

# 7 THE BIG IDEA

## GREEN CARPET



“Roll out the Green Carpet to Vancouver.”

- Enhance and reinforce Cambie Street as a Ceremonial Boulevard and important transit corridor
- Provide a green connection rich in biodiversity from water to water
- Reinforce the Cambie Corridor as a green network of streets, lanes, parks, greenways, plazas and special places

“The jewel of them all, Cambie Boulevard ... formed a south entry to the City’s centre and would create a ribbon of green across the peninsula...” *Cambie Boulevard Heritage Society*

The three elements that create the Green Carpet are:



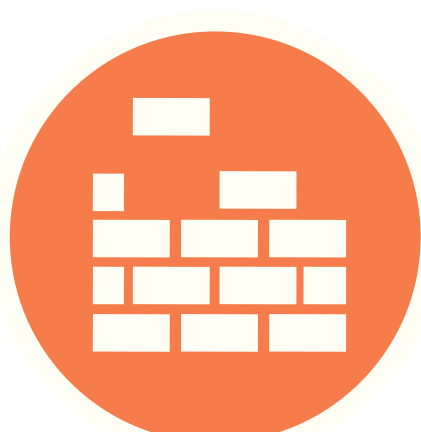
### Green Network

- Preservation
- Great Street Trees
- Green Connections
- Habitat Restoration
- Habitat Connection
- Biodiversity



### Water Systems

- Water Quality
- Water Collection
- Water Retention
- Biodiversity
- Permeability
- River Connection



### Materials and Elements

- Paving Quality
- Longevity and Durability
- Public Art
- Signage & Wayfinding

