

Equinix Data Centre

Henley Road, Slough

We were appointed as landscape architect for the Henley Road Data Centre in Slough. Our landscape architect services supported the project from planning through to tender information.

We developed a coordinated landscape strategy for a secure and highly engineered data centre environment. The design integrated landscape with the building, mechanical and electrical infrastructure, security fencing and public footpaths. The landscape architect also coordinated levels with the wider site design. Landscape sections illustrated relationships between planting, security fencing, retaining structures, footpaths and site levels.

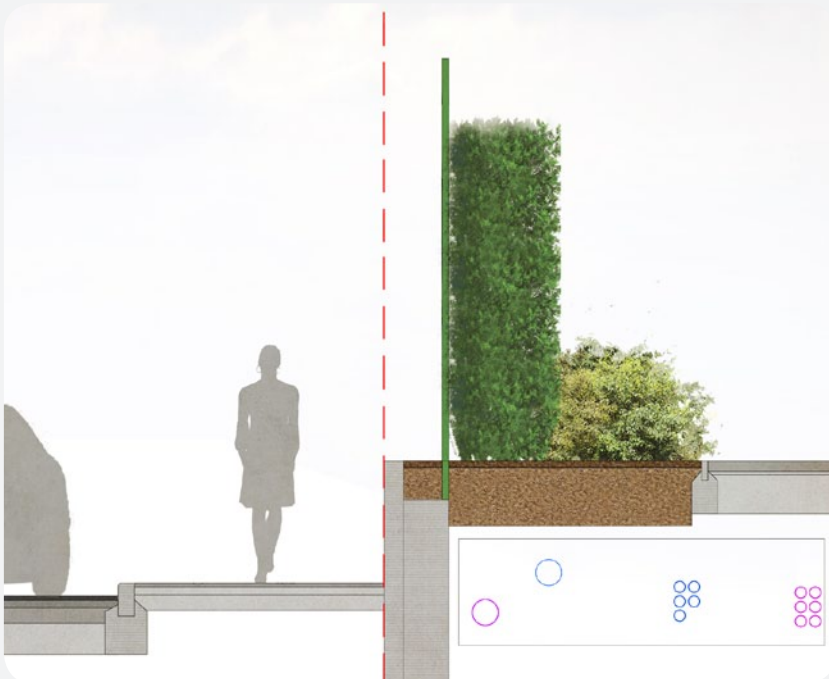
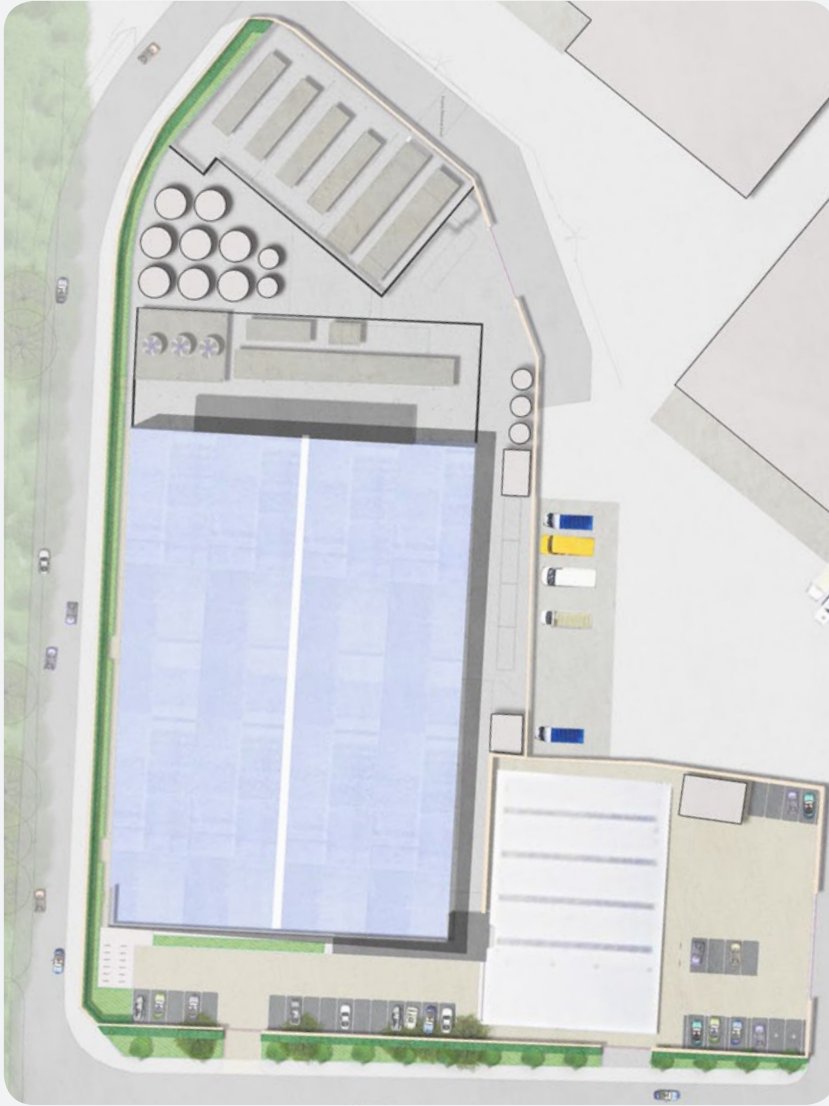
Soft landscape proposals included new trees, hedges, shrubs and ground cover planting. In addition, the planting strategy helped soften security infrastructure and provided a green setting for the development. Planting locations responded to operational requirements and site constraints.

At tender stage our landscape architect prepared technical design and tender information for the external works and soft landscape package. This included a Landscape General Arrangement Plan, planting plan and schedule, soils plan, setting-out information and typical landscape details. We also prepared an NBS landscape specification and coordinated information with other consultants' drawings.

The landscape architect services provided a clear progression from planning principles to coordinated technical and tender information. As a result, the landscape package addressed the Special Planning Zone requirements while supporting a functional, secure and visually integrated data centre development overall.

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