites needed more signage from the public transportation to the site, as only 19% of the sites were marked from the public transportation stop by directional signage. While many of the sites lacked signage from public transportation sites, we did find several that had good signage and they were: Central Ferry Pier, Museum of Coastal Defense, the venues in Tsim Sha Tsui, and the venues in Tsing Yi. Thus, while public transportation within walking distance is relatively available to most sites (e.g., by bus), there is a lack of signage from the public transportation to the sites.

#### 3.4.2 Connectivity

In order to assess the connectivity of a site, we conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the connectivity of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of connectivity. In particular we observed connections within the site, to the water, and from nearby destinations and transportation. In addition, we observed the presence of four types of signs that increase a site's connectivity: a site sign, site layout map, directional signage to available facilities, and directional signage to nearby destinations and transport.

From our interviews, we found that although most people found it easy to get to the site, one participant said that roads made it difficult to reach the site.

According to our rating system, the average rating for the connectivity of the sites was two stars. From our observations, we found that most sites were not well-connected within the site, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation. Overall, we found that 19% of the sites had a continuous harbour-front, such that it connected people to other sites (including the water) along the harbour front. In addition, we found that 27% of the sites had the means and facilities for berthing to help connect people to the water.

One major component of connectivity are signs leading people to areas within a site, to the water, and to nearby destinations. Overall, we found that 83% of the sites had site signs indicating what the site was, and 46% of the sites had site layout maps to direct visitors within the site. Looking specifically at directional signage, we found 38% of the sites had directional signage to available facilities to help connect areas the within the site, and that 30% of the sites had directional signage to nearby destinations and transport. Thus, while many of the sites had signs that identified the site, there is a lack of directional signage within sites and to nearby destinations and transportation.

From our observations, we also identified features that prevented connectivity within the site, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation. We found that walls and fences that mark boundaries of a site often made it difficult to see and reach the destination. We found that roads tended to separate the different sites and this lead to increases in disconnections between sites. In addition, we found that temporary or vacant lots, construction, and cargo loading areas also contributed to disconnections within sites, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation.

Looking at the specific sites, we found that several sites, especially beaches and sport centers, were particularly disconnected within the site, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation. In particular, we found that 10% of the sports facilities had directional signage to nearby destinations and public transportation. While many of the sites lacked connectivity within the site, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation, we did find several that were well connected and had good directional signage they were: Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-Out Area, the venues within Tsim Sha Tsui and Tsing Yi, and Tsuen Wan Park.

#### **3.4.3** *Quality*

In order to assess the quality of a site, we conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the quality of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of quality. In particular we evaluated the ability of the site to provide people with activities to do and to encourage people stay at the site. To evaluate this, we looked at a) special features (e.g., harbour views and historical monuments), b) facilities (e.g., parks, promenades, soccer pitch, playground, basketball court), c) food and beverage (e.g., kiosks, restaurants, vending machines), d) amenities (e.g., toilets, lighting, information kiosks, and WiFi/public telephone), e) allowed activities (e.g., fishing, dog walking, swimming, biking, and ball games), and d) seating (e.g., whether seating existed and whether it was shaded).

From our interviews, we found that 47% of participants wanted more shaded seating or trees added to the site. In addition, we found that 29% of participants came to the site to exercise or wanted more facilities at the site.

According to our rating system, the average rating for the quality of the sites was two stars. From our observations, we found 47% of the sites had special features, 79% had at least one allowed activity, 63% of the sites had some sort of food and beverage available, 58% of the

sites had at least one type of amenity, 95% have one of the facilities, and all of the sites had seating.

From our observations, we also identified specific features that may influence the quality of the sites. For instance, while all of the sites are along the harbour-front, only 71% of them provide visitors with a view of the harbour. In addition while all of the sites have seating, only 88% are shaded and only 71% are oriented to the water giving a harbour view. While 63% of the sites had food or beverage, only 33% have food. In addition, while 95% of the sites have at least one of the facilities listed, only 46% have more than one facility to provide a wide range of activities.

Looking at the specific sites, we found several sites that had lower quality than others, and these included: Cheung Fai Promenade, Hoi Bun, Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-out Area, and Wan Chai Temporary Promenade. In particular, we found that none of these sites had food and only one of them had beverages. In addition, none of them had more than one of the listed facilities and only one had toilets. Although some of the sites had lower quality, we did find several that ranked particularly high in terms of quality: Aldrich Bay, Belcher Bay, Hoi Sham Park, Quarry Bay, and Tsuen Wan Park. Unlike the poor quality sites, all of these sites have toilets and food or beverage. In addition, all of these sites have more than one of the listed facilities.

### 3.4.4 Design and Maintenance

In order to assess the overall design and maintenance of a site, we conducted user interviews to measure users' perceptions of the design and maintenance of the site, and we conducted site observations to observe the level of design and maintenance. The design and maintenance of the site was determined by evaluating how aesthetically pleasing the site was.

More specifically, we evaluated the design and maintenance of the site by evaluating it on several features: a) how well it was maintained (e.g., damage, rust), b) how clean the site was (e.g., presence of rubbish and recycling bins and overall level of cleanliness), and c) how well landscaped the area was (e.g., greenery, artwork, fencing).

According to our rating system, the average rating for the design and maintenance of the sites was three stars. From our observations, we found 72% of the sites were well-maintained, 70% were clean, and all of the sites had some form of greenery (trees, shrub, flowers, or grass). We also identified specific features that may influence the design and maintenance of the sites. For example, while all of the sites had greenery, 68% had no chain-link fence or barbed wire fence. While 72% of the sites were well-maintained, 67% had no broken or closed amenities and facilities. From our interviews, we found that 15% of participants wanted to see less pollution and 26% of participants wanted more trees at the site.

Looking at the specific sites, we found that several sites that had lower design and maintenance than others, and these included: Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park, Hoi Bun Road Sitting-out Area, Ting Kau Beach and Playground, Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground, and West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade. In particular, we found that all of these sites had chipped paint and damaged floors or walls, and 71% have broken facilities. In addition, these sites lack landscaping features as none of them have sculptures, water fountains, or themed areas. In addition, only 33% have greenery. Although some of the sites had lower maintenance and design, we found several that ranked particularly high in terms of design and maintenance and they were: Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre, Quarry Bay Park, Tsuen Wan Park and Riviera Park, Belcher Bay Park, Hoi Sham Park, Tsing Yi Promenade, and Tsim Shau Tsui Promenade. In particular, none of these sites had broken facilities or amenities, dead plants, or damage. In

addition, 86% had trees and all of them had some form of greenery (trees, shrubbery, flowers, grass). All of these sites had at least one rubbish and recycling bin and no trash on the ground.

#### 3.4.5 Popularity

In addition we wanted to see if the four characteristics predicted the popularity of the sites. To conduct this analysis we looked at the correlation between the popularity rating and the rating of each of the four characteristics. We found that each characteristic predicted the popularity of the site. For accessibility, we found that sites rated higher in accessibility were also more popular, r = .32, p = .03. For connectivity, we found that sites rated higher in connectivity were also more popular, r = .30, p = .05. For quality, we found that sites rated higher in quality were also more popular, r = .58, p = .00. For design and maintenance, we found that sites rated higher in design and maintenance were also more popular, r = .36, p = .02.

## 4. Discussion

The goal of our study was to identify ways in which the waterfront can improve to become a genuinely vibrant and well-used area. Specifically, we examined 48 sites along Victoria Harbour owned and operated by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD). For our examinations, we conducted interviews and made site observations to assess each location on its level of accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. In addition, we evaluated the popularity of each site. We found that the overall accessibility of the sites scored two stars; the connectivity scored two stars; the quality scored two stars; and the design and maintenance scored three stars. Furthermore, we found that each of these characteristics predicted the popularity of the site (i.e. popular sites had higher ratings).

### 4.1 Accessibility

Since most sites were accessible from some form of public transportation and only 19% had signage, we recommend that a standard sign is added between the transport drop-off and the site to guide visitors to the location. In particular, we recommend that signs directing visitors to the waterfront are added at bus stops, as 98% of the LCSD sites are accessible via bus. In addition, we recommend that signs are added inside MTR stations to guide visitors to the appropriate exit in order to reach a particular site. One example where this type of sign is used is in the TST MTR station where three of the LCSD locations are clearly marked in the exit sign. On the other hand, the MTR station nearby West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade does not have signs inside the station directing visitors towards the promenade. This made it difficult to find the promenade although there was signage outside the correct MTR exit. Although the MTR reaches many districts of Hong Kong, only 33% of the sites are in walking distance of an MTR exit.

Thus, we recommend that in the future, MTR stops are added closer to the waterfront. In addition, we suggest that shuttle buses or more mini-bus routes are added between the waterfront and MTR stations to make the waterfront more accessible to the general public and integrated in their daily lives. To promote the use of these shuttle buses, we recommend that they are labeled with their own route name, specific to the destination (i.e., harbour-bus). In addition, we suggest that the MTR stations have signs directing visitors towards these buses and that the routes are published in map guides (i.e., The Hong Kong Guide).

#### 4.2 Connectivity

Since there was an overall lack of connectivity within sites, to the water, and to nearby destinations and transportation, we recommend that unnecessary walls, fences, and other barriers that separate adjacent sites be removed to form a continuous waterfront. In particular, Provident Garden and Tong Shui Road Garden contain a wall separating the two sites. We recommend that this wall is removed to connect the two sites and extend the promenade in Provident Garden into Tong Shui Road Garden. In addition, we recommend that sites do not use fences to mark the boundary, unless the fences serve as a safety measure. If it is necessary to mark the boundary of a site, we recommend trees or shrubbery are used instead of fences to delineate the area. Through our observations, we noticed that almost all the sports centers had features that prohibited people from accessing the waterfront; therefore, we recommend that sports facilities add more waterfront entrances and signage around the perimeter to indicate entrances for potential users.

In addition, we found that 19% of the sites had a continuous harbour-front, such that it connected people to other sites (including the water). Thus, we recommend that signage is added between disconnected, nearby sites to increase connectivity and the users' likelihood to visit

nearby sites. In particular, five LCSD sites in Wan Chai are within walking distance from one another: Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade, Wan Chai Temporary Promenade, Wan Chai Sports Centre, Wan Chai Swimming Pool, and Harbour Road Sports Centre and Platform. We recommend that signs are added between the two promenades to guide visitors to each of these sites. In addition, past research suggested that more zebra crossings with traffic signals are added in such areas to give pedestrians clear passages between sites on the street level, and based on our observations we support this recommendation (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008). Past research has also recommended that an underpass be created under the Island Eastern Corridor. Based on our observations, especially near Provident and Tong Shui road garden, we support this recommendation.

While 50% of sites have facilities for berthing, few have water taxi service. We recommend that signs are added to these berthing facilities to indicate that they are for public use. In addition, we recommend the initiation of a standardized water taxi system to better connect sites along the waterfront. Existing berthing facilities can be used to create and support the water taxi stops. In particular, Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-out Area has an adjacent ferry pier that during the observations was not used frequently; therefore, we recommend that this ferry pier be considered as being a possible site for a central pier for docking water taxis.

#### 4.3 Quality

Past research shows that sites that have a wide variety of facilities, amenities, and activities tend to be rated higher in quality than sites that do not have these features (The HOK Planning Group, 2007). Based on our findings, we found that while 67% of the sites provided

some form of beverage, only 33 % of the sites provided some form of food service whether it was a kiosk, restaurant, or vending machine. In addition, 15% of the interviewed participants came to the site to eat or wanted more restaurants. Therefore, we recommend that more food services be implemented throughout the sites. Since Wan Chai Temporary Promenade is located in a primarily tourist area (Hong Kong Tourism Board-Planning Department, 2003) and had few outdoor food vendors, we recommend that this site implement more outdoor restaurants and food vendors. In addition, we found that 52 % of parks and promenades had toilets and 29% had food dispensers; therefore, we recommend that these amenities be added to these sites in particular.

Open space is a quality that past research has shown to be important to the Hong Kong people (Harbour Business Forum, 2006). Based on this, we recommend that more open spaces be created on the waterfront wherever possible. In addition, we found that 42% of the sites have more than one facility and that 26% support more than one of the allowed activities for visitors. Therefore, we recommend that the sites implement a variety of activities for users (e.g., allowing dog-walking, fishing, etc).

In terms of overall seating, the users interviewed requested more benches be added to the sites because when benches were not available they used concrete or brick walls which they reported to be more uncomfortable, especially in the winter. In addition, these users reported a need for more shaded seating. We noticed during our observations that while most sites did have some shaded seating (88% had at least one shaded seating area), the total amount of seating without shade was greater than the total number of shaded seats. We also noticed that the shaded seating was more likely to be used at sites than the seating without shade. As a result, we

recommend that more shaded seating be added to all waterfront sites and that shade be added to seating that is not currently shaded.

### 4.4 Design and Maintenance

Overall, we found that 49% of the sites had recycling bins and 98% had rubbish bins. Given the lack of recycling bins, we recommend that more recycling bins are added to each site. Since fences limit both connectivity and design, we also suggest that all chain-link and barbed wire fences be removed or changed to more aesthetically pleasing designed fences (e.g., glass fences that allow visitors to see the water). In addition, we found that 23% of the sites were not as well-maintained as others, and we recommend that these sites be repaired. In terms of landscaping and due to the public's reported desire for more shaded areas, we recommend that additional greenery (e.g., trees) be added to the sites especially near seating and around concrete walls to help improve the aesthetics of these walls.

### 4.5 Limitations

Although we were able to draw conclusions from our data, a few factors limited our analysis. Specifically, we had a seven-week time constraint. This time constraint limited the amount of site observations we could conduct. While we were able to visit most sites twice, we were not able to visit all of them at different times of the day or on different days of the week (e.g. weekend evening, weekday evening, weekend afternoon, and weekday morning). In addition, we were only able to visit the sites during the winter season. As a result, we were not able to observe the effect of season on the popularity of the site (e.g. swimming pools in the winter versus swimming pools in the summer).

#### 4.6 Future Research

As a result of our limitations, we suggest that future research study additional factors that affect the popularity of the harbour-front. In particular, since our study was limited by time, we suggest that a study assess the popularity of the harbour-front sites over a longer period of a time (e.g., in the spring, summer, and fall). In addition, while observing the 48 sites we noticed that specific facilities at the site were used by certain age groups (e.g., playgrounds were used by children). Thus, we recommend that a study assess the sites' ability to meet the needs of the people in the surrounding area according to their age and gender.

In addition, since our study showed that 15% of participants wanted to see less pollution, we recommend that future research examine factors (e.g., number of recycling bins, number of trees) that may contribute to an environmentally friendly harbour-front. We also suggest that a study investigate the amount of electricity saved by bringing people outside. Current research shows that the public wants to see more promenades, parks, and open space on the harbour-front and our analysis shows that more activities improve popularity; however, current research does not demonstrate the economic value of investing in more leisure developments on Victoria Harbour. As a result, we recommend that a study assess the economic value of this investment.

## 5. Conclusion

After assessing the accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance of the 48 sites, we found that these factors predicted the popularity of the site (i.e., popular sites had high ratings for each of these factors). Therefore, we made specific suggestions to improve these four factors in each of the 48 LCSD sites (see Appendix G). Overall, we recommend increasing the ease of travel to the waterfront, creating more connections between harbour-front destinations, providing more waterfront activities, and maintaining and enhancing the aesthetic appeal of the waterfront. Collectively, these factors may improve the waterfront and help create a genuinely vibrant and well-used area, representative of the pride in which the Hong Kong people have in Victoria Harbour.

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# **Appendix A: Sponsor Information**

Designing Hong Kong, Ltd., is a non-profit organization serving the harbour district of Hong Kong (Designing Hong Kong, 2008). As described in Designing Hong Kong, Ltd.'s website, its mission is to:

- Promote the health, safety, convenience and the general, social, and economic welfare of the community of Hong Kong, today and in the future, through research, education, support and awareness building;
- 2. Identify ways and means of enhancing the quality and sustainability of Hong Kong's living environment for the health, safety, convenience and welfare of residents and visitors;
- 3. Undertake research and studies into the design and development of Hong Kong's living environment;
- 4. Educate and raise the awareness among the community on the need to protect and enhance the living environment of Hong Kong, and the ways and means to do so;
- Form alliances among members of the community with a common interests in protecting and enhancing the living environment of Hong Kong;
- 6. Take all other lawful actions to assist the community in developing and enhancing the living environment of Hong Kong;
- 7. Undertake any and all lawful acts and deeds which are necessary and conclusive in attaining the objects of the Company (Designing Hong Kong, 2008).

There is a limited amount of land in Hong Kong, especially along the waterfront and within the harbour districts, Designing Hong Kong, Ltd. focuses the waterfront needs to be

25utilized in a way that maximizes the vibrancy and value of Hong Kong. Previously-completed projects include a competition for the design of the Central Waterfront, in which winning entries were submitted to the Government for use in their urban design study, and a community rezoning request for the central waterfront to the town planning board (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008).

As a small, independent organization, Designing Hong Kong comprises a number of harbour planners, activists, and leaders of think tanks. Such people have joined the four founders, Paul Zimmerman, Christine Loh, Markus Shaw, and Peter Wong. Although the organization contains no paid employees, it does distribute monetary funds when hiring help or funding permits.

However, the four founders provide an expansive wealth of knowledge regarding urban planning and design, in addition to maintaining ties with stakeholders of Victoria Harbour's reclamation. Christine Loh is CEO of the think-tank Civic Exchange. Markus Shaw has been Chairman of the Worldwide Fund for Nature, Hong Kong, since 2000 and a member of WWF's International Board since 2005. He is also a member of the Hong Kong Government's Advisory Council on the Environment. Paul Zimmerman is Vice-Chairman of the Coalition on Sustainable Tourism. Peter Wong is a Board Member of Global Reporting Initiative, and the Chairman of the Business and Professionals Federation of Hong Kong, and a member of the Greater Pearl River Delta Business Council and the Executive Committee of the Commission on Strategic Development.

In addition to its direct involvement with the government, Designing Hong Kong, Ltd., is supported by the Centre of Urban Planning and Environmental Management and the Department of Architecture at Hong Kong University; by the Department of Architecture at the Chinese 26

University of Hong Kong; by the Harbour Business Forum; by Citizen Envisioning @ Harbour; by the Hong Kong Sustainable Development Forum; by the Hong Kong Designers Association; and by Città d'Acqua (Cities on Water). It is also advised by the Hong Kong chapter of the Urban Design Committee of the American Institute of Architects (Hyde, Seymour, Tennant, & Truong, 2008).

Designing Hong Kong serves the entirety of Hong Kong's population by seeking and promoting the best ideas for urban planning and development. They strive towards ideas that will improve the city's tourism appeal, commercial success, and livability for its residents. This includes environmental as well as economic concerns, and balancing the need for commercial and industrial infrastructure with the need for open space and recreational facilities.

The organization that manages the waterfront sites that we studied in our project is the Leisure and Cultural Services Department, a branch of the Hong Kong government. The LCSD owns over 1500 recreational and cultural public sites in Hong Kong, responsible for the maintenance and management of each venue. The LCSD gave us preliminary information about each site before we arrived in Hong Kong, including a list of facilities and basic information about each location. To aid us in our site visits, the LCSD provided us a letter to the mangers of each site, informing them that we would be coming. They also gave us a pass to the Chinese New Year's fireworks at TST promenade so we could observe the LCSD's management of the event from their command post. They put in an order to the Survey and Mapping office on our behalf to help us obtain maps of each site to mark our suggestions on. The assistant director of the LCSD, Mr. Paul Cheung also met with us on several occasions to give us information and background about the sites and help us to understand the rules and regulations from the management's perspective. The LCSD's cooperation and willingness to work with us on this

project has been invaluable, greatly enhancing our ability to gather information and make recommendations for the sites.

The Harbour-front Enhancement Committee is an organization that advises the government through the Secretary for Development on Planning about land uses and developments along the existing and new harbour-front of Victoria Harbour. Their goal is protecting the Harbour and improving the accessibility, utilization and vibrancy of the harbour-front areas, while safeguarding public enjoyment of the Harbour through a balanced, effective and public participation approach (Harbour-front Enhancement Committee, 2008). The HEC helped provide input and advice in the design and procedure of the project, and has provided us a public venue in which to give our final presentation of our findings.

Hong Kong University also aided us in carrying out this project. With the help of Professor Mee Kam Ng, we were able to work with university students currently enrolled in a class about values in planning. The student's coursework involved a separate evaluation of the same LCSD venues as our project, however we were able to work with them in gathering data and performing user surveys. We were able to give them some information about the sites form our research, while they were able to give us their local perspective as well as translate for us to help us perform interviews with users at the sites. The aid of Professor Mee Kam Ng and the Hong Kong university students was very valuable in helping us to perform our interviews and gather more information about the sites.

The Harbour Business Forum is a business alliance with over 121 members whose mission is to see Hong Kong's harbour and harbour-front areas become a genuinely vibrant, accessible and sustainable world-class asset (Harbour Business Forum, 2008). The harbour business forum has provided us with numerous reports and studies that have helped us to gain a

better background and understanding of Victoria Harbour, to better know the opinions of businesses and residents and better understand the current and future plans of the government.

This information has been very useful in developing more practical suggestions for the sites that will better serve the community.

# **Appendix B: Site Ratings**

To analyze our recorded data and draw comparisons and conclusions between sites, we assigned a rating to each of the four categories, accessibility, connectivity, quality, and design and maintenance. Each area was assigned a set of criteria, then scored based on the percentage of criteria that it had. The criteria definitions and scoring system are described below. A scoring was not done for Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool Complex, because the site is currently completely closed for construction and our analysis of this location was based on the future design plans.

- 1. General Terms: terms listed below are referred to in the subsequent sections
  - a. Barrier: A barrier is anything that makes it difficult to access an area. (fences, walls, closed gardens, roads, stair cases, footbridges, subways)
  - b. Signage: signs that assist navigation of a site and nearby destinations
  - c. Type of site: sites have been categorized into the following subcategories
    - i. Parks and Gardens: Parks, Gardens, Sitting-out areas
    - ii. Sports facility: Sports ground, sports centre, recreation ground, swimming pool
    - iii. Promenade: promenade, pier
    - iv. Beach: beach
    - v. Playground: playground
    - vi. Cultural Facility: museum, cultural centre
  - d. Public: an area or facility which is open to all

- e. Nearby: within a walking distance of 400m for an able-bodied person"passengers may happily walk 600m through traffic free walkway systems to
  MTR stations compared to 400m of delay and discomfort through congested
  street networks" (Harbour Business Forum, 2008).
- f. Waterfront-oriented: Making use of Victoria Harbour
- 2. Accessibility: A measure of available facilities to enable an able-bodied person to reach the site.
  - Public Transport Access: a MTR stop, bus stop, tram stop or ferry pier is nearby

### b. Signage:

- i. Directional signs from transport to site: signs displaying the site name and directing people from transport to site (see Figure 1 below for example)
- ii. Directional signs from site to transport: signs within the site directing visitors towards a form of public transport (see Figure 2 below for example)
- 3. Connectivity: a measure of how well the site connects people to the hinterland and along the waterfront; and how easy it is for an able-bodied person to enter the site
  - At grade access a connection between the hinterland and the site that does not have stairs
  - ii. Continuous waterfront: Connectivity along the waterfront no barrier between LCSD site and adjacent sites, creating a continuous waterfront experience

- iii. Sufficient Entrances: a sufficient number of entrances for a large site is 5 or more, for a medium site is 3 to 4, and for a small site, is 1 to 2.
- iv. Berthing: consists of stairs to the water from the shore or a pier and cleats or bollards which enable a person to temporarily dock a boat

### b. Signage:

- i. Site Sign: a sign, not made of paper, located at the entrance of the site that displays the full name of the site in English and Chinese (see Figure 3 below for example)
- ii. Site layout map: a map that displays the name of the site, the entire area of the site, labels amenities and facilities in English and Chinese or using a legend (see Figure 4 below for example)
- iii. Directional signage inside a site to available facilities, activities and services (see Figure 5 below for example)
- iv. Directional signs from the site to nearby destinations (see Figure 6 for example)
- 4. Quality: the ability of a site to provide people with things to do and encourage people to stay at the site.

#### a. Site Features:

- i. Harbour view: a person is able to stand in at least one place on the grounds of the site and see Victoria Harbour
- ii. Historical Monument: must be labeled with a specific year or years in which the person, place, or thing existed

- iii. Park: A site contains a park if it is labeled as a park by the LCSD or it is nearby site labeled as a park by the LCSD
- iv. Promenade: a site contains a promenade if it is labeled promenade by theLCSD or it is nearby a site labeled promenade by the LCSD

### b. Food and Beverage:

- Restaurant/cafe: a place with a menu containing food items. It has its own indoor seating, outdoor seating, or both. It must be on the grounds of the site or accessible and immediately adjacent to the site from at least one place on the site.
- ii. Kiosk: a place in which at least one person sells food of any kind. It does not have its own seating. It must be on the grounds of the site or a person must be able to see the front of the food kiosk from at least one place on the grounds of the site.
- iii. Dispenser: a machine that releases drinking water (also referred to as a water fountain) or coin operated machines which offers drinks or snacks
- c. Site Facilities these enable a person to engage in a specific activity
  - i. Game table: A table with any type of game board secured to the top of the table. (see Figure 7 below for example)
  - ii. Foot-massage path: a facility consisting of a path paved with rocks and a railing on at least one side of the path. (see Figure 8 below for example)
  - iii. Playground
  - iv. Fitness station
  - v. Soccer pitch

vi.	Basketball court
vii.	Tennis court
viii.	Park
ix.	Promenade
d. Allow	ed Activities: Activities allowed at the site and for which the means to do
the act	ivity exist at the site.
i.	Fishing
ii.	Dog-walking
iii.	Swimming
iv.	Ball games
v.	Biking
e. Ameni	ities: facilities or structure which provide basic services to the users of the
site an	d enable people to stay at the site
i.	Toilets
ii.	Lighting
iii.	Information kiosk
iv.	WiFi
v.	Public telephone
5. Design/Mainto	enance: the measure of how well the aesthetic appeal of the site is upheld
and enhanced	
a. Well n	naintained
i.	No chipped paint: no chipped paint was seen on objects at time of visit
ii.	No rusting: no rust was seen on objects at time of visit

- iii. No broken or closed amenities: no amenities were broken or closed at time of visit; site receives an "N/A" if it does not contain amenities
- iv. No broken facilities: no facilities were broken at the time of visit; site receives an "N/A" if it does not contain facilities
- v. No dead plants: no plants were dead at time of visit
- vi. No damaged flooring/walls: none of the flooring or walls were damaged at site at time of visit

#### b. Clean

- Visibly dirty: amenities, structures, walls, fences, or portions of the ground in the site are covered in dirt or in need of cleaning
- ii. Trash barrel: site has at least one trash barrel
- iii. Recycling bin: site has at least one recycling bin
- c. Special design elements:
  - i. Colour: any colour other than black, white, grey, silver, or brown
  - ii. Art: a mural, sculpture, or other decorative design crafted or made by a person to represent a person, place, or thing or to appear different than it would naturally (as in a carved stone)
  - iii. Themed: site displays a common theme through the design of any of its facilities, amenities, flooring, or fencing (see Figure 9 for example)

### 6. Rating system

a. If a site has an item, it receives a check. The total number of checks is then
 divided by the total number of possible checks and multiplied by 100 to produce a

percentage. The site is then rated on a scale of 1-4 based on the percentage it received.

b. N/A (not applicable): items that are scored an N/A will not count towards the total number of checks received or the number of checks possible

% of items checked out of possible	
items	Score
0-25%	1
26-50%	2
51-75%	3
76-100%	4



Figure 1: Signage from transport to destination



Figure 4: Site layout map



Figure 2: Signage from site to transport



Figure 5: Signage to available facilities or activities within the venue



Figure 3: Site name sign



Figure 6: Signage to nearby destinations



Figure 7: Game table



Figure 8: Foot massage path



	1 - Siu Sai Wan Promenade										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance					
Public Transport		Special Features	<b>✓</b>	Allowed Activities		Maintained					
MTR .		harbour View	<b>-</b>	fishing		no chipped paint					
bus	<b>V</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting					
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>				
ferry		Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities					
		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants					
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓				
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating							
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean					
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓				
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>✓</b>				
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓				
<b>Connectivity</b>		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓				
				toilets	✓						
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence					
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓				
berthing	✓	playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓				
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓				
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture					
site layout map	✓	football pitch	✓			themed					
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain					
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>				
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	<b>✓</b>				
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓				
to available facilities	_					shrubbery	✓				
							_				
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
20.00%	1	100%	4	55.20%	3	72.70%	3				

		2 - Siu Sai	Wa	n Sports Ground			
Accessibility	<u>Quality</u>				<u>Design/Maintenance</u>		
				AH 1.A .: :::			
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>-</b>
bus	<b>V</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>-</b>
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser	<b>✓</b>	biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		Kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from	1	restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site	•			benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	1
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		Kiosk	✓			trash barrel	<b>√</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	Park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	1
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court				trees	
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	✓
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>✓</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	62.5%	3	41.4%	2	72.7%	3

		3 - Heng F	a Cl	huen Playground			
<u>Accessibility</u>			Qua	ality		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	1	harbour View	1	fishing	<b>√</b>	no chipped paint	<b>√</b>
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>
tram		mstorical monament		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games	1	no broken facilities	<b>√</b>
,		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	
Signage		kiosk		8		no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site		restauranty care		benches	1	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	1	no trash on ground	<b>√</b>
		dispenser	1	oriented towards water	1	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>√</b>
<u>comectivity</u>		restaurant/ care		toilets	<b>√</b>	recycling bills	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	<b>√</b>	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	1	park	1	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	1	promenade	1	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	1
continuous waterfront	1	game table	1	Will if public telephone		colour fence	<b>√</b>
berthing	Ţ	playground	<b>√</b>			stone/brick flooring	<b>√</b>
bertining		fitness station	1			no concrete floor/seating	<b>√</b>
Signage		foot massage path	1			Sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch	1			Themed	
site sign	1	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport	✓	terrins court				grass	<b>√</b>
directional signs inside site						flowers	1
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	62.5%	3	55.2%	3	81.8%	4

Accessibility			Qua	Quality		Design/Maintenance	
					✓		
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument	✓	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	
		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>
directional signs from	./	restaurant/café	✓	Seating			
transport to site	•			benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	<b>√</b>
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	<b>√</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café	1	Amenities		recycling bins	1
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	<b>√</b>
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	<b>√</b>
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓
site layout map	<b>\</b>	football pitch				themed	<b>√</b>
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to	_/	tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	<b>√</b>
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
							#
Accessibility Score:	l	Connectivity Score:	1	Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	

	5 - Aldrich Bay Promenade										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>					
Dublic Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained					
Public Transport	./	Special Features	1		-/						
MTR	·/	harbour View	<b>▼</b>	fishing	+	no chipped paint	- 1				
bus	·/	historical monument	+	dog-walking		no rusting	- 1				
tram	·/	e 1	-	swimming	<b>√</b>	no broken or closed amenities					
ferry	•	Food	<b>√</b>	ball games		no broken facilities					
		dispenser	<b>-</b>	biking		no dead plants					
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>				
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating							
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean					
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓				
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓				
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓				
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>✓</b>				
				toilets	✓						
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓				
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront		game table	✓			colour fence	✓				
berthing	✓	playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓				
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓				
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture					
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed					
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain					
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓				
nearby destinations and transport	<b>V</b>					grass	✓				
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓				
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓				
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
80.0%	4	75.0%	3	69.0%	3	77.3%	4				

		6 - Sai Wa	an F	lo Harbour Park			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	_
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	<b>✓</b>	no chipped paint	
bus	<b>√</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
<b>Connectivity</b>		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:	-	Quality Score:	_	Design/Maintenance Score:	
60.0%	3	75.0%	3	37.9%	2	50.0%	2

		7 - Q	uar	ry Bay Park			
<u>Accessibility</u>			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
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Public Transport	./	Special Features	<b>✓</b>	Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR .	<b>V</b>	harbour View		fishing	-	no chipped paint	
bus	•	historical monument	<b>√</b>	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>-</b>
tram		_		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry	<b>✓</b>	Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities	<b>-</b>
		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants	
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	<b>✓</b>
directional signs from	1	restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site	•			benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage	✓	shaded	✓	no trash on ground	<b>✓</b>
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	<b>✓</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
<b>Connectivity</b>		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	<b>✓</b>
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	<b>✓</b>
berthing	✓	playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	<b>✓</b>
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court	✓			trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	<b>✓</b>
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
	4		4		4		4
80.0%	4	87.5%	4	79.3%	4	77.3%	4

8 - Fireboat Alexander Grantham Exhibition Gallery											
		Qua	llity		Design/Maintenance						
	Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained						
✓	harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	✓					
✓	historical monument	✓	dog-walking		no rusting	✓					
			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓					
✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	N/A					
	dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓					
	kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓					
	restaurant/café		Seating								
			benches	✓	Clean						
	Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓					
	dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓					
	kiosk				trash barrel	✓					
	restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins						
			toilets								
	Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped						
✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓					
✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓					
	game table				colour fence	✓					
	playground				stone/brick flooring	✓					
	fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓					
	foot massage path				sculpture						
	football pitch				themed	✓					
✓	basketball court				water fountain	✓					
	tennis court				trees	✓					
✓											
						_					
						<b>√</b>					
					Siliubbery	•					
	Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:						
3		2		1		4					
		Special Features  ✓ harbour View ✓ historical monument  ✓ Food  dispenser kiosk restaurant/café  Beverage dispenser kiosk restaurant/café  Site Facilities ✓ park ✓ promenade game table playground fitness station foot massage path football pitch ✓ basketball court tennis court  ✓ Connectivity Score:	Special Features  ✓ harbour View ✓ historical monument  ✓ Food  dispenser kiosk restaurant/café  Beverage dispenser kiosk restaurant/café  Site Facilities ✓ park ✓ promenade game table playground fitness station foot massage path football pitch ✓ basketball court tennis court  ✓ Connectivity Score:	Special Features	Quality  Special Features  ✓ harbour View ✓ historical monument ✓ dog-walking  swimming ✓ Food  ball games  dispenser  biking  kiosk  restaurant/café Seating  benches ✓ shaded ✓ dispenser  kiosk  restaurant/café Amenities  Site Facilities ✓ park ✓ promenade  game table  playground  fitness station  foot massage path  football pitch ✓ basketball court  tennis court  Connectivity Score:  Quality Score:	Special Features					

	9 - Man Hong Street Playground										
Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance					
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained					
MTR		harbour View		fishing	<b>√</b>	no chipped paint	<b>✓</b>				
Bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking	+	no rusting	<b>√</b>				
Tram	· ✓	mistorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>				
Ferry	, ·	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>√</b>				
Terry		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	·				
Signago		kiosk		DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls	<u>,</u>				
Signage directional signs from				Conting		Tio damaged floornig/waiis					
transport to site		restaurant/café		Seating	1	Clean					
		Deverse		benches	<b>-</b>		-/				
		Beverage		shaded	\ <u>\</u>	no trash on ground					
		dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>V</b>				
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>V</b>				
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins					
				toilets							
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓				
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence					
Berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓				
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture					
site layout map		football pitch				themed					
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain					
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓				
nearby destinations and transport						grass					
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓				
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓				
						·					
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	24.1%	1	72.7%	3				

Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	✓	harbour View		fishing	✓	no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accordibility Score:		Connectivity Searce		Quality Score:		Docign/Maintanance Scarce	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	

		11 - Nort	th P	oint Promenade			
Accessibility	Quality					<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	<b>√</b>	harbour View		fishing	1	no chipped paint	
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	
tram	<b>✓</b>			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	N/A
ferry	<b>✓</b>	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<i>√</i>
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk	1			no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café	1	Seating		U. S. C.	
transport to site		, , , , , ,		benches	1	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk	<b>✓</b>			trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café	<b>✓</b>	Amenities		recycling bins	
		,		toilets		, 3	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting		Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	1	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and							
transport						grass	
directional signs inside site to available facilities						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>✓</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
80.0%	4	50.0%	2	34.5%	2	47.6%	2
OU.U%	_ ~	50.0%		34.3%		47.0%	

12 - Tong Shui Road Garden									
Accessibility		<u>Quality</u>				<u>Design/Maintenance</u>			
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained			
MTR		harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	✓		
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓		
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓		
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓		
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓		
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓		
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating					
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean			
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓		
		dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓		
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓		
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins			
				toilets					
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped			
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence			
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓		
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence			
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓		
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating			
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture			
site layout map		football pitch				themed			
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain			
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓		
nearby destinations and transport						grass			
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓		
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓		
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:			
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	24.1%	1	63.6%	3		

		13 - Pi	rovi	dent Garden			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing	1	no chipped paint	<b>√</b>
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>
tram		mstorical monament		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>√</b>
ieny		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>
Signage		kiosk		211119		no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site		. cotta ar arriginar c		benches	<b>√</b>	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	<b>✓</b>	no trash on ground	<b>√</b>
		dispenser		oriented towards water	<b>√</b>	not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>√</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>√</b>
<u>Comicetivity</u>		restaurant/ care		toilets		recycling bills	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	1	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	1	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	<u> </u>	promenade	1	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>
continuous waterfront		game table	+	wii i/ public telephone		colour fence	
berthing		playground	1			stone/brick flooring	<b>√</b>
Dertrinig		fitness station	+			no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path	1			sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch	+			themed	
site sign	1	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to	•	tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport		terinis court					· ·
directional signs inside site						flowers	<b>√</b>
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>→</b>
						Siliubbely	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	25.0%	1	27.6%	2	72.7%	3

		14 - Whitfie	eld	Road Rest Garde	n		
Accessibility		Quality				Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing	<b>√</b>	no chipped paint	
bus	<b>√</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
,		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		<u> </u>	
transport to site		•		benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>✓</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	20.7%	1	54.5%	3

		15 - Wan Chai	Wa	terfront Promen	ade		
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	✓	no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking	✓	no rusting	
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	<b>✓</b>
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign		basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	34.5%	2	50.0%	2

16 - Wan Chai Sports Ground									
Accessibility		Quality				Design/Maintenance			
Dublic Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained			
Public Transport		Special Features							
MTR	./	harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	· ·		
bus	<b>v</b>	historical monument		dog-walking 		no rusting	<b>V</b>		
tram	<b>V</b>	_		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>		
ferry	<b>✓</b>	Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities	<b>√</b>		
		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants	✓		
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	✓		
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating					
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean			
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓		
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓		
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	✓		
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓		
				toilets	✓				
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped			
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓		
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓		
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	✓		
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓		
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating			
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture			
site layout map		football pitch	✓			themed			
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain			
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓		
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓		
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓		
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓		
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:			
60.0%	3	25.0%	1	37.9%	2	81.8%	4		

		17 - Wan	Cha	ai Swimming Poo	l		
Accessibility		Quality				Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming	✓	no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	N/A
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	N/A
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches		Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
60.0%	3	37.5%	2	17.2%	1	25.0%	1

		18 - Harbo	ur F	Road Sports Centi	re		
Accessibility		Quality				Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	N/A
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	1	, ,	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	✓					grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	<b>✓</b>
to available facilities						shrubbery	·
						Siliubbery	,
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
60.0%	3	50.0%	2	27.6%	2	66.7%	3

19 - Wan Chai Temporary Promenade									
Accessibility  Dublic Transport			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>			
		Special Footunes		Allowed Activities		Maintained			
Public Transport		Special Features	<b>✓</b>						
MTR	./	harbour View	<b>V</b>	fishing		no chipped paint	-/		
bus	•	historical monument	+	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>▼</b>		
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>V</b>		
ferry	<b>V</b>	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>V</b>		
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>		
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓		
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating					
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean			
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓		
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓		
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓		
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins			
				toilets					
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped			
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓		
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓		
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence			
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓		
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating			
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓		
site layout map		football pitch				themed			
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain			
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓		
nearby destinations and transport						grass			
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓		
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓		
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:			
40.0%	2	25.0%	1	27.6%	2	68.2%	3		

20 - Hong Kong City Hall									
<u>Accessibility</u>		<u>Quality</u>				Design/Maintenance			
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained			
MTR	✓	harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>		
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>		
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>		
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓		
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓		
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	✓		
directional signs from		restaurant/café	✓	Seating					
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean			
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓		
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty			
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	✓		
Connectivity		restaurant/café	✓	Amenities		recycling bins			
				toilets	✓				
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped			
sufficient Entrances		park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓		
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓		
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence			
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓		
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating			
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓		
site layout map		football pitch				themed			
site sign		basketball court				water fountain			
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓		
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓		
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓		
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>✓</b>		
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:			
60.0%	3	12.5%	1	41.4%	2	72.7%	3		

21 - Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance				
Dublic Transport		Cuasial Factures		Allamad Astinitias		Maintained				
Public Transport	./	Special Features	1	Allowed Activities	-/	Maintained				
MTR	<b>V</b>	harbour View		fishing	+	no chipped paint				
bus	<b>V</b>	historical monument	<b>√</b>	dog-walking		no rusting				
tram		_		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>			
ferry	<b>✓</b>	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>V</b>			
		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants	<b>✓</b>			
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls				
directional signs from	1	restaurant/café	✓	Seating						
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean				
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground				
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty				
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	✓			
Connectivity		restaurant/café	✓	Amenities		recycling bins	✓			
				toilets	✓					
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped				
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓			
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓			
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence				
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	✓			
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture				
site layout map		football pitch				themed				
site sign		basketball court				water fountain				
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court				trees	✓			
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass				
directional signs inside site	1					flowers				
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓			
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:				
80.0%	4	75.0%	3	58.6%	3	45.5%	2			

		23 - Weste	rn P	ark Sports Centro	е		
Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	<b>✓</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	✓
,		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	
Signage		kiosk		J		no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		<u> </u>	
transport to site		•		benches		Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
		- cotta an an quant		toilets	<b>√</b>		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	1	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	<b>√</b>	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	<b>✓</b>	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	1	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table		,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
3		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	24.1%	1	54.5%	3

		24 - B	elcl	her Bay Park			
Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram	✓			swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	<b>√</b>
•		dispenser	✓	biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	<b>✓</b>
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site		,		benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>✓</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>√</b>
		,		toilets	✓	, 0	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>
continuous waterfront		game table	✓			colour fence	✓
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	<b>✓</b>
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	✓
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	50.0%	2	48.3%	2	86.4%	4

25 - Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground										
<u>Accessibility</u>	Quality					Design/Maintenance				
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained				
MTR		harbour View	1	fishing	1	no chipped paint				
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting				
tram	1	mstoricarmonament		swimming	1	no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>			
ferry		Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities	<b>√</b>			
Terry		dispenser		biking		no dead plants				
Signage		kiosk		DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls				
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		no damaged noornig, wans				
transport to site		restaurant, care		benches	1	Clean				
·		Beverage		shaded	1	no trash on ground				
		dispenser	1	oriented towards water	1	not visibly dirty				
		kiosk		oriented towards water		trash barrel	1			
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities						
Connectivity		restaurant/care		toilets	<b>√</b>	recycling bins				
Sites		Site Facilities			\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Landscaped				
sufficient Entrances	1	park	<b>/</b>	lighting information kiosk		no chain-link fence				
	1	•	\ <u>'</u>			no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>			
at grade Access continuous waterfront	•	promenade	+	WiFi/public telephone		colour fence	- <del>'</del>			
	1	game table					- <del>-</del>			
berthing	•	playground				stone/brick flooring				
<b>C</b>		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture				
site layout map		football pitch	<b>√</b>			themed				
site sign	<b>V</b>	basketball court	<b>√</b>			water fountain				
directional signs from the site to nearby destinations and transport		tennis court				trees	<b>✓</b>			
directional signs inside site						grass flowers				
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>			
						энчин				
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:				
40.0%	2	50.0%	2	48.3%	2	40.9%	2			

26 - Cheung Fai Road Promenade										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance				
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained				
MTR		harbour View	<b>✓</b>	fishing	1	no chipped paint	<b>√</b>			
bus	<b>√</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓			
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities				
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓			
,		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓			
Signage		kiosk		<u> </u>		no damaged flooring/walls	✓			
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		<u> </u>				
transport to site		,		benches	✓	Clean				
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓			
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓			
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓			
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins				
		,		toilets	✓	, 0				
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped				
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence				
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence				
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓			
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	✓			
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture				
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed				
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain				
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓			
nearby destinations and transport						grass				
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓			
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>			
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:				
20.0%	1	87.5%	4	24.1%	1	59.1%	3			

		27 - Tsin	g Yi	<b>Swimming Pool</b>			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	✓	harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming	✓	no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	N/A
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café	✓	Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café	✓	Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	1		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Secre		Connectivity Seems		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Searce	
Accessibility Score:	2	Connectivity Score:	2	Quality Score:	2	Design/Maintenance Score:	4
40.0%		50.0%		37.9%		76.2%	4

		28 - Tsin	g Yi	<b>Sports Ground</b>			
Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	✓	harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
		, , , , , ,		toilets	1		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
-		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	37.5%	2	27.6%	2	81.8%	4

		29 - Tsi	ing '	Yi Promenade			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	<b>√</b>	harbour View	1	fishing	<b>√</b>	no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>√</b>
•		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>√</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>√</b>
		,		toilets	✓	, 0	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	<b>√</b>
berthing	✓	playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	<b>√</b>
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	<b>√</b>
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
A				O allia Gara		Decision (Addison	
Accessibility Score:	_	Connectivity Score:	+_	Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	<del></del>
40.0%	2	100.0%	4	48.3%	2	86.4%	4

		30	) - L	ido Beach			
Accessibility			Qua	<u>llity</u>		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking	✓	no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	N/A
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	1	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	1	no chain-link fence	
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	25.0%	1	41.4%	2	57.1%	3

		31 - Ting Ka	au V	illage Playground	d		
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	✓
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	50.0%	2	24.1%	1	36.4%	2

		32 -	Tin	g Kau Beach			
Accessibility			Qua	nlity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	✓	no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	N/A
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	N/A
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting		Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign		basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and						aross.	
transport directional signs inside site						grass	
to available facilities						flowers	
to available radinales						shrubbery	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	12.5%	1	20.7%	1	35.0%	2

		33 - /	Арр	roach Beach			
Accessibility			Qua	ality		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	
ferry		Food		ball games	✓	no broken facilities	N/A
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	1		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting		Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	✓
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign		basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	+
to available facilities			+			shrubbery	
						Siliabbely	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	12.5%	1	17.2%	1	28.6%	2

		34 - 1	Sue	n Wan Park			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport	_	Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	<b>V</b>	harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>-</b>
bus	<b>✓</b>	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry	✓	Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities	<b>✓</b>
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	<b>✓</b>
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
<b>Connectivity</b>		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	✓
berthing	✓	playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	✓
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	✓
directional signs from the site to	1	tennis court	✓			trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>√</b>
<del>-</del>							
Accessibility Score:	_	Connectivity Score:	_	Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
60.0%	3	100.0%	4	51.7%	3	86.4%	4

		35 - Tsue	n W	/an Riviera Park			
Accessibility			Qua	nlity		Design/Maintenance	
					✓		
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	✓	harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	✓
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	✓
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
60.0%	3	50.0%	2	58.6%	3	77.3%	4

36 - West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade										
Accessibility			Qua	ality		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>				
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained				
MTR	1	harbour View	1	fishing	1	no chipped paint				
bus	1	historical monument	+	dog-walking	+	no rusting				
tram	•	Thistorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>			
ferry		Food		ball games	1	no broken facilities	1			
Terry		dispenser	1	biking	1	no dead plants	+			
Signage		kiosk	+	DIKING	+	no damaged flooring/walls	_			
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		no damaged nooring/ wans	+			
transport to site	✓	restaurant, care		benches	1	Clean	+			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		Beverage		shaded	<b>√</b>	no trash on ground	<b>√</b>			
		dispenser	1	oriented towards water	<b>√</b>	not visibly dirty	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\			
		kiosk	+	Offerited towards water	+	trash barrel	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\			
Connectivity							· ·			
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>-</b>			
				toilets	<b>√</b>		_			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	<b>→</b>	Landscaped	$-\!$			
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	<b>✓</b>	no chain-link fence				
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	$\bot$			
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	$\bot$			
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring				
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture				
site layout map		football pitch				themed				
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain				
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees				
nearby destinations and transport						grass	✓			
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓			
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓			
							+			
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:				
60.0%	3	25.0%	1	48.3%	2	45.5%	2			

		<b>37 - Hong</b>	Kon	g Cultural Centre	)		
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	1	harbour View	1	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
,		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk	✓	<u> </u>		no damaged flooring/walls	✓
directional signs from		restaurant/café	✓	Seating			
transport to site	<b>V</b>	,		benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓
		kiosk	✓			trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café	✓	Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	✓	, ,	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	✓
directional signs from the site to	1	tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	_					grass	✓
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	<b>✓</b>
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
80.0%	4	87.5%	4	41.4%	2	90.9%	4

	38 - Hong Kong Museum of Art										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance					
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained					
MTR	<b>✓</b>	harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>				
bus	<b>√</b>	historical monument	✓	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>✓</b>				
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities					
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓				
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓				
Signage		kiosk	✓			no damaged flooring/walls	✓				
directional signs from	1	restaurant/café		Seating							
transport to site	•			benches		Clean					
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓				
		dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>				
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>✓</b>				
Connectivity		restaurant/café	✓	Amenities		recycling bins					
				toilets	✓						
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	<b>✓</b>				
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence					
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓				
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	<b>√</b>				
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓				
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain					
directional signs from the site to	./	tennis court				trees	✓				
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass					
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓				
to available facilities						shrubbery					
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
80.0%	4	62.5%	3	31.0%	2	72.7%	3				

	1	39 - Hong	Kon	g Space Museum		,	1
<u>Accessibility</u>			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	1	harbour View		fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>
bus	1	historical monument	1	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>-</b>
tram	<u> </u>	mistorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<u> </u>
	1	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	· /
ferry	+			biking		no dead plants	· ·
Signage		dispenser kiosk		DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls	- 1
Signage directional signs from				Continu		no damaged nooring/waiis	
transport to site	✓	restaurant/café		Seating		Ol	
transport to site		D		benches		Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	<b>V</b>
		dispenser		oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>V</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>-</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone	✓	no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	✓
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	✓					grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities	<b>~</b>					shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
80.0%	4	50.0%	2	20.7%	1	86.4%	4

		40 - Tsim	Sha	Tsui Promenade			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR	1	harbour View	1	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>
bus	1	historical monument	1	dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>
tram		mistorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry	1	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	<b>√</b>
Terry		dispenser	1	biking		no dead plants	<b>√</b>
Signage		kiosk	1	DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>
directional signs from		restaurant/café	<b>√</b>	Seating		no damaged noornig, wans	
transport to site	✓	restaurant, care	<u> </u>	benches	1	Clean	
<u>`</u>		Beverage		shaded	<b>√</b>	no trash on ground	1
		dispenser	1	oriented towards water	1	not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>
		kiosk	<b>√</b>	Offerited towards water	+	trash barrel	1
Connectivity			<b>√</b>	A			1
Connectivity		restaurant/café	+	Amenities		recycling bins	
		a		toilets	<b>√</b>		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	<b>√</b>	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	<b>√</b>	park	<b>√</b>	information kiosk	<b>√</b>	no chain-link fence	<b>√</b>
at grade Access	<b>√</b>	promenade	<b>✓</b>	WiFi/public telephone	<b>✓</b>	no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	<b>√</b>
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	✓
directional signs from the site to	1	tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport	ľ					grass	✓
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
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Accessibility Score:	_	Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:	+-	Design/Maintenance Score:	
80.0%	4	100.0%	4	58.6%	3	95.5%	4

	41 - Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>					
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained					
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing		no chipped paint					
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>				
tram				swimming	✓	no broken or closed amenities	<b>✓</b>				
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓				
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓				
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	✓				
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating							
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean					
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓				
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water		not visibly dirty	<b>√</b>				
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓				
<b>Connectivity</b>		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	✓				
				toilets	✓						
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓				
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓				
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring	✓				
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓				
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	✓				
site layout map		football pitch				themed	✓				
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain					
directional signs from the site to	1	tennis court				trees					
nearby destinations and transport						grass					
directional signs inside site						flowers					
to available facilities						shrubbery					
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
20.0%	1	50.0%	2	27.6%	2	77.3%	4				

		42 - Tai Wan	Sha	an Park Promena	de		
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance	
							$\perp$
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	✓	no chipped paint	<b>✓</b>
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming	✓	no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded		no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	<b>✓</b>
		kiosk				trash barrel	<b>✓</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	<b>✓</b>
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	<b>✓</b>
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	<b>√</b>
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
20.0%	1	50.0%	2	41.4%	2	68.2%	3

		43 -	Hoi	Sham Park			
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	_
MTR		harbour View	1	fishing		no chipped paint	
bus	1	historical monument	1	dog-walking		no rusting	1
tram	•	mistorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>√</b>
ferry	1	Food		ball games	<b>√</b>	no broken facilities	1
rerry	•	dispenser		biking	+	no dead plants	1
Signage		kiosk	1	DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls	1
directional signs from		restaurant/café	+	Seating		no damaged nooring/ wans	+
transport to site		restaurant/care		benches	1	Clean	
		Povorago		shaded	<b>→</b>	no trash on ground	1
		Beverage		oriented towards water	<b>→</b>		\\ \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{3}
		dispenser	1	oriented towards water	+	not visibly dirty trash barrel	<b>-</b>
		kiosk	+				<b>-</b>
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	<b>√</b>
				toilets	✓		
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk	✓	no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table	✓			colour fence	✓
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	✓
Signage		foot massage path	✓			sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch	✓			themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	<b>√</b>
nearby destinations and transport	•					grass	<b>√</b>
directional signs inside site						flowers	✓
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	75.0%	3	65.5%	3	81.8%	4

		44 - Hoi Bun	Ro	ad Sitting-out Are	ea		
Accessibility			Qua	lity		<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View		fishing	✓	no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	✓
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser	✓	oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront		game table				colour fence	
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map		football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site						flowers	
to available facilities						shrubbery	✓
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	
40.0%	2	50.0%	2	24.1%	1	36.4%	2

45 - Lei \	45 - Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-out Area										
Accessibility			Qua	lity		Design/Maintenance					
Dublic Transcrat		Consider Franksing		Allamad Astinitias		Maintain a					
Public Transport		Special Features	1	Allowed Activities		Maintained					
MTR		harbour View	-	fishing	<b>V</b>	no chipped paint					
bus	~	historical monument		dog-walking	<b>√</b>	no rusting					
tram		_		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	<b>-</b>				
ferry	<b>✓</b>	Food		ball games		no broken facilities					
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓				
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls					
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating							
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean					
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓				
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty					
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓				
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins					
				toilets							
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped					
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓				
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓				
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓				
berthing		playground				stone/brick flooring					
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating					
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture					
site layout map		football pitch				themed					
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain					
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓				
nearby destinations and transport						grass					
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓				
to available facilities	_					shrubbery	✓				
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:					
40.0%	2	62.5%	3	24.1%	1	45.5%	2				

46 - Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre								
Accessibility		Quality				<u>Design/Maintenance</u>		
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained		
MTR		harbour View	1	fishing		no chipped paint	<b>√</b>	
bus	1	historical monument		dog-walking		no rusting	<b>√</b>	
tram		mstorical monument		swimming		no broken or closed amenities	1	
ferry	1	Food		ball games	1	no broken facilities	1	
Terry		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	1	
Signage		kiosk	1	DIKING		no damaged flooring/walls	<b>√</b>	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating		no damaged nooring/ wans	<del>-                                     </del>	
transport to site		restauranty care		benches	<b>√</b>	Clean		
		Beverage		shaded	1	no trash on ground	<b>√</b>	
		dispenser		oriented towards water	1	not visibly dirty	1	
		kiosk	1	Offerited towards water	+	trash barrel	1	
Connectivity			+	A			\\ \frac{\frac{1}{3}}{3}	
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	$\dashv$	
				toilets	<b>√</b>		_	
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	<b>√</b>	Landscaped		
sufficient Entrances		park		information kiosk	<b>√</b>	no chain-link fence	<b>✓</b>	
at grade Access		promenade		WiFi/public telephone	<b>✓</b>	no barbed wire fence	<b>√</b>	
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	<b>✓</b>	
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	<b>✓</b>	
		fitness station	✓			no concrete floor/seating	<b>√</b>	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture		
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	✓	
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain		
directional signs from the site to nearby destinations and transport	1	tennis court				trees		
	ľ					grass		
directional signs inside site to available facilities						flowers	✓	
						shrubbery	✓	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:		
40.0%	2	50.0%	2	48.3%	2	81.8%	4	

Accessibility		Quality				<u>Design/Maintenance</u>	
Public Transport		Special Features	+ ,	Allowed Activities		Maintained	
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	<b>√</b>	no chipped paint	
bus	✓	historical monument		dog-walking	✓	no rusting	_
tram				swimming		no broken or closed amenities	✓
ferry	✓	Food		ball games		no broken facilities	
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls	
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating			
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean	
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins	
				toilets			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped	
sufficient Entrances	✓	park		information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓
at grade Access	✓	promenade	✓	WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓
continuous waterfront	✓	game table				colour fence	✓
berthing	✓	playground				stone/brick flooring	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture	
site layout map	✓	football pitch				themed	
site sign	✓	basketball court				water fountain	
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓
nearby destinations and transport						grass	
directional signs inside site	1					flowers	✓
to available facilities	_					shrubbery	✓
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Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:	

48 - Lei Yue Min Rest Garden								
Accessibility		Quality				Design/Maintenance		
Public Transport		Special Features		Allowed Activities		Maintained		
MTR		harbour View	✓	fishing	✓	no chipped paint	✓	
bus		historical monument		dog-walking	✓	no rusting	✓	
tram				swimming	✓	no broken or closed amenities	✓	
ferry		Food		ball games		no broken facilities	✓	
		dispenser		biking		no dead plants	✓	
Signage		kiosk				no damaged flooring/walls		
directional signs from		restaurant/café		Seating				
transport to site				benches	✓	Clean		
		Beverage		shaded	✓	no trash on ground	✓	
		dispenser		oriented towards water	✓	not visibly dirty	✓	
		kiosk				trash barrel	✓	
Connectivity		restaurant/café		Amenities		recycling bins		
				toilets	✓			
Sites		Site Facilities		lighting	✓	Landscaped		
sufficient Entrances	✓	park	✓	information kiosk		no chain-link fence	✓	
at grade Access	✓	promenade		WiFi/public telephone		no barbed wire fence	✓	
continuous waterfront		game table	✓			colour fence	✓	
berthing		playground	✓			stone/brick flooring	✓	
		fitness station				no concrete floor/seating	✓	
Signage		foot massage path				sculpture		
site layout map		football pitch				themed		
site sign	✓	basketball court	✓			water fountain		
directional signs from the site to		tennis court				trees	✓	
nearby destinations and transport						grass		
directional signs inside site to available facilities						flowers	✓	
						shrubbery	✓	
Accessibility Score:		Connectivity Score:		Quality Score:		Design/Maintenance Score:		
0.0%	1	37.5%	2	44.8%	2	72.7%	3	

## **Appendix C: Population Data**

In order to have a way of observing how each site's characteristics is affecting the number of visitors we have given each site a rating for population. To do this we found a picture from each site, representing the main central area of the venue during one of our visits. Using the representative picture from each site, we then estimated the number of people in a 100 square meter area shown in the picture. If we found the site had zero to two people, it received a score of one for population. A site with three to four people in the 100 square meter area received a score of two. Five to six people in a site gave a score of three, and seven or more people gave a score of four. Listed in this appendix are the representative pictures and the score received for each of the locations. We were unable to give a population rating for swimming pool sites because at the time of our visits they were all closed for winter maintenance. We were also unable to rate Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool Complex, as it completely closed for construction and our evaluation for this site was for the future plans.



1 – Siu Sai Wan Promenade (3)



4 – Hong Kong Museum of Coastal Defence (3)



2 – Siu Sai Wan Sports Ground (4)



5 – Aldrich Bay Promenade (3)



3 – Heng Fa Chuen Playground (3)



6 – Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park (4)



7 – Quarry Bay Park (3)



10 – North Point Ferry Concourse Promenade (1)



8 – Fireboat Alexander Grantham Exhibition Gallery (1)



11 – North Point Promenade (3)



9 – Man Hong Street Playground (1)



12 – Tong Shui Road Garden (3)



13 – Provident Garden (3)



16 – Wan Chai Sports Ground (4)



14 – Whitfield Road Rest Garden (1)



18 – Harbour Road Sports Centre (3)



15 – Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade (2)



19 – Wan Chai Temporary Promenade (4)



20 – Hong Kong City Hall (2)



24 – Belcher Bay Park (4)



21 – Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9 (4)



25 – Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground (1)



23 – Western Park Sports Centre (1)



26 – Cheung Fai Road Promenade (1)



28 – Tsing Yi Sports Ground (2)



31 – Ting Kau Village Playground (2)



29 – Tsing Yi Promenade (4)



32 – Ting Kau Beach (1)



30 – Lido Beach (2)



33 – Approach Beach (1)



34 – Tsuen Wan Park (4)



37 – Hong Kong Cultural Centre (4)



35 – Tsuen Wan Riviera Park (3)



38 – Hong Kong Museum of Art (2)



36 – West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade (3)



39 – Hong Kong Space Museum (3)



40 – Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade (4)



44 – Hoi Bun Road Sitting-out Area (1)



42 – Tai Wan Shan Park Promenade (4)



45 – Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-out Area (1)



43 – Hoi Sham Park (4)



46 – Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre (1)



47 – Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-out Area (2)



48 – Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden (1)

# **Appendix D: Interviews**

In order to gather the opinions of residents and tourists who are using the venues and to generate ideas for improvement that better suit the desires of the community, we conducted interviews with visitors in the locations. Aided by the students from Hong Kong University, we were able to collect interviews at many of the locations. We asked each user five open-ended questions to get their ideas and opinions about the venues. Some of the people interviewed chose to give us more of a discussion about the site, so their quotes and information were recorded as well.

### 15 – Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade

Location: Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: F

**Approximate Age: 30** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, came by taxi

3. What does this location need?

Nothing

4. What did you come here to do?

Dog Walking

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

**Nothing** 

**Location:** Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade **Resident/tourist:** Resident – local student

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

- 2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

  No, have to cross road and hard to find
- 3. What does this location need?

More trees, equipment to play with pets

4. What did you come here to do?

Walk dog, comes to surrounding area for dinner/lunch around Sogo

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Plant more trees

### 18 - Harbour Road Sports Centre

Location: Harbour Road Sports Centre

**Resident/tourist:** Resident

Gender: M,M

**Approximate Age: 25** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes, it is clean, people clean up the trash

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, convenient

3. What does this location need?

Shade

4. What did you come here to do?

Eat lunch

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

More plants, greenery

**Location:** Harbour Road Sports Centre

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M,M

**Approximate Age: 25** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

Proper benches

4. What did you come here to do?

Lunch

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Less concrete, more natural

### 19 - Wan Chai Temporary Promenade

**Location:** Wan Chai Temporary Promenade

Resident/tourist: Tourist

Gender: M,F

**Approximate Age:** 40

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, came from hotel

3. What does this location need?

More reasonably priced local restaurants. "We've seen the spaghetti house, but that's not what people come here to see"

4. What did you come here to do?

Sigh seeing

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Nothing, more colour

### <u>20 – Hong Kong City Hall</u>

Location: Hong Kong City Hall Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 45** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Could be better, more clean

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

Nothing, it's good

4. What did you come here to do?

Relaxing

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Nothing, it's okay

**Location:** Hong Kong City Hall **Resident/tourist:** Resident **Gender:** F, with her child **Approximate Age:** 25

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Clean, not well maintained

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Not so easy, no MTR or bus

3. What does this location need?

More seating, shelter

4. What did you come here to do?

Attend wedding ceremony

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Kids facilities, playground

**Location:** Hong Kong City Hall

Gender: F

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

It was, but noise pollution has ruined it "How can you stay in a place where there's so much construction"

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

Quiet, "Don't see many places with green that isn't artificial"

4. What did you come here to do?

Use the library

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

"Stop building! Please! Holy crap! You have to take a bus two hours to see a park"

### 21 – Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: F

**Approximate Age: 50** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Clean most of the time

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

Shade and shelter

4. What did you come here to do?

Take ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Long walk to the IFC, add travellators

Location: Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: F

**Approximate Age: 25** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

More environmentally friendly, clean water

4. What did you come here to do?

Live nearby, waiting for ferry

**5.** If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change? Nothing

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: F

**Approximate Age: 40** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

More greenery

4. What did you come here to do?

Ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

More greenery

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

**Resident/tourist:** Resident **Gender:** F, with her child **Approximate Age:** 35

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

It's okay

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

**Nothing** 

4. What did you come here to do?

School bus stop for child

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

No reclamation, clean sea

Location: Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 25** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, walkway from IFC

3. What does this location need?

Playgrounds

4. What did you come here to do?

Ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change? Pollution

Location: Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 30** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

No answer

4. What did you come here to do?

Ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

More seating

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: two tourists from mainland china

**Approximate Age: 28** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, many ways to get there

3. What does this location need?

Nothing

4. What did you come here to do?

Buy electronic products, enjoy the fresh air

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Nothing, more fish in harbour

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

**Resident/tourist:** Two tourists **Approximate Age:** Elderly

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

The site is pretty old

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

Serves its purpose

4. What did you come here to do?

Waiting for hotel bus, ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

**Nothing** 

Location: Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 20** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Fine, ok, rubbish in sea

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, MTR

3. What does this location need?

Security, guards

4. What did you come here to do?

Ferry to HK island

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Cleanliness of the sea

**Location:** Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Average

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes

3. What does this location need?

The site is pretty good

4. What did you come here to do?

Meeting friends for ferry

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

The site works well, add an upstairs/outdoor restaurant

### 23 – Western Park Sports Centre

**Location:** Western Park Sports Centre

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Very well

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Not very easy, lives close but not accessible

3. What does this location need?

Don't know

4. What did you come here to do?

Pick up children

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Need some music, green areas are good

### 24 – Belcher Bay Park

**Location:** Belcher Bay Park

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Very well

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Easy to come

3. What does this location need?

More sitting areas, stone benches are cold in winter

4. What did you come here to do?

Sporting

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Add a toilet at the front (east side)

### 25 - Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground

**Location:** Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground

Resident/tourist: Resident, manager of the site

Gender: F

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes (in charge of maintenance)

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Bus, car, walk

3. What does this location need?

Improve pavement and waterfront, people jog

4. What did you come here to do?

Work – visitors come for fishing, soccer, swimming in the morning

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Add a swimming pool, better toilets

### 31 - Ting Kau Village Playground

Location: Ting Kau Village Playground

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: F

**Approximate Age: 25** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Clearly not, there are not too many kids or elders

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Not quite

3. What does this location need?

Nothing, it's comfortable

4. What did you come here to do?

Visit boyfriend

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Newer facilities for the children, the playground has been there since her boyfriend was a child

### 34 – Tsuen Wan Park

**Location:** Tsuen Wan Park **Resident/tourist:** Tourist

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 40** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

No

3. What does this location need?

No answer

4. What did you come here to do?

relaxing

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

No answer

Location: Tsuen Wan Park Resident/tourist: Resident Gender: M, with grandchildren

**Approximate Age: 55** 

1. Do you feel this site is well maintained?

Yes, but sometimes repairs take too long, example: sea-saw

2. Do you think it's easy to get here?

Yes, lives nearby, comes often with grandchildren

### 3. What does this location need?

More facilities and playground for older children, so that the older children don't take up the playgrounds for the younger children

4. What did you come here to do?

Use the playground

5. If you could change one thing about this site, what would you change?

Have the lights turn on earlier, they turn on around 8:00 which is too late in the winter

### 37 - Hong Kong Cultural Centre

**Location:** Hong Kong Cultural Centre

**Resident/tourist:** Resident

**Gender:** F

**Approximate Age: 20** 

"The cultural centre is a joke to the Hong Kong people. They tore down historic buildings to build that ugly thing."

"Ugly! Super ugly! Number one ugly building!" Student architect major

### 40 – Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade

Location: Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade

**Resident/tourist:** Resident

Gender: F

"I don't like it... so filled with tourists."

Location: Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade

**Resident/tourist:** Tourists

**Gender:** F,F

**Approximate Age: 25** 

"Love the places, the stars, and the view"

Location: Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age:** 40

Never been there or ever desired going there. "Not enough attractions."

### 41 - Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool

Location: Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool

Resident/tourist: Resident

Gender: M

**Approximate Age: 20** 

"This is the only swimming pool in this district with 94 buildings and 20,000 people so everyone comes here. Also very accessible by minibus and the bus terminal is a two minute walk."

### 43 – Hoi Sham Park

Location: Hoi Sham Park Resident/tourist: Resident

**Gender:** M

**Approximate Age: 20** 

"I love to go there to play basketball"

### 46 – Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre

Location: Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre Resident/tourist: Resident (caretaker)

Gender: M

"the peak hours are after 5pm and the weekends, other than that people usually just come in and use the areas."

### <u>47 – Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-out Area</u>

Location: Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-out Area

Resident/tourist: Resident

**Gender:** F

**Approximate Age:** Elderly

"The penalty (for dropping a cigarette butt) is only \$200. I'm not afraid of that."

### <u>48 – Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden</u>

Location: Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden

**Resident/tourist:** Resident **Gender:** F, with child

"There's not enough things for children. Not enough facilities."

Location: Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden

Resident/tourist: Resident

**Gender:** F,M

Approximate Age: Elderly

<sup>&</sup>quot;It's too sunny in the summer, more shade would be nice."

# **Appendix E: Site Size Information**

Some of the criteria used to assign scores to the different aspects of the LCSD venues are based on the relative size of the site; small, medium, or large. In order to determine which of these relative sizes each of the venues was, we used the total site area in square meters, provided to us by the LCSD. Venues less than 5,000 square meters in total area were rated as small sites, those that were between 5,000 and 20,000 square meters were rated as medium sites, and sites with a total area of over 20,000 square meters were rated as large sites. The size rating for each site can be seen in the table below.

<u>#</u>	<u>Site Name</u>	<u>Total Area</u>	Outdoor Area	Indoor Area	
14	Whitfield Road Rest Garden	500			
44	Hoi Bun Road Sitting-out Area	645			
31	Ting Kau Village Playground	800			
9	Man Hong Street Playground	1023			
11	North Point Promenade	1190			
10	North Point Ferry Concourse Promenade	1200			
8	Fireboat Alexander Grantham Exhibition Gallery	1225			Small
48	Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden	1374			
45	Lei Yue Min Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-out Area	2013			
6	Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park	2320			
12	Tong Shui Road Garden	2559			
26	Cheung Fai Road Promenade	4430			
17	Wan Chai Swimming Pool	4600			
19	Wan Chai Temporary Promenade	4662			F000
13	Provident Garden	5200			5000
47	Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-out Area	5200			
46	Lei Yue Min Sports Centre	5793			
23	Western Park Sports Centre	5893			
25	Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground	6200			
18	Harbour Road Sports Centre	7840			
39	Hong Kong Space Museum	8104			
3	Heng Fa Chuen Playground	10570			
21	Promenade fronting Pier 1 to 9	10670			
15	Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade	12000			Medium
7	Quarry Bay Park	12490			
41	Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool	14300			
40	Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade	16100			
24	Belcher Bay Park	16800			
5	Aldrich Bay Promenade	17200			
38	Hong Kong Museum of Art	17530			
42	Tai Wan Shan Park Promenade	17593			
27	Tsing Yi Swimming Pool	18000			
43	Hoi Sham Park	19200			20000
32	Ting Kau Beach	21750			20000
20	Hong Kong City Hall	22285	5966	16319	
28	Tsing Yi Sports Ground	24900			
1	Siu Sai Wan Promenade	27000			
16	Wan Chai Sports Ground	27060			
34	Tsuen Wan Park	27300			
30	Lido Beach	28600			
4	Hong Kong Museum of Coastal Defence	34200			Largo
36	West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade	36000			Large
35	Tsuen Wan Riviera Park	42600			
2	Siu Sai Wan Sports Ground	44680			
22	Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool Complex	50000			
33	Approach Beach	59170			
29	Tsing Yi Promenade	66000			
37	Hong Kong Cultural Centre	119431	37200	82231	

# **Appendix F: Overview Booklet**

This appendix consists of the booklet made for our sponsor presentations, containing a small summary of the project with an explanation of the process as well as forty-eight overview sheets highlighting the ratings, location, facilities and suggestions for each site.

# A VIBRANT VICTORIA HARBOUR



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An Evaluation of 48 Leisure and Cultural Sites

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# Map illustrating the locations of our 48 sites along Victoria Harbou



Courtesy of Google Maps

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### SUMMARY

Our study assessed forty-eight sites along the waterfront of Victoria Harbour in order to enhance the value of each site, to make better use of its harbour front location, and to improve the appeal of the harbour as a whole. To formulate a basis for our suggestions, we researched international waterfront cities, Baltimore, Boston, Tokyo, and Sydney, in addition to observing various sites in Hong Kong not located on Victoria Harbour, such as Sai Kung and Repulse Bay. Through this research we identified both positive and negative qualities that added or detracted from the site's vibrancy: accessibility, connectivity, quality and design/maintenance.

To evaluate the state of each of the LCSD locations, we formulated a methodology consisting of three parts: site observations, user and resident surveys, and hotel interviews. Our final Suggestions took into consideration our past research as well as the opinions of our interviewees.

As a result of our research we have decided that the four aforementioned qualities were essential and made a grading system for each category:

Accessibility: A measure of available facilities to enable an able-bodied person to reach the site.

Connectivity: a measure of how well the site connects people to the hinterland and along the waterfront; and how easy it is for an able-bodied person to enter the site.

Quality: the ability of a site to provide people with things to do and encourage people to stay at the

Design/Maintenance: the measure of how well the aesthetic appeal of the site is upheld and enhanced.

The star ratings indicate how each site responded to each of the qualities. For more in depth information about our analysis, please refer to our full report.

Please note the limited amount of time for data gathering. Our observations apply to the month of January and February only. Sites such as pools and beaches may be marked "N/A" for some ratings, due to the winter season.

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### **TYPOLOGY**

### Parks and Gardens:

### Eastern

- 07 Quarry Bay Park
- 09 Man Hong Street Playground
- 12 Tong Shul Road Garden
- 13 Provident Garden
- 14 Whitfield Road Rest Garden

### Central & Western

24 - Beldher Bay Park

### Tsuen Wan

- 34 Tsuen Wan Park
- 35 Tsuen Wan Riviera Park

### Kowloon City

43 - Hol Sham Park

### Kwun Tong

- 44 Hoi Bun Road Sitting-out Area
- 45 Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-Out Area
- 47 Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-Out Area
- 48 Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden

### Sports facilities:

### Eastern

02 - Slu Sal Wan Sports Ground

### Wan Chai

- 16 Wan Chal Sports Ground
- 17 Wan Chal Swimming Pool
- 18 Harbour Road Sports Centre

### Central & Western

- 22 Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool
- 23 Western Park Sports Centre
- 25 Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground

### Kwai Tsing

- 27 Tsing Yi Swimming Pool
- 28 Tsing Yi Sports Ground

### Kowloon City

41 - Tal Wan Shan Swimming Pool

### Kwun Tong

46 - Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre

### Promenades:

### Eastern

- 01 Slu Sal Wan Promenade
- 05 Aldrich Bay Promenade
- 06 Sal Wan Ho Harbour Park
- 10 North Point Ferry Concourse Promenade
- 11 North Point Promenade

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### Wan Chai

15 - Wan Chal Waterfront Promenade

19 - Wan Chal Temporary Promenade

### Central & Western

21 - Promenade fronting piers 1-9

### Kwai Tsing

26 - Cheung Fai Promenade

29 - Tsing Yi Promenade

### Yau Tsim Mong

36 - West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade

40 - Tsim Sha Tsul Promenade

### Kowloon City

42 - Tal Wan Shan Park Promenade

### Beaches:

### Tsuen Wan

30 - Lido Beach

32 - Ting Kau Beach

33 - Approach Beach

### Playgrounds:

### Eastern

03 - Heng Fa Cheung Playground

### Tsuen Wan

31 - Ting Kau Village Playground

### Cultural Facilities:

### Eastern

04 - Museum of Coastal Defense

08 - Fireboat Alexander Grantham

### Central & Western

20 - Hong Kong City Hall

### Yau Tsim Mong

37 - Hong Kong Cultural Centre

38 - Hong Kong Museum of Art

39 - Hong Kong Space Museum

# Siu Sai Wan Promenade





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Siu Sai Wan Road, Siu Sai Wan, Eastern District.

Category: Promenade/Park.

Primary Users: Residents.

# Features

One landing step • Children's playground • Soccer pitch • Elderly fitness station • Two fitness stations • One pebble walking path • Changing rooms • Toilets • Arbours • Two drinking fountains

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Upper seating area in front of mall and area below it not connected.

Add stairs to for better access to water.

### Quality

The lower walkway has no benches. Many benches along the upper walkway were in use. Add more benches to the lower promenade.

### Design/Maintenance

Replace waterfront fence with one that does not obstruct view. • Move concrete storage box to another site and replace with a garden. • Replace fence around football pitch with one matching tall green ones at the corner of the field. Plant trees and add greenery around the pitch for shade. • Some planted areas are in need of maintenance. Add more greenery and flowers to the gardens.

# Siu Sai Wan Sports Ground





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located at 8 Fu Hong Street, Siu Sai Wan, Eastern District.

Category: Sports Facility.

Primary Users: Residents.

# Features

A 400m 8-lane athletic track with all-weather surface • A 100m 4-lane warm-up track • One standard size natural turf soccer pitch • Shot put, discus and javelin throw rinks • Areas for long jumps and pole vaults • Fast food kiosk • Spectator stand, seat 14,000 • Six changing rooms • Record keeping room • First aid room • Two VIP rooms • Anti-doping room • Scoreboard

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Create connective promenade around the perimeter of the sports grounds.

### Quality

Use the rooftop of the changing space as a viewing area connected to the stands. • Add a food kiosk on roof top and along perimeter of sports ground facing inside and outside).

### Design/Maintenance

Remove giant pile of rubbish bins that can be seen from the stands.

# Heng Fa Cheung Playground





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Shing Tai Road, Eastern District.

Category: Park/Garden.

Primary Users: Residents.

# Features

Soccer pitch • Children's playground • Toilets • Elderly fitness station •
Pavilions • Drinking fountains

# Suggestions

### Quality

Add shade to the seating along the promenade. Visitors tend to sit away from promenade due to lack of shade.

### Design/Maintenance

One end of promenade area was not well planted. Add more greenery and replace gardens.

# **Museum of Coastal Defense**





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located at 175 Tung Hei Road, Shau Kei Wan, Eastern District.

Category: Cultural Facility.

Primary Users: Residents/Tourists.

# Features

Footpath along waterfront • Two exhibition galleries • Cafe •

Bookshop • Historical trail • Outdoor exhibits

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Continue the promenade from Heng Fa Chuen Playground along the water to the Museum and continue towards Aldrich Bay Promenade. • Add entrance booth to the waterfront path of the museum.

### Vibrancy

Lacks permanent toilets at water level. Add toilets. • Add duallanguage menu on top of cafe's counter, for easier communication.

# **Aldrich Bay Promenade**





# Ratings

Accessibility



Connectivity



Quality



Design/ Maintenance





# Location and Overview

Located on Oi Lai Street, Shau Kei Wan, Eastern District.

Category: Promenade.

Primary Users: Residents.

## **Features**

Six landing steps • Children's playground • Two basketball courts • Fitness station • Pebble walking trail • Tai Chi area • Toilets • Drinking fountains

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Add gates to landing steps. •Add signage towards Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park. • Add signage and information for transport to Lei Yue Mun and the outlaying islands.

### Quality

Tiled area is covered by potted plants. Replace area with food kiosk or game tables. • Add distance markings along promenade for joggers, runners, walkers. Such markings are used in Belcher Bay Park.

# Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Tai Hong Street, Quarry Bay, Eastern District.

Category: Promenade.

Primary Users: Residents.

# Features

One landing step . Fitness station . Pebble walking path

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Large water-testing area blocked off from access. Obstructs main entrance of park. Replace large open space within fence with smaller area and smaller fence. • Add signs to Aldrich Bay Promenade. • Remove poorly maintained greenery between park and Quarry Bay Park.

### Quality

Create dog park area within the park. Make sure area is patrolled to keep area clean.

### Design/Maintenance

Remove rusting fence from water kiosk. • Add small food kiosk (such as ice cream) to promenade side of kiosk. • Fitness station is under disrepair. Repaint as necessary, redesign and replace old tiles.

# **Quarry Bay Park**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Tai Koo Shing Road, Quarry Bay, Eastern District.

Category: Park

Primary Users: Residents

# Features

One landing step • Eight tennis courts • Two artificial turf soccer pitches • Four Basketball courts • Jogging track and cycling track • Three fitness stations • Two elderly fitness stations • Four children's playgrounds

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Add wide subway underneath highway to site.

### Connectivity

Lay dirt pathways between brick paths with matching brick. • Open park to the west side.

### Quality

Place benches on the grassy areas along the promenade to save room and add seating. • Place game tables in this area under overpass. • Allow waterfront restaurants, like those found in Lamma Island.

# Fireboat Alexander Grantham





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located in Quarry Bay Park on Hoi Chak Street, Eastern District.

Category: Cultural Facility.

Primary Users: Residents.

# Features

Semi-open exhibition gallery • Information kiosk

# Suggestions

### Quality

There are informative video exhibits. In the middle television area the rightmost TV is not lined up properly and the languages buttons do not give the correct language. Reprogram the touch screen.

### Design/Maintenance

Abrupt stop along Quarry Bay paths to white wall around the Fireboat seen from the outside of the exhibit. Surrounding wall needs greenery, ivy, mural. •Lighting not seen at night makes fireboat difficult to see. Leave lighting on at night. • Put a "Rubbish" sticker or an LCSD logo on it the rubbish bins.

# **Man Hong Street Playground**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Man Hong Street, North Point, Eastern District.

Category: Park/Garden.

Primary Users: Residents.

# **Features**

Arbours . Shaded benches

# Suggestions

### Accessibility

The site is not a playground. Could prove deceiving for visitors with children. Change name to "Man Hong Street Sitting-Out Area."

Narrow unmarked pathway leads to the site from the street. Widen pathway and add signage for easier access.

Located behind the ICAC building. Perhaps collaborate with ICAC building to open their gated park for beautification of area. Create lunch area for employees.

# **North Point Ferry Concourse Promenade**





# Ratings

Accessibility



Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Java Road, North Point, Eastern District.

Category: Promenade.

Primary User: Residents.

# Features

Arbours . Shaded benches . Basketball court

# Suggestions

### Quality

Basketball court in use during visits. Technically a different LCSD site, however sites are connected. Adds activity to North Point Ferry Concourse Promenade.

Large open space at entrance of the site. Allow ball games in the open space or cycling for children. Place a playground within area. Few restaurants or food kiosks within the surrounding area. Add vending or food kiosk.

### Design/Maintenance

Benches along the promenade had cages on the back. Keeps seated visitors safe from flyaway balls and other sports. Fence as a barrier to the road. Replace fence with a noise barrier wall and plant trees to make it more aesthetically pleasing.

# **North Point Promenade**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Java Road, North Point, Eastern District.

Category: Promenade.

Primary User: Residents.

# Features

Arbours . Benches . Two pebble walking trails

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Use parking lot and vacant lot for the creation of larger parks.

Connectivity

Add LCSD signage: site name, map, rules, info, etc.

Quality

Add more shaded seating and shade to existing seating. • Allow street markets.

Design/Maintenance

Remove fences. • Replace waterfront fences with lower one.

# **Tong Shui Road Garden**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Wharf Road, North Point, Eastern District.
Category: Park
Primary User: Resident

# Features

Children's playground • Pebble Walking Trail • Elderly Fitness Station • Four rain shelters • Benches

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

Black fence obstructs access to water. Replace on east side of garden with a noise barrier again the Island Eastern Corridor. Remove from west side of garden. • Remove wall adjacent to Provident Garden and continue the promenade to connect. • Move playground to east side of garden and extend its size.

### Quality

Benches near cement wall are not shaded and some are broken. Repair broken benches and plant trees for shade.

### Design/Maintenance

Add color to the site by painting cement wall. Paint a harbour theme mural to match playground. • Cement block on east side of playground. Remove and build large playground above this area.

# **Provident Garden**





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Wharf Road, North Point, Eastern District.

Category: Park

Primary User: Resident

# Features

Children's playground . Arbours . Benches . Promenade

# Suggestions

### Accessibility

Add site signs to all entrances using LSCD logo.

### Connectivity

Plants block gate that leads to tunnel and promenade. Remove barriers to the entrance. • Remove the wall adjacent to Tong Shui Road Garden and continue the promenade. • Move playground to east side of garden and extend its size.

### Quality

Island Eastern Corridor obstructs harbour view. Build underpass extending from promenade to highway and connecting to nearby playground.

### Design/Maintanence

Tunnels under residential buildings lead to waterfront LCSD promenade. Add lighting in tunnel and paint concrete walls. • Add lighting to promenade and paintings, mural, or mosaic to concrete wall.

# Whitfield Road Rest Garden





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Whitfield Road, Causeway Bay, Eastern District.

Category: Park.

Primary User: Resident.

# Features

Pergolas • Sitting Benches • Landscape Planting

# Suggestions

### Connectivity

The area adjacent to the park appears unused. Expand the park and extend the promenade.

### Quality

Park contains few benches. Add more benches. • No food or beverage nearby. Add dispenser machines.

### Design/Mainenance

Wood fences surrounding the gardens block the view of the plants.

Remove them. • Chipped paint on gazebo roof. Repaint gazebo.

# Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



# Location and Overview

Located on Hung Hing Road, Wan Chai, Wan Chai District.

Category: Promenade
Primary User: Resident

# Features

Open lawn areas . Boardwalks

# Suggestions

### Accessibility

Route to promenade from hinterland: narrow, unclear. Add signage directing visitors to site. • Site sign not located at all entrances. Text of site name is hard to see. Place a standard LCSD site sign at all entrances.

### Quality

Plant trees along outer perimeter of park to block noise, add shaded seating. • Fence along waterfront does not appear sturdy—signs say "do not lean." Replace fence with a see-through, glass barrier.
• Remove temporary office and utilize space for dispenser machines and permanent bathrooms.

### Design/Maintenance

Remove chain-link fence. Plant trees along outside of chain-link fence.

Replant flowers on brick. • White fence with barbed wire on the top
separates helicopter pad from park. Remove fence.

# Wan Chai Sports Ground





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Tonnochy Road, Wan Chai District.

Category: Sports Facility
Primary User: Resident

### Features

400m 8-lane athletic track • 70m 4-lane warm-up track • 220m 2-lane warm-up track with one end connected to the 70m 4-lane warm-up track • Shot put, discus, javelin, and hammer throw rinks • Areas for long jump and pole vault • Two refreshment kiosks • Spectator stand with 3,000 seats and 69 VIP seats • Record keeping room • First aid room • Sports Equipment room • Weight lifting room • Scoreboard

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Add signs on sidewalks directing visitor towards entrance.

Quality

Construct seating and food-kiosks on the harbour-front side of sports ground. Continue the stands around the harbour perimeter of the building as a raised viewing platform.

# **Wan Chai Swimming Pool**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance

#### Popularity N/A

### Location and Overview

Located on 27 Harbour Road, Wan Chai District.

Category: Pool
Primary User: Resident

### Features

Main pool • Fitness room • Spectator stand • Plant room • First aid room • Changing rooms • Parking lot • Drinking fountain

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Difficult to find entrance. Mark entrance with LCSD sign.

#### Connectivity

Located near Wan Chai Sports Ground, Harbour Road Sports Centre, and promenades. Passage to nearby LCSD sites and waterfront is not clear. Add signage.

#### Design/Maintenance

Walls between pool and sidewalk are uninviting. Repaint walls, with murals and signs.

# **Harbour Road Sports Centre**



# Ratings

Accessibility





Connectivity





Design/ Maintenance





### Location and Overview

Located on 27 Harbour Road, Wan Chai District.

Category: Sports Facility
Primary User: Resident

#### **Features**

Arena • Seven squash courts • Two dance rooms • Table tennis room • Spectator stand • Toilets and changing rooms • Conference room • Manager room • Supervisor room • Pantry Viewing Platform • Drinking fountains

# Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Entrances hard to find. Add signs around perimeter of building towards entrance. Add more visible site signs at entrances.

#### Quality

Signs publicizing activities are hung on fence. Publish these signs in both English and Chinese.

#### Design/Maintenance

Orient benches towards harbour-front. • Allow temporary food-kiosks. Replace stair area with shaded benches and tables. • Add trees and greenery to platform. • Remove pipe at edge of platform. • Add a Leisure Link Self-service Kiosk. • Pink wall along perimeter of building has no signs and is uninviting. Replace fence with one similar to the other side of the centre.

# Wan Chai Temporary Promenade





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Expo Drive, Wan Chai District.

Category: Promenade
Primary User: Tourist

### Features

Eleven rain shelters . Benches . Raised sitting platform

### Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Replace concrete ground with brick and add trees, flowers for colour.

#### Connectivity

Connect to Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade with bike path or waterfront walk. • Add signs directing visitors to and from promenades.

#### Quality

Allow outdoor seating along the promenade and park area for restaurants. Exclude celebration days from seating licensing.

#### Design/Maintenance

Allow outdoor performances on promenade area outside of centre. •
Remove sitting-areas/steps and replaces with shaded benches, picnic tables or food-kiosk.

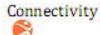
# **Hong Kong City Hall**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 5-7 Edinburgh Place, Central & Western District.

Category: Cultural Facility
Primary User: Resident

#### Features

Concert hall • Theatre • Exhibition hall • Box office • Enquiry counter •
Foyer bar • Western and Chinese restaurants • Art shop • Lending
library • Computer centre • Extension activities room • Fast food kiosk
• Cloakroom • Memorial garden

## Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Remove glass walls and create more entrances, leaving brick walls for seclusion.

#### Vibrancy

Take Queen's pier out of storage and replace it. • Shops and eating areas located inside building. Snack and beverage vendor outside of garden.

#### Quality

Add informational plaques for the history of the area. • Add trees for shade on platform. Replace benches with wooden ones.

# **Promenade Fronting Piers 1-9**





## Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Man Kwong Street, Central & Western District.

Category: Promenade
Primary User: Tourist

#### Features

Benches

### Suggestions

Accessibility

Add signage on promenade to MTR.

Connectivity

Add staircase through cement wall at Pier 2. • Replace flooring with stone or brick.

#### Quality

Add binoculars for viewing. • Add travelators from the IFC Mall to the Central Ferry Pier. • Allow food-kiosks and more street markets. • Add shaded seating/tables along wall. • Add rooftop eating and sitting areas. • Add recycling and trash bins on promenade.

Design/Maintenance

Replace concrete barrier/guard rail with see-through barrier.

# Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool Complex





# Ratings

Accessibility N/A

Connectivity N/A

Quality N/A

Design/ Maintenance N/A

Popularity N/A

### Location and Overview

Located on Eastern Street North, Central & Western District.

Category: Park

Primary User: Tourist/Resident

### Features

1 Jogging Trail • 1 Central Lawn • 1 Elderly Fitness Corner • 7-a-side Artificial Turf pitch • 2 Basketball Courts • 1 Children's Playground

### Suggestions

Accessibility
Add subways to park for greater access.

Quality

Western Park Sports Centre is behind wall. Connect the Centre with the park. Continue promenade past the Sports Centre. • Create harbour views by making windows, decks along waterfront side of swimming pool complex. Allow restaurants and food kiosks on north side of building. • Ensure there is shaded seating along promenade.

# **Western Park Sports Centre**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Quality

Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on 27 Harbour Road, Central & Western District.

Category: Pool

Primary User: Resident

### Features

Basketball, volleyball, netball, badminton, handball courts • Fitness room • Dance room • Four squash courts • Children's playroom • Central lawn • Pebble walking trail

# Suggestions

#### Quality

Harbour view is obstructed at ground-level. Remove fence blocking waterfront from sports centre. Use windows in building for viewing points. • Food kiosk on the third floor. Add signs to the kiosk. Advertise the kiosk at the floor level and within Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park. • Most information and brochures in Chinese. Advertise other events for LCSD sites at sports centre in both English and Chinese.

#### Design/Maintenance

Add sign above Leisure Link Self-Service Klosk.

# **Belcher Bay Park**





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Quality

Design/ Maintenance

Popularity

### Location and Overview

Located on Shing Sai Road, Kennedy Town, Central & Western District.

Category: Park
Primary User: Resident

### Features

One children's playground • One jogging trail • 1 amphitheatre with spectator stand • 1 central lawn • 1 pebble walking trail

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Connect dock area to park through bike path or walkway and directional signage. • Create trails from running path to main path.

# Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Sai Ning Street, Kennedy Town, Central & Western District.

Category: Park
Primary User: Resident

#### **Features**

Two hard-surfaced soccer pitches • Basketball court • Promenade •
One sitting-out area • Mobile toilets • Mobile changing rooms • One
landing step

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Add signs from Bus terminus.

Vibrancy

Extra benches and trash bins are stored behind east fence. • Make a shed that serves as storage and permanent changing room/toilets.

Quality

Benches covered with arbours and greenery. Replace benches with double-sided ones to view either soccer or water. • Recreation ground is located in an industrial area. Add trees along the back to block from road and add greenery. • Painting the soccer pitch.

# **Cheung Fai Road Promenade**





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Cheung Fai Road, Tsing Yi, Kwai Tsing District.

Category: Promenade

Primary User: Resident

#### Features

Sitting Benches • 4 Pavilions

# Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Add signage in the surrounding area to the park. Add signage to and from Tsing Yi Promenade.

#### Quality

No facilities at promenade. Add elderly fitness stations, game tables, foot massage path or playgrounds. • Add food and beverage kiosks or rent space to a restaurant or café.

#### Design/Maintenance

Fenced utilities area with barbed wire fence at south end of park. Plant trees and add shrubbery to block view of equipment.

# **Tsing Yi Swimming Pool**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Quality

Design/ Maintenance

Popularity N/A

### Location and Overview

Located on Tsing King Road, Tsing Yi, Kwai tsing District.

Category: Sports Facility
Primary User: Resident

#### Features

1 Main Pool • 1 Teaching Pool • 1 Toddlers' Pool • 1 Leisure Pool • 1
Shallow Pool • 1 Slide Pool • 1 Covered Spectator Stand • Shower &
Changing Rooms • Toilets • Fee-paying Car Park (6 coach, 10 private
car) • 1 Covered Spectator Stand • 1 General Restaurant

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

No direct route from restaurant to promenade. Open with connectivity through pool area.

#### Quality

Add seating around the pool area. Add picnic tables.

# **Tsing Yi Sports Ground**





### Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity 

Quality

Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Tsing King Road, Tsing Yi, Kwai Tsing District. Category: Sports Facility Primary User: Resident

### Features

400m Synthetic Surface Running Track • 1 Standard Natural Grass Pitch • 1 Covered Spectator Stand • Changing Rooms and Toilets • Feepaying Car Park (43 private car, 6 motor-cycle)

# Suggestions

Accessibility

Add signage marking entrance to sports ground from the promenade.

Connectivity

Add entrance on the north side of the fence that borders the promenade.

# **Tsing Yi Promenade**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Tsing King Road, Kwai Tsing District.

Category: Promenade
Primary User: Resident

### **Features**

2 Jogging Tracks • 1 Pebble Walking Trail • 6 Elderly Fitness Stations • 1 Piazza • 9 Fitness Stations • 2 Children's Playgrounds

## Suggestions

#### Quality

Add seating or binoculars at top of viewing tower. • Allow buildings to use their ground floors for commercial use. • Allow restaurants outdoor seating. • Use ferry landing structure for toilets, game tables, or rent to business and allow public use of landing steps. • Allow permanent or temporary street markets. • Add large playground to the unused space in the middle of the promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

Replace arbours or grow plants on them for shade. • Remove fence blocking site sign.

# Lido Beach





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 11 1/2 milestone; Castle Peak Road, Tsuen Wan District
Category: Beach
Primary User: Resident

### Features

Toilets & Changing Rooms • 16 Shower heads • 1 Bathing Shed • 2

Beach Volleyball Courts • 2 Spectator Stands

## Suggestions

#### Quality

Add barbeque pits. • Adding a playground would help the venue to cater to the all age groups. • The roof of the building would provide a shaded place to sit and enjoy the view. Open the stairs and provide seating on the roof.

#### Design/Maintenance

Gean up the rocks on east end to extend the usable beach.

# Ting Kau Village Playground





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 11 milestone, Castle Peak Road, Tsuen Wan District
Category: Playground
Primary User: Resident

### Features

Children's Play Equipment • Arbours • Sitting Benches

### Suggestions

Quality

The historic tree located in the playground provides shade.

#### Design/Maintenance

Playground equipment is old, some is broken. Upgrade entire playground with more equipment. • Chain link fence surrounds playground. Replace with barrier plants.

# **Ting Kau Beach**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 11 milestone, Castle Peak Road, Tsuen Wan District
Category: Beach
Primary User: Resident

#### Features

Arbours . Sitting Benches

### Suggestions

#### Accessibility

There is a lack of signage at the street entrances and through Ting Kau Village. Add signage to and from the beach.

#### Connectivity

Ting Kau Sitting-out Area is located under bridge, but not connected.

Create a promenade that connects the two sites. • Add signage to and

from the beach.

#### Quality

Add barbeque pits. • There are only two benches at the beach. Add more shaded benches to accommodate more users.

# **Approach Beach**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 10 1/2 milestone, Castle Peak Road, Tsuen Wan District
Category: Beach
Primary User: Resident

### Features

Toilets & Changing Rooms • 12 Shower Heads • 28 Bathing Sheds • 2 Barbecue Pits

### Suggestions

#### Accessibility

There is a lack of signage at the street entrance and from the edge of the city nearby. Add signage to and from the beach.

#### Quality

Add barbeque pits. • There is little seating available at the beach. Add benches with shade on the back side of the beach, away from water's edge.

#### Design/Maintenance

Renovate the buildings and open for public use or rent to businesses. 

There is rocks and debris in some areas of the beach. Clean up the beach to make it more usable.

# **Tsuen Wan Park**





### Ratings

Accessibility









### Location and Overview

Located on Tsuen Wan Road, Tsuen Wan, Tsuen Wan District Category: Park

Primary User: Resident

### Features

1 Children Playground • 2 Fitness Stations • 9 Elderly Fitness Stations • 1 Jogging Trail • 1 Piazza • 1 Pebble Walking Trail • 3 Drinking Fountains

# Suggestions

#### Quality

large vacant lot borders the park on 3 sides. Expand the park into this land. Allow food kiosk. • Cover the existing benches.

#### Design/Maintenance

Barbed-wire fence along the border of the MTR station. Replace fence.
 The fountains in the park are not functioning and are in need of repair.

# Tsuen Wan Riviera Park





## Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Tsuen Wan Road, Tsuen Wan, Tsuen Wan District.

Category: Park

Primary User: Resident

### Features

1 Soccer Pitch • 1 Gateball Court • 4 Tennis Courts • 1 Basketball cum Volleyball Court • 1 Basketball Practice Court • 7 Fitness Stations • 4 Elderly Fitness Stations • 1 Pebble Walking Trail • 1 Walking Tile • 1 Drinking Fountain

# Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Add signage both to and from these attractions and park.

#### Connectivity

Wall between Tsuen Wan Park and Tsuen Wan Riviera park. Remove wall.

#### Quality

Promenade along the water's edge is closed and not maintained. Gean, repave, add seating. Open area for public use

#### Design/Maintance

Chain-link fences at northern and southern ends of park. Plant trees in front of fences.

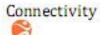
## **West Kowloon Waterfront Promenade**





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Austin Road West, Yau Tsim Mong District
Category: Promenade
Primary User: Resident

#### Features

Landscape Planting • Sitting Benches • 12 Rain Shelters • 3 Children's
Playground • 1 Bicycle Kiosk • 1 Cycling Ground • 1 Cycling Track
• Toilets & Disabled Toilet

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Site lacks sufficient signage. • Add site name signs and site layout maps.

#### Quality

The site has an unobstructed view of the Central waterfront. • Expand playground areas. • Move facilities away from water and extend promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

Many parts of the boardwalk are in need of repair. • The cycle track is unpainted cement. Paint the cycle track. • The Dragon of Lanterns is in need of maintenance in many areas. Replace the sides with painted glass. • Replace dead plants.

# **Hong Kong Cultural Centre**





## Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance

### Location and Overview

Located at 10 Salisbury Road, Yau Tsim Mong District.

Category: Cultural facility- Museum

Primary User: Tourists

#### Features

One grand theatre • One concert hall • One studio theatre • One exhibition gallery • Four foyer exhibition areas • Five rehearsal rooms • Six practice rooms • Two function rooms • One box office • One enquiry counter • One performing arts shop • One Chinese restaurant • One Western restaurant • One coffee shop • One foyer cafe • One piazza including four hiring areas • One garden • One HKCC Arts Fair

# Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Directly borders the Avenue of Stars, the Hong Kong Museum of Art, and the Hong Kong Space Museum.

#### Quality

Remove skirting allowing for the addition of shops. • Install a glass viewing area against the present waterfront wall. • Place advertisements for upcoming events in Hong Kong. • Add more benches outside of the Cultural Centre. • Install a historical plaque for the clock tower or recreate parts of the train station for education and exhibition.



# Hong Kong Museum of Art





### Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located at 10 Salisbury Road, Yau Tsim Mong District.

Category: Cultural facility- Museum

Primary User: Tourists

### **Features**

Seven exhibition galleries • One lecture hall • One bookshop • One café • One enquiry counter • One box office

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Add signage on the promenade to the Starbucks and the restaurant on the upper deck. • Make spiral staircase adjacent to Avenue of Stars open, allowing people to go into the Museum. • Add benches next to staircse behind Museum. • Add shrubbery with benches.

#### Quality

Replace walls on upper deck with a glass fence. • Hang giant banners from the front of the museum. Try not to keep plain wall. • Make banners artwork or advertisement for public events and art exhibits. • Add a sculpture in the open area in front of museum. • Build restaurant/café underneath the upper deck with outdoor seating.

# **Hong Kong Space Museum**





## Ratings

Accessibility









### Location and Overview

Located at 10 Salisbury Road, Yau Tsim Mong District.

Category: Cultural facility- Museum

Primary User: Tourists

#### Features

Two exhibition galleries • One space theatre • One lecture hall• One gift shop • One enquiry counter • One box office

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Add a site sign in the back of the building and have smaller directional signs nearby.

#### Quality

Paint dome to look like a globe or have covers made for decoration, for example, Hong Kong flag, constellations, and cultural advertisements. 
Implement a space theme outside. Add more greenery around dome and in back of building. 

Add a small space-themed playground.

# Tsim Sha Tsui Promenade





### Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Salisbury Road, Tsim Sha Tsui, Yau Tsim Mong District.

Category: Promenade
Primary User: Tourists

#### Features

Sitting benches • Arbours • One water fountain • One general restaurant • One light refreshment kiosk • Seven mobile carts at Avenue of Stars for selling of snacks and drinks.

### Suggestions

#### Accessibility

Area along promenade allows tour buses and city buses access to the promenade. • Add signaled crossing across Salisbury Road.

#### Quality

Allow temporary street markets. • Orient the food carts on the other side of the promenade and make them face the harbour. Move star structures. • Use waterfront gift shops to advertise surrounding museums, attractions, and transportation. • Minimize the picture stands for a better view of the harbour. • Get rid of solicitors. • Add bars, restaurants and cafes all along the promenade.

# **Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool**





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance

Popularity N/A

### Location and Overview

Located on at 7 Wan Hoi Street, Hung Hom, Kowloon City District.

Category: Swimming Pool
Primary User: Residents

### Features

One main pool • One secondary pool • One diving pool • Three teaching pools • Three fun pools • One spectator stand

# Suggestions

#### Quality

Repaint outside wall. • Create underwater harbour viewing area with large glass wall. • Add more shaded seating to the open space around the pools.

# Tai Wan Shan Park Promenade





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on at Wan Hoi Street, Hung Hom, Kowloon City District.

Category: Park, Promenade
Primary User: Residents

### Features

Three arbours • Nine garden benches • One large playground • Two basketball courts • One soccer pitch

# Suggestions

#### Quality

Add shaded seating along the promenade, potted plants and trees. •
Replace wall separating seats from playground with glass. • Add game
tables. • Orient benches towards water. • Replace the fence between
the playground and the promenade with glass. • Add bathroom
Design/Maintenance

Paint the fence that is bordering the swimming pool. • Make the colour match the waterfront fence or create an ocean theme.

# **Hoi Sham Park**





## Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Yuk Yat Street, To Kwa Wan, Kowloon City District.

Category: Park
Primary User: Residents

#### Features

One children's playground • One elderly fitness station • Two hard surface soccer pitches • Three game tables • One basketball court • One Hoi Sham Pavilion • One light refreshment kiosk • One mini-stage

### Suggestions

#### Quality

Remove fence that obstructs the bench in grassy patch. • Add more game tables. Add them under this shelter or in the open space behind it.

#### Design/Maintenance

Repaint miscellaneous areas throughout park. • Replace and add more benches to the promenade. • Provide shade over benches by revitalizing trees. • Clean up the promenade and paint the waterfront fence

# Hoi Bun Road Sitting-Out Area





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Quality

Design/ Maintenance

Popularity

### Location and Overview

Located on Hoi Bun Road, Kwun Tong District.

Category: Sitting-Out Area
Primary User: Residents

#### Features

Sitting Benches • Arbours

## Suggestions

Quality

Remove wall and relocate site sign. • Change the colour scheme.

Repave area in behind waterfront fence. Replace railing. • Orient the

benches towards the water.

### Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-Out Area





# Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Shung Shun Street, Kwun Tong District.

Category: Sitting-out area

Primary User: Residents

### **Features**

Sitting benches • Arbours • Sea Wall

# Suggestions

#### Quality

Green wall obstructs view of harbour. Remove green wall and build a promenade fence or build a platform allowing visitors to see over the wall. • Replace dead plants.

# Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre





## Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity

Quality

Design/ Maintenance

Popularity

### Location and Overview

Located on 6 Lei Yue Mun Path, Kwun Tong District.

Category: Sports Centre
Primary User: Residents

#### Features

One Main Arena (One basketball court cum four badminton courts) •
One fitness room • One Sanshou training hall • Two activity rooms •
One climbing activity room • One table-tennis room • Two squash courts • Two American pool tables • One children's playroom

# Suggestions

Accessibility
Put site name on side of building.

# Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-Out Area





## Ratings

Accessibility





Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located on Lei Yue Mun Path, Kwun Tong District.

Category: Sitting-Out Area

Primary User: Residents

### Features

Benches . Arbours . Sea wall

## Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Create a few openings throughout the fence allowing people to access the rocks. • Create an official map located at the entrance of the site that marks the sitting-out area, Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre and Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden.

#### Quality

Roof lets sun through, heating up the benches underneath. Replace roof with wood, metal, or a material that provides true shade. • Add tables in front of Sports Centre to allow for people to eat, socialize, and play table games.

# Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden





# Ratings

Accessibility

Connectivity



Design/ Maintenance



### Location and Overview

Located in Lei Yue Mun, Kwun Tong District.

Category: Park
Primary User: Residents

### Features

One playground • Six chess tables • Arbours • Sitting Benches

# Suggestions

#### Connectivity

Difficult to find Rest Garden from Waterfront Sitting-Out Area. Add signage in the residential area between these two sites.

#### Quality

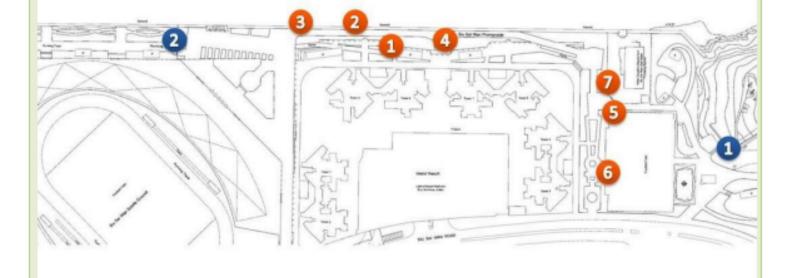
Add more playground equipment, extend playground boundary. 

Remove the broken bottles and litter from the beach.

# **Appendix G: Maps and Information**

This appendix consists of maps of the forty-eight sites with observations and suggestions marked upon the maps in specific locations.

# 01 - Siu Sai Wan Promenade



#### Observations:

#### Connectivity

 On the east side of the site, there is an entrance to the Leaping Dragon Walk connecting the LCSD promenade to another section of walkable waterfront.

#### Quality

Outdoor running and sitting-out area connected to the promenade.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

Add stairs to connect upper and lower promenades.

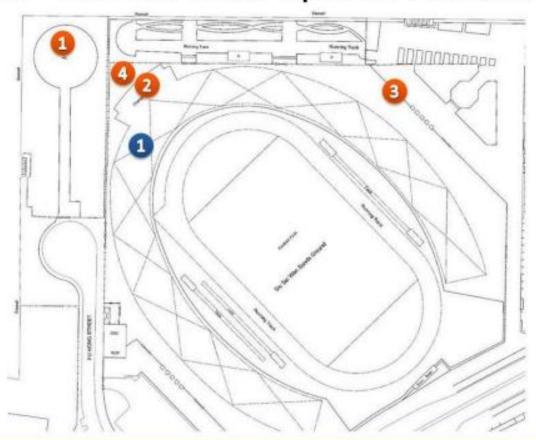
#### Quality

2. Add more benches to the lower promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

- 3. Replace waterfront fence with one that does not obstruct view.
- 4. Move concrete storage box to another site and replace with a garden or add taller greenery around box.
- 5. Replace fence around football pitch with one matching tall green ones at the corner of the field.
- Plant trees and add greenery around the pitch for shade.
- 7. Add more greenery and replace dead plants in gardens.

# 02 - Siu Sai Wan Sports Ground



#### Observations:

#### Quality

Unobstructed views of Victoria Harbour from the stands.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

1. Create connective promenade around the perimeter of the sports grounds.

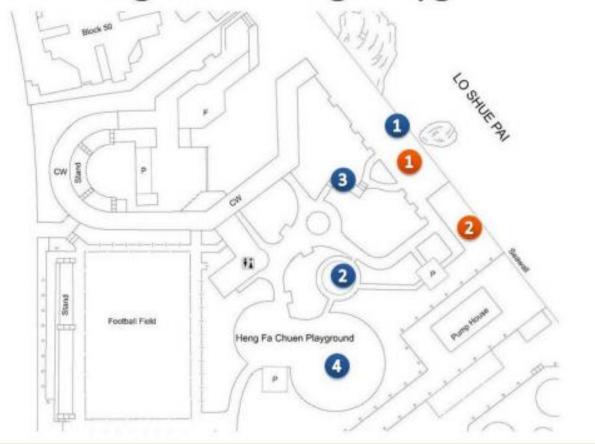
#### Quality

- Use changing room rooftop space as a viewing area connected to the stands with food kiosk and tables.
- 3. Add food kiosks around perimeter with service to both sports ground and promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Remove giant pile of rubbish bins that can be seen from the stands.

## 03 - Heng Fa Cheung Playground



#### Observations:

#### Quality

- 1. Unobstructed harbour views.
- Sheltered game tables used for eating and games. Design/Maintenance
- 3. Small bridge replacing a pathway from the park to the promenade, adds interest to the park.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Colorful playground with many children and parents/grandparents.

#### Suggestions:

- 1. Add shade to the seating along the promenade. Design/Maintenance
- Add more greenery and replace dead plants at end of promenade.



#### Quality

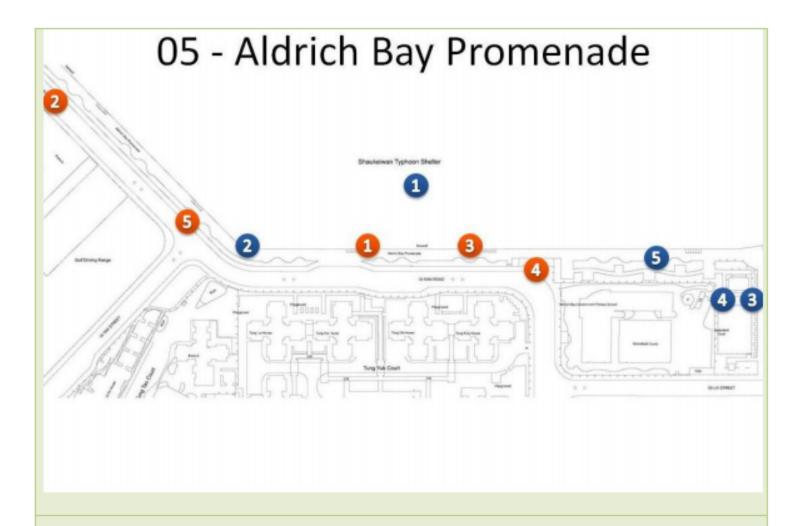
- 1. Historical area pivotal to history of Hong Kong.
- Exhibits along waterfront with indoor and outdoor exhibitions.
- Well-maintained landscaping and exhibits.
- 4. Glass barriers do not obstruct view of water or surrounding landscaping and exhibits.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- Continue the promenade from Heng Fa Chuen Playground to the Museum and continue towards Aldrich Bay Promenade.
- Add entrance booth to the waterfront path of the Museum.

- 3. Add permanent toilets at water level.
- 4. Add dual-language menu on top of cafe's counter, for easier communication.



#### Connectivity

Typhoon shelter full of boats, unique view not seen at many other promenades.

#### Quality

- Informative plaques explain the history of the typhoon shelter.
- Security guard for enforcement of the rules and answering enquiries makes visitors feel safe.
- 4. Benches at basketball court face both courts and water.

#### Design/Maintenance

Unobtrusive silver rubbish bins around the park, playground bin is an octopus.

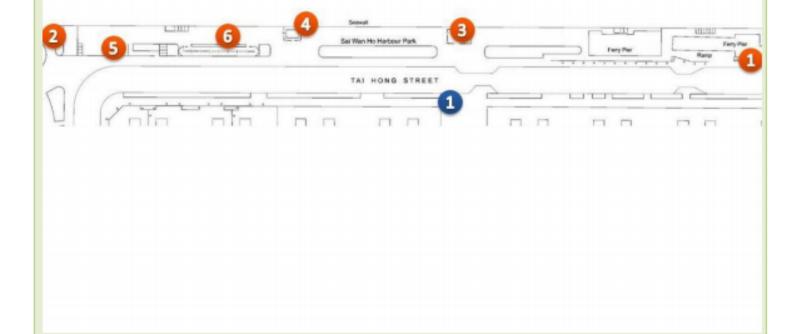
#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- Add gates to landing steps.
- Add signage towards Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park.
- Add signage and information for transport to Lei Yue Mun and the outlaying islands.

- Replace tiled area with potted plants with food kiosk and tables.
- 5. Add distance markings along promenade for joggers, like those in Belcher Bay Park.

### 06 - Sai Wan Ho Harbour Park



#### Observations:

#### Quality

1. Popular open air restaurants across the road with harbour views.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- Add signs from Sai Wan Ho to Aldrich Bay Promenade.
- Remove the poorly maintained greenery between Sai Wan Ho and Quarry Bay Park, continue promenade.
- Replace with smaller one or remove large water-testing area.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Remove rusting fence from water kiosk.

Add small food kiosk (such as ice cream) to promenade side of kiosk.

Repaint fitness station as necessary, redesign and replace old tiles.

#### Quality

6. Create dog park area within the park, patrol to keep area clean.



#### Quality

- 1. Elevated viewing area with large panoramic informational plaque and seating.
- 2. Lighting throughout the park is unobtrusive.

#### Suggestions:

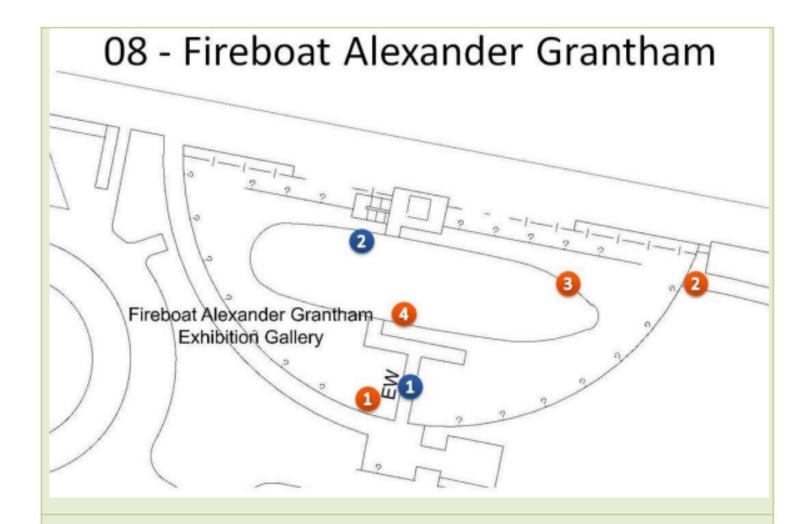
#### Accessibility

1. Add wide subway underneath highway to site.

#### Connectivity

- Lay dirt pathways between brick paths with matching brick.
- 3. Open park to the west side.

- Place benches on the grassy areas along the promenade.
- 5. Place game tables in area under pedestrian overpass.
- 6. Allow waterfront restaurants, like those found in Lamma Island.



#### Connectivity

1. Walkway above the boat out to Quarry Bay Park, well connected.

#### Ouality

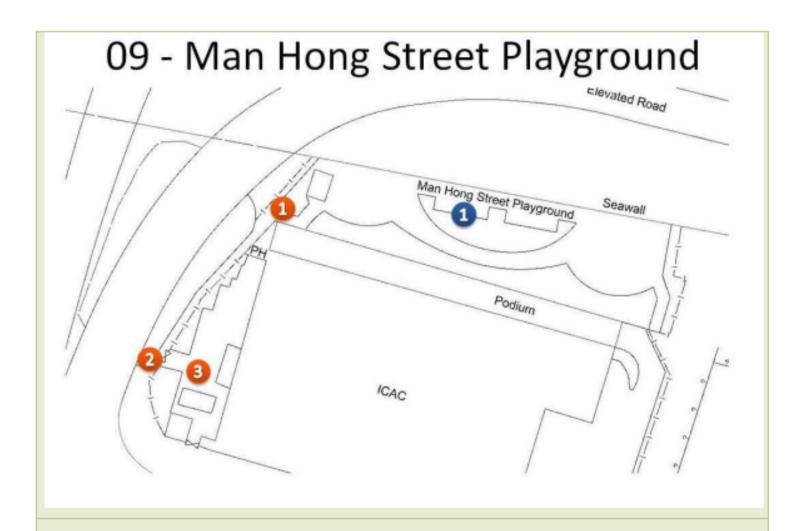
2. Plastic coverings over trip-hazards.

#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

1. Informative video exhibit in middle of gallery, the rightmost television is not lined up properly and the languages buttons do not give the correct language. Reprogram the touch screen.

- Cover outside of surrounding wall with ivy or murals.
- Use spotlights to display fireboat at night.
- 4. Put a "Rubbish" sticker or an LCSD logo on it the rubbish bins.



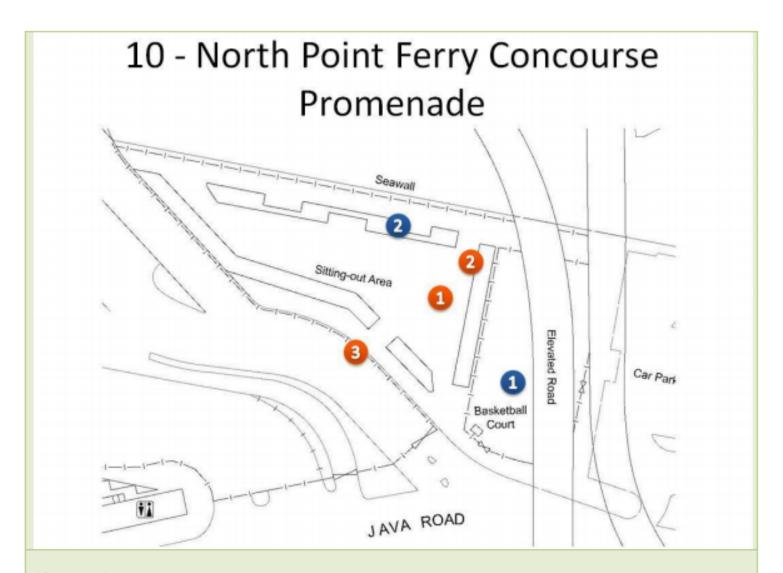
#### Design/Maintenance

1. Well landscaped park with much shaded seating.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

- 1. Change name to "Man Hong Street Sitting-Out Area," it is not a "playground."
- 2. Widen pathway to site and add signage at street entrance.
- 3. Collaborate with ICAC to open their gated park and create lunch area for employees.



#### Quality

- 1. Basketball court adds activity to site.
- 2. Benches along the promenade had cages on the back for safety of visitors.

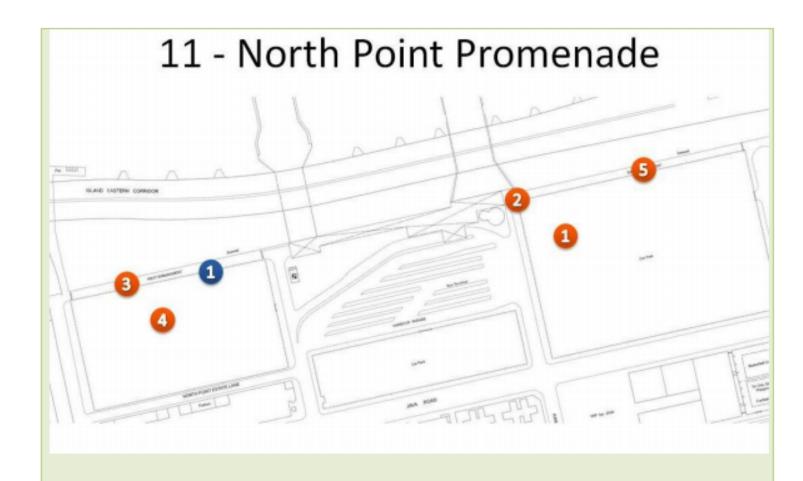
#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Allow ball games, cycling for children or place playground in large open area in site.
- Add dispenser or food kiosk.

#### Design/Maintenance

3. Remove fence and add trees in its place.



#### Quality

 Every bench was filled along the promenade at the time of first visit, most filled at time of second visit.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Use parking lot and vacant lot for the creation of larger parks.

#### Connectivity

2. Add LCSD signage: site name, map, rules, info, etc.

#### Quality

- 3. Add more shaded seating and shade to existing seating.
- 4. Allow street markets.

#### Design/Maintenance

Remove fences and replace waterfront fences with lower one.

# 12 - Tong Shui Road Garden

#### Observations:

1. Very crowded and popular playground

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

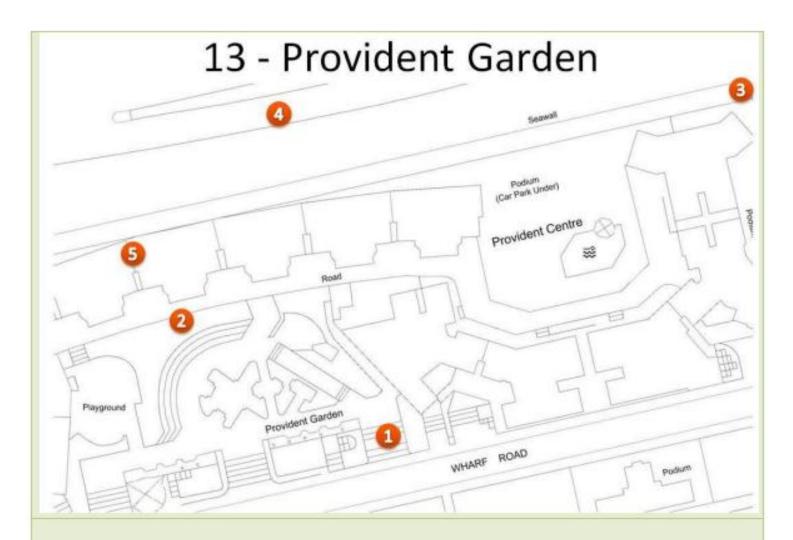
- 1. Replace black fence on east side of garden with a noise barrier against Island Eastern Corridor.
- 2. Remove wall adjacent to Provident Garden and continue the promenade.
- 3. Move playground to east side of garden and extend its size.

#### Ouality

4. Repair broken bench and add shade to existing seating.

#### Design/Maintenance

5. Add color to the site by painting cement wall or planting ivy.



#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add site signs to all entrances using LSCD logo.

#### Connectivity

- 2. Remove plants and bricks that block tunnel to promenade.
- 3. Remove the wall adjacent to Tong Shui Road Garden and continue the promenade.

#### Quality

4. Build underpass under Island Eastern Corridor extending from promenade to highway and connecting to nearby sites.

#### Design/Maintenance

5. Add lighting to tunnels under Provident Centre and paintings, mural, or mosaic to concrete wall.



#### Ouality

1. Gazebo provides shaded seating and shelter for visitors to the site.

#### Suggestions:

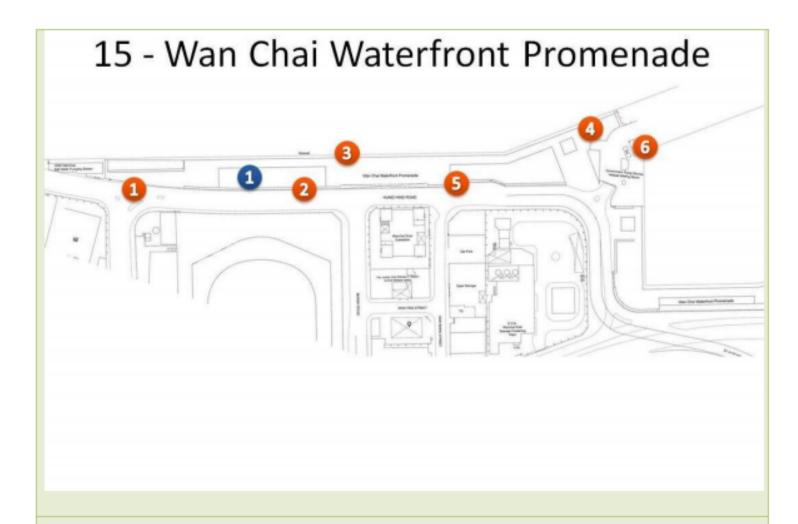
#### Connectivity

1. Expand park into adjacent unused area, extend the promenade.

#### Quality

- 2. Add more benches.
- 3. Add dispenser machines.

- 4. Remove wooden fences surrounding plants.
- Repaint chipped paint on gazebo roof.



#### Quality

1. One of few parks where dogs are allowed -known as a "dog-park" to residents.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

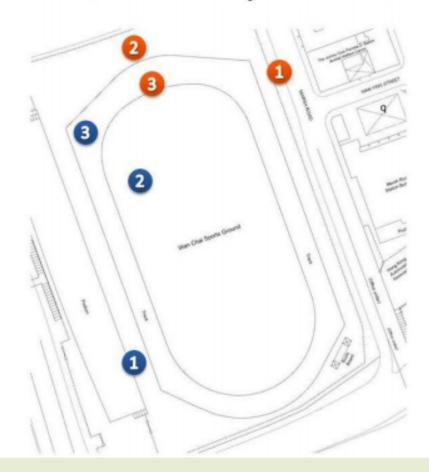
1. Add signage on surrounding streets to site and at site entrances.

#### Quality

- Plant trees along outer perimeter of park to block noise, add shaded seating.
- Replace waterfront fence with a see-through, glass barrier.
- Remove temporary office and utilize space for dispenser machines and permanent bathrooms.

- Remove chain-link fence, plant trees in its place.
- 6. Remove fence between helicopter pad and park and replace with shrubbery barrier.

# 16 - Wan Chai Sports Ground



#### Observations:

#### Accessibility

1. Fence surrounds perimeter and centre has one grade-level entrance.

#### Quality

- 2. Used by school track events where up to 1,000 kids visit premise.
- 3. Facility is colourful and well-maintained.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Add signs on sidewalks directing visitor towards entrance.

- 2. Construct seating and food-kiosks on the harbour-front side of sports ground.
- 3. Continue the stands around the harbour perimeter of the building as a raised viewing platform.



#### Connectivity

1. Located near Wan Chai Sports Ground, Harbour Road Sports Centre, and promenades.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

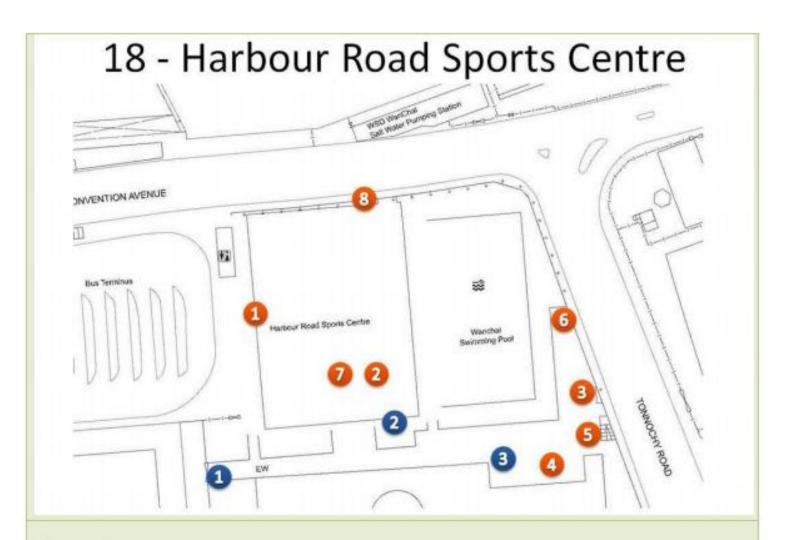
1. Difficult to find entrance, mark entrance with LCSD sign.

#### Connectivity

2. Add signage to surrounding sites.

#### Design/Maintenance

3. Repaint walls around pool with murals and signs.



#### Connectivity

 A viewing platform connects to shopping plaza and Harbour Rd. Sports Centre overlooking Victoria Harbour.

#### Quality

- Signs publicizing activities are hung on fence.
- Platform attracts people during meal times.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Add signs around perimeter of building towards entrance and larger site signs.

#### Quality

Publish signs and event boards in both English and Chinese.

- Orient benches towards harbour-front.
- 4. Allow temporary food-kiosks, replacing stair area with shaded benches and tables.
- Add trees and greenery to platform.
- 6. Remove pipe at edge of platform.
- Add a Leisure Link Self-service Kiosk.
- Replace pink outdoor wall with fence like blue one at other side of sports centre.



#### Connectivity

Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade located within walking distance.

#### Quality

2. Unobstructed view of TST from edge of promenade.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Replace concrete ground with brick and add trees, flowers for colour.

#### Connectivity

- Connect to Wan Chai Waterfront Promenade with bike path or waterfront walk.
- 3. Add signs directing visitors to and from promenades.

#### Quality

 Allow outdoor seating along the promenade and park area for restaurants, excluding celebration days from seating licensing.

- Allow outdoor performances on promenade area outside of centre.
- 6. Remove sitting-areas/steps and replace with shaded benches, picnic tables or food-kiosk.



#### Quality

- 1. Shops and eating areas located inside building and snack and beverage vendor outside of garden.
- 2. Park used by people eating lunch.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Remove glass walls and create more entrances, leaving brick walls for seclusion.

- 2. Take Queen's pier out of storage and replace it.
- Add informational plaques for the history of the area.
- 4. Add trees for shade on platform and replace concrete benches with wooden ones.

# 21 - Promenade fronting piers 1-9

#### Observations:

#### Quality

1. Outdoor restaurant located on rooftop of pier.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signage on promenade to MTR.

#### Connectivity

- 2. Add staircase through cement wall at Pier 2.
- Replace flooring with matching for length of the promenade.

#### Quality

- Add binoculars for viewing.
- 5. Add travelators from the IFC Mall to the Central Ferry Pier.
- Allow food-kiosks and temporary street markets.
- Add shaded seating/tables along wall.
- Add rooftop eating and sitting areas.
- Add recycling and trash bins on promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

10. Replace concrete barrier/guard rail with see-through barrier.

# 22 - Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park and Swimming Pool



#### Observations:

#### Connectivity

1. Western Park Sports Centre adjacent to park.

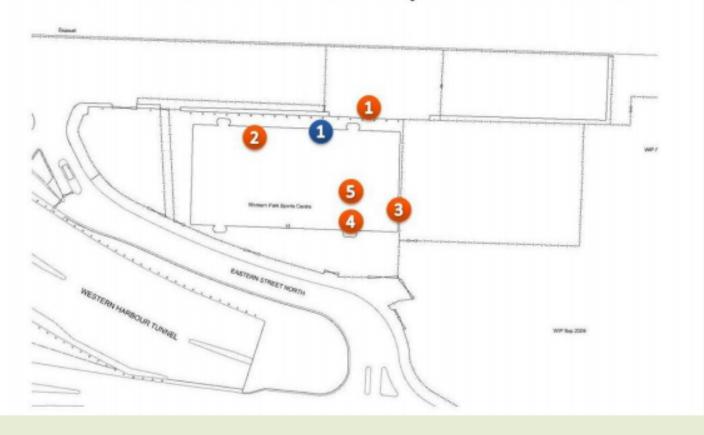
#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add subways to park for greater access.

- Connect Western Park Sports Centre with the park, continuing promenade past the Sports Centre.
- Create harbour views by making windows, decks along waterfront side of swimming pool complex.
- 4. Allow restaurants and food kiosks on north side of swimming pool complex.
- Ensure there is shaded seating along promenade.

### 23 - Western Park Sports Centre



#### Observations:

#### Quality

1. Food kiosk on the third floor of centre with harbour views.

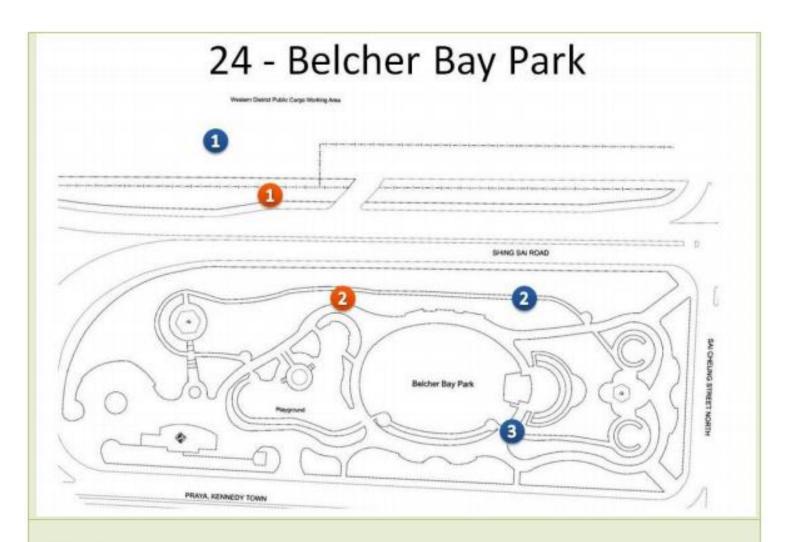
#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Remove fence obstructing harbour view at ground level.
- Use windows in building for viewing points adding seating at windows.
- 3. Add signs towards the food kiosk, advertise kiosk at the floor level and within Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park.
- 4. Advertise other events for LCSD sites at sports centre in both English and Chinese.

#### Design/Maintenance

5. Add sign above Leisure Link Self-Service Kiosk, "Service Kiosk."



#### Connectivity

- 1. Public dock area located across the street from north end of park.
- Secluded jogging path runs the north side of park.

#### Design/Maintenance

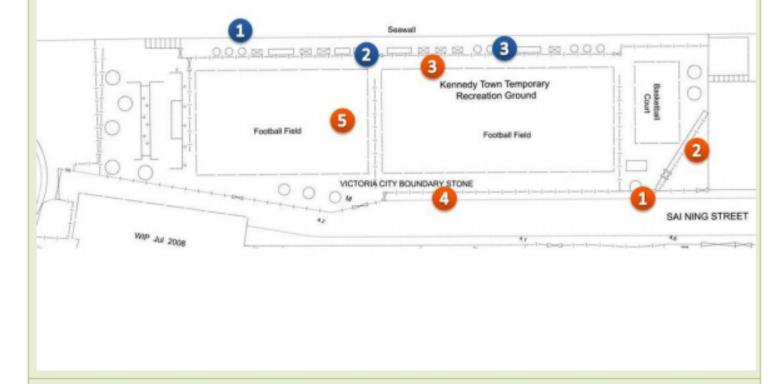
3. Landscaped and designed in a nautical theme.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- 1. Connect dock area to park through bike path, subway or walkway and directional signage.
- 2. Create trails from running path to main path.

# 25 - Kennedy Town Temporary Recreation Ground



#### Observations:

#### Design/maintenance

- 1. Unobstructed view of Green Islands.
- Part of promenade is being renovated.
- Benches covered with arbours and greenery.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signs from Bus terminus.

#### Quality

- Make permanent structure that serves as storage and permanent changing room/toilets.
- 3. Replace benches with double-sided ones to view either soccer or water.

- 4. Add trees along the back to block from road and add greenery.
- Repaint soccer pitches.

# 26 - Cheung Fai Promenade

#### Observations:

#### Design/Maintenance

1. Walls along the street side of the park provide noise barrier from industrial area, fish themed.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signage to and from Tsing Yi Promenade and in area surrounding park.

#### Quality

- Add elderly fitness stations, game tables, foot massage path or playgrounds.
- 3. Allow food and beverage kiosks or rent space to a restaurant or café.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Plant trees and add shrubbery to block view of utilities area fenced in at south end of park.



#### Connectivity

1. Swimming pool is connected well with adjacent sports ground and promenade.

#### Ouality

2. Small restaurant located next to the swimming pool with outdoor seating and tables.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

1. Create direct route from restaurant to promenade and add signage.

#### Quality

2. Add seating and picnic tables around the pool area.

# 28 - Tsing Yi Sports Ground



#### Observations:

#### Design/Maintenance

1. Facility is very well maintained and clean.

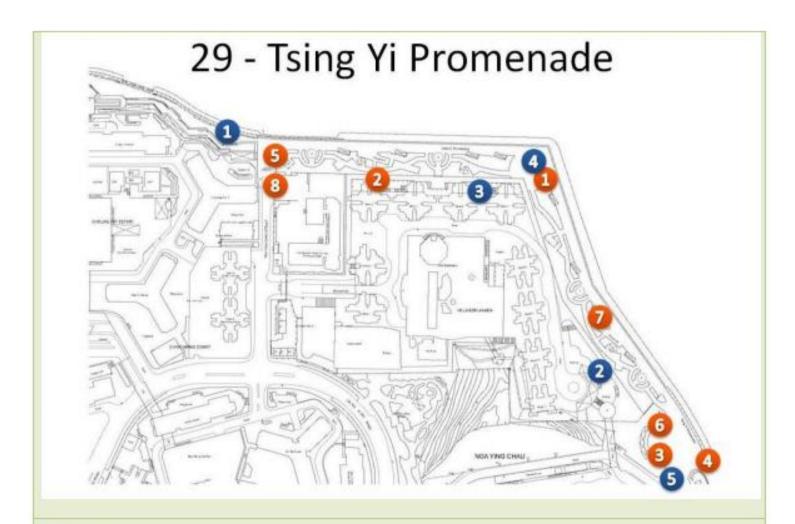
#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signage marking entrance to sports ground from the promenade.

#### Connectivity

2. Add entrance on the north side of the fence that borders the promenade.



#### Connectivity

- Both ends of promenade are connected to non-LCSD promenades.
- 2. Promenade is directly connected to Maritime Square Mall at the Tsing Yi MTR station.
- 3. Private access to promenade from residential buildings.

#### Quality

- 4. Large viewing tower.
- One restaurant along the promenade with large windows.

#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Add seating or binoculars at top of viewing tower.
- Allow buildings to use their ground floors for commercial use.
- 3. Allow restaurants outdoor seating.
- 4. Use ferry landing structure for toilets, game tables, or rent to business and allow public use of landing steps.
- Allow permanent or temporary street markets.
- 6. Add large playground to the unused space in the middle of the promenade.

- 7. Replace arbours or grow plants on them for shade.
- 8. Remove fence blocking site sign.



#### Quality

- 1. The beach has a view of the Ting Kau Cable Stay Bridge.
- 2. The beach provides facilities for beach sports such as volleyball.

#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Add barbeque pits.
- 2. Build playground.
- 3. Open roof of building on the beach for use of café, food kiosk and shaded seating/tables with viewing area.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Clean up the rocks on east end to extend the usable beach.



#### Quality

1. The historic tree located in the playground provides shade.

#### Suggestions:

- 1. Playground equipment is old needs to be replaced, enlarge playground.
- 2. Remove fence around playground.



#### Connectivity

- 1. Ting Kau Village Playground is connected.
- 2. Locals are able to use the site to launch and land boats.

#### Quality

3. Has an unobstructed view of the water and of the Ting Kau Bridge

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Add signage to and from the beach.

#### Connectivity

Create continuous promenade from Ting Kau Sitting-out Area to Ting Kau Beach and on towards Approach Beach.

- 3. Add barbeque pits.
- 4. Add more shaded seating/tables.



#### Connectivity

1. The beach is long and one can continue walking for a long way beyond the end of the site to the east.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signage to and from the beach along entire length.

#### Quality

- 2. Add more barbeque pits.
- 3. Add benches with shade on the street side of beach.

- 4. Renovate the buildings and open for public use or rent to businesses.
- 5. Clean rock and debris from beach.



#### Connectivity

 Northern end of the promenade is connected to an adjacent non-LCSD venue, creating continuous waterfront promenade.

#### Quality

2. The park has a well marked and painted jogging track that runs along much of the promenade.

#### Design/Maintenance

The park contains lots of art and decorations, aquatic themed.

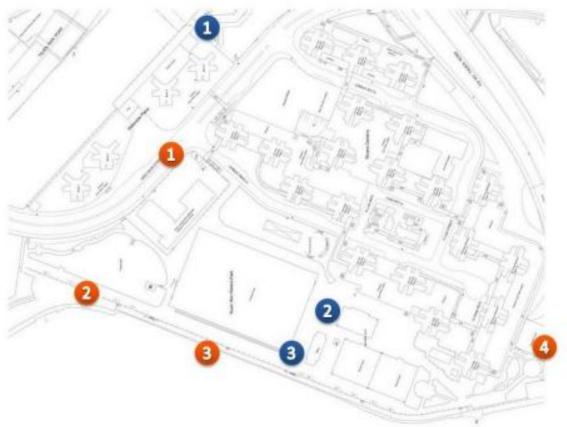
#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- Expand park into large vacant lot bordering the park on 3 sides.
- Allow food pavilion with shaded seating and tables.
- Cover the existing benches with shade.

- 4. Removed barbed-wire fence along the border of the MTR station.
- 5. Some fountains in the park are not functioning and are in need of repair.

# 35 - Tsuen Wan Riviera Park



#### Observations:

#### Connectivity

1. Area around the park has malls and restaurants.

#### Quality

The park provides facilities for several sports and there is a booking station in the park.

#### Design/Maintenance

3. The park is very well maintained, the walkways are clean and the greenery is well cared for.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Add signage to and from attractions and park.

#### Connectivity

2. Remove walls between Tsuen Wan Park and Tsuen Wan Riviera Park.

#### Quality

3. Promenade along the water's edge is closed: open, clean, repave, add shaded seating.

#### Design/Maintenance

4. Highway department fences at southern end of park needed, plant trees in front of them.



#### Quality

- 1. Site is very large and there is a lot of open space.
- The site has an unobstructed view of the Central waterfront.
- 3. The park supports cycling with a 1.5km cycling track and a cycling ground, bicycles can be rented for use in the park.
- 4. The entire park features the Dragon of Lanterns, a 1.6km row of tall lanterns, lanterns light up at night and they have wind chimes as well.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

1. Add signage to and from park including site layout signs.

#### Quality

- 2. Expand playground areas.
- 3. Move facilities away from waterfront and extend promenade in their place.

- 4. Repair board walk.
- 5. Paint the cycle track.
- 6. Replace the Dragon of Lanterns with painted glass not corrugated plastic.
- 7. Replace dead plants.

# 37 - Hong Kong Cultural Centre



#### Observations:

#### Accessibility

Cultural Centre marked in the Tsim Sha Tsui MTR station.

#### Connectivity

 Directly borders the Avenue of Stars, the Hong Kong Museum of Art, and the Hong Kong Space Museum.

#### Quality

Concerts occasionally take place outside of the Centre with indoors used for exhibitions and fairs.

#### Suggestions:

- Remove skirting allowing for the addition of shops and eateries.
- Install a glass viewing area against the present waterfront wall.
- Place advertisements for upcoming events in Hong Kong.
- Add more shaded seating/tables outside of the Cultural Centre.
- 5. Install a historical plaque for the clock tower or recreate parts of the train station for education and exhibition.

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#### Observations:

#### Quality

1. Contains upper deck with sculptures and restaurant.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- 1. Add signage on the promenade towards Starbucks/restaurant on upper deck.
- Make spiral staircase adjacent to Avenue of Stars open, allowing people to go into the Museum.
- Add shaded seating to staircase behind Museum.
- 4. Add greenery.

- Replace walls on upper deck with a glass fence.
- 6. Hang giant banners from the front of the museum of artwork or advertisement for public events and art exhibits.
- Add sculpture garden in open area in front of museum.
- 8. Build restaurant/café underneath the upper deck with outdoor seating/tables.



#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

1. Add a site sign in the back of the building and have smaller directional signs nearby.

- Paint dome to look like a globe or have covers made for decoration, for example, Hong Kong flag, constellations, and cultural advertisements.
- 3. Implement a space theme outside, space themed playground.
- Add more greenery.



#### Accessibility

1. Area along promenade allows tour buses and city buses access to the promenade.

#### Connectivity

Connected to the Hong Kong Cultural Centre, Museum of Art, Space Museum, and Star Ferry Pier.

#### Ouality

Popular tourist destination with views of Hong Kong Island.

#### Design/Maintenance

Well maintained greenery in back of promenade, providing shade.

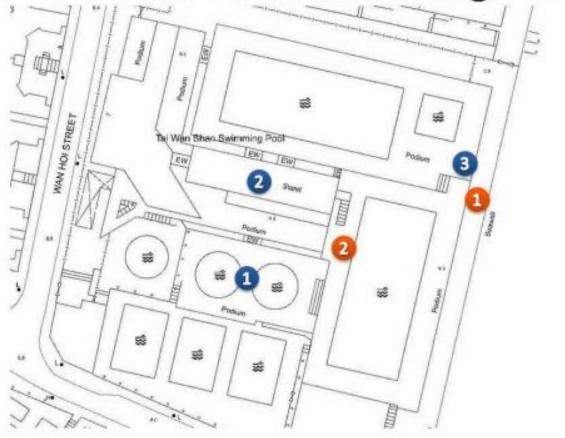
#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

Add signaled crossing across Salisbury Road.

- Allow temporary street markets.
- Orient the food carts on the other side of the promenade and make them face the harbour and move star structures away from water.
- Use waterfront gift shops to advertise surrounding museums, attractions, and transportation.
- Minimize amount the picture stands for a better view of the harbour, patrol against solicitors.
- Add bars, restaurants and cafes all along the promenade.

# 41 - Tai Wan Shan Swimming Pool



#### Observations:

#### Quality

- 1. Pool sizes available for all age groups.
- Viewing stands accommodate large crowds and makes the swimming pool available for competitive swimming.
- 3. The swimming pool has an unobstructed view of Kwun Tong and eastern Hong Kong Island

#### Suggestions:

- 1. Repaint outside wall.
- 2. Add more shaded seating/tables to the open space around the pools.



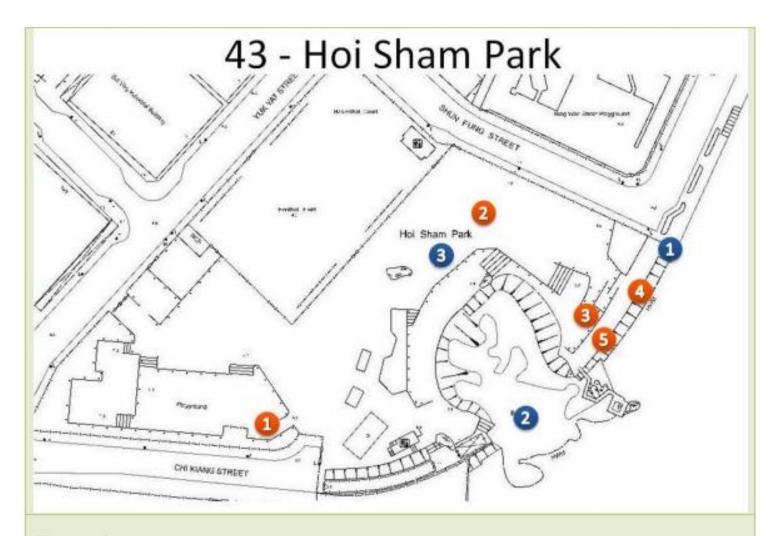
#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Add shaded seating along the promenade, potted plants and trees.
- 2. Remove wall separating seats from playground.
- Add game tables.
- 4. Orient benches towards water.
- 5. Add permanent toilets.

#### Design/Maintenance

6. Paint the fence bordering the swimming pool with matching colors to the park, create ocean theme.



#### Connectivity

 The park promenade is connected to neighboring non-LCSD site, extending waterfront access toward ferry pier.

#### Quality

2. Fishtail rock and the Pagoda are two monuments that are found in the park that are part of the site's history.

#### Design/Maintenance

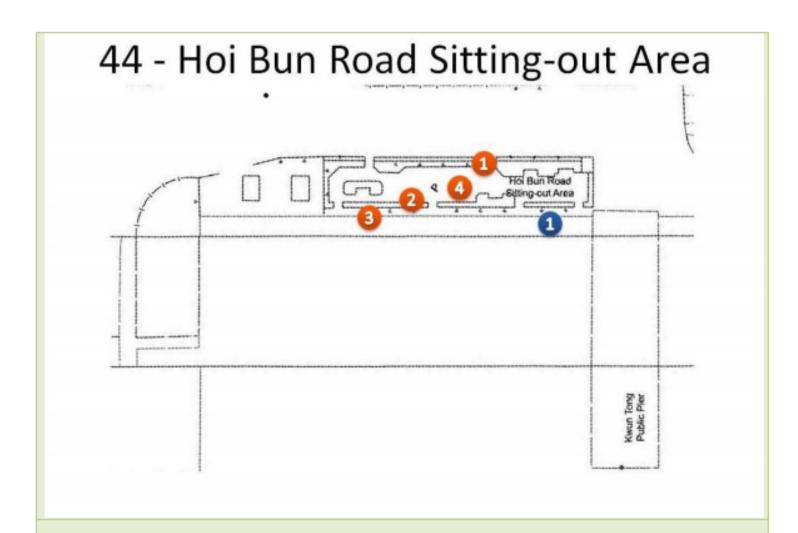
3. Park contained a large amount of shaded seating that was constantly in use during time of visits.

#### Suggestions:

#### Quality

- 1. Remove fence that obstructs the bench in grassy patch.
- Add more game tables near existing ones.

- Repaint miscellaneous areas throughout park, rusted railings, etc.
- 4. Replace and add more benches to the promenade with shade.
- Clean up the promenade and paint the waterfront fence.



#### Quality

1. Located near a ferry pier and in an ideal fishing location.

#### Suggestions:

- 1. Remove wall and relocate site sign.
- Change the colour scheme.
- 3. Repave area in behind waterfront fence and replace railing.
- 4. Orient the benches towards the water.

# 45 - Lei Yue Mun Typhoon Shelter Breakwater Sitting-Out Area



#### Observations:

#### Accessibility

1. Adjacent ferry pier and bus terminus allows for easy access to site.

#### Ouality

- 2. Unique views of Lei Yue Mun fishing village and boats in typhoon shelter.
- 3. The site allows fishing which lets visitors fish carefully.

#### Suggestions:

- Remove green wall and build a promenade fence or build a platform allowing visitors to see over the
  wall.
- 2. Replace dead plants.



#### Quality

- 1. Large windows with automated shades provide great harbour views, act as a way to solar heat or cool the facility.
- Suggestion box is unique to this site, providing users with a way to give the LCSD feedback.
- Framed posters and pamphlets were available in the lobby and on the second floor, giving public information about upcoming cultural and athletic attractions.

#### Design/Maintenance

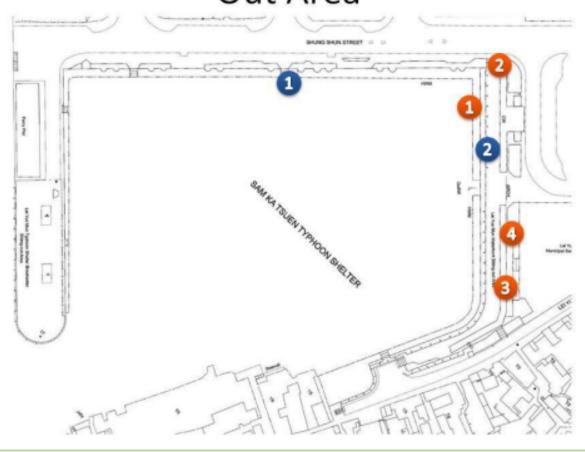
4. The lobby has tables and seating at the windows.

#### Suggestions:

#### Accessibility

1. Put site name on side of building.

### 47 - Lei Yue Mun Waterfront Sitting-Out Area



#### Observations:

#### Quality

1. Steps to water allow people to access their boats and fish without climbing over the fences.

#### Design/Maintenance

2. Walkway and plants were very well maintained.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

- Create a few openings through fence for access to water.
- Create an official map located at the entrance of the site that marks the sitting-out area, Lei Yue Mun Sports Centre and Lei Yue Mun Rest Garden.

- 3. Replace glass roof over benches with wood, metal, or a material that provides true shade.
- 4. Add tables in front of Sports Centre to allow for people to eat, socialize, and play table games.



#### Quality

- 1. Popular attraction for visitors; people seen climbing to lighthouse.
- 2. Vistas from the inside of rest garden and on beach provide views of eastern Hong Kong Island.

#### Suggestions:

#### Connectivity

1. Add signage to and from all sites in Lei Yue Mun.

- 2. Add more playground equipment, extend playground boundary.
- Remove the broken bottles and litter from the beach.

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