



Newry, Mourne and Down District Council's vision for Newry City Park is; *'To regenerate Newry City Centre by providing a world class park, improving health and wellbeing opportunities, attracting investment, creating jobs, sustaining our environment and promoting tourism'*

The proposals for Newry City Park therefore aim to create a valuable greenspace for the city, which will transform the Albert Basin into a lively green space with a multitude of features that will present a variety of outdoor and recreational offerings for the public, set into the green backdrop lining the waterside.

A summary description of the proposals is as follows;

**Overall Design Development**

- The proposals aim to create a welcoming and inclusive public open area, providing a sense of place and a unique experience for the future users of the park.
- The proposals create a series of exciting outdoor spaces catering for a variety of interests, age groups and abilities.
- The proposals have been developed with consideration of the specific features of the site including historical and natural features, which are protected by planning policies, and which will be included into the site in a sensitive and considerate way



Illustrative images of proposed waterside treatments to create formal and informal interaction with water and to provide aesthetic fit and linkage to Newry City



Illustrative images of play opportunities provided throughout scheme including; formal (themed play area), informal (naturalistic) play trails and urban sports facilities (Skate area, Pump track)



Illustrative images of opportunity for various passive recreational and meeting activities - catering for formal events and informal gatherings