

Placestandard review of Milton Community Garden Open spaces and underused spaces

Location:
Milton, Glasgow

Length:
2.07km

Duration:
1h00

Number of visitors:
45

Type of visitors:
Community
Council officers
3rd sector
Housing association
Politicians



Kerb side NBS to slow water flow and provide shelter



Participants were asked to rate the experience of using the space on a scale of 1 to 7.

Milton Placestandard review of how the open spaces and Vacant / derelict land contributes to the lived experience within Milton. Focused on the interventions of the Milton Community Hub, Milton Community Garden and small pocket parks between the community hub and the retail hub. Interventions have been both council and community led but there are still large areas of stalled sites and limited good quality connections between the existing NbS.

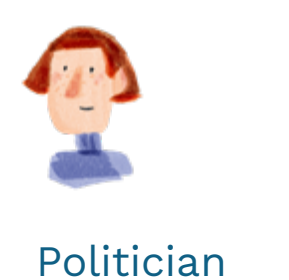


Abandoned development site that has been temporarily planted

“Good things happen when community come together. The community garden was developed and led by the community and is a memorial to those that have gone before”



“There are not enough good quality spaces for all the activities that the community want to engage with”



“The community is really resilient but has been through so many shocks that sometimes they find it hard to know what to fight for.”



“The community is tight knit and can sometimes be suspicious of incomers”

“The community has been reimagined a number of times, but we are constrained by the policies and law that we have to work within. The demand is high for help with gardens but there is not enough volunteers”



“There are not enough places for young people to go so they react to boredom by attempting to destroy”

