

GREEN ACTIVE TRAVEL BRIDGE AT SIGHTHILL, GLASGOW

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Walking and cycling provision is an essential design feature of our Sighthill development in Glasgow and has been treated as fundamental to its success as an area with a strong economy where people want to work and live.

The area is situated very close to the city centre as the crow flies (just 1.10km from the Municipal Chambers and George Square), but until now it hasn't experienced the benefits of this proximity – because it has been severed from the centre by the M8 motorway.

A centrepiece of the development has been a new, green active travel bridge for pedestrians and cyclists only which connects the development with the city centre.

Our design includes shared spaces for cycle use as well as connections to dedicated cycle routes along Pinkston Road, Road B1 and the Civic Boulevard. Cycle storage is provided for every home and cycle stands are at key locations including flats and retail units. Three cycle stations have been placed in convenient locations to for repair and maintenance of bicycles.