

Free Hanseatic City of Bremen

Pilot Area Lindenhof - Green Corridor Pastorenweg

A green lung in a dense and multi-diverse urban environment with space for recreation, biodiversity and climate adaptation - that is the vision of the "Green Corridor Pastorenweg" in Bremen-Gröpelingen. The pilot builds upon existing green infrastructure and will reframe them in an **urban renewal process** to a vibrant social- and nature-inclusive green corridor.

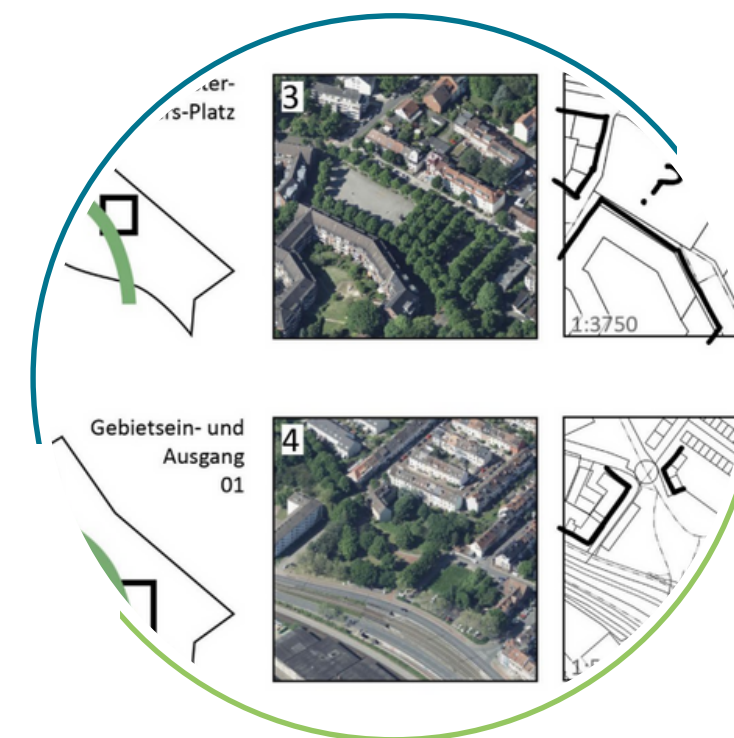


CHALLENGE

The district's green infrastructure barely meets its requirements. As the neighborhood is almost **overpopulated**, space for recreation is rare. Additionally, the local climate vulnerability is high due to the high degree of sealing, fostering **heat stress** and **urban flooding** in extreme weather episodes. More qualitative green is needed for human, nature and climate resilience.

APPROACH

The existing green spaces along Dockstraße and Lütjenburger Straße shall be redeveloped to a nature-inclusive green corridor. Therefore a **landscape-architecture competition** will be held in 2025 to gain holistic, high quality concepts for the latter (re-) construction in 2026. The meantime will be filled with a biodiversity baseline study and a social territorial analysis, serving as the competition basis.



IMPACT

The "Green Corridor Pastorenweg" will save existing urban green infrastructure, will reduce urban sealing by creating more green spaces and will shape **a new nature-inclusive corridor** through the neighborhood based on social and biodiversity needs.



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Pilot Area Industrial Park RR - Greening & Unsealing Initiative

How can private enterprises and entrepreneurs be animated to **transform** their **properties** to a more nature-inclusive and climate resilient space? This question is central to the unsealing and greening initiative in the Industrial Park Riedemann-Reiherstraße (RR) in Bremen-Gröpelingen.



CHALLENGE

The Industrial Park RR is a car-friendly business park for SMEs. As the degree of sealing is very high, **almost no green infrastructure** is available or nearby. This influences not only the diversity of species negatively, it even has an effect on the employees in the area. As a result of a local survey, the area **lacks in quality of stay**. Space for recreation and social interaction is missing.

APPROACH

A wide range of actors join forces to support enterprises in their ambition to unseal parts of their properties, green facades and rooftops and make use of their rainwater. Therefore Bremer Umwelt-Beratung, Bremen-Invest and others providing **on-site consultations** and **funding structures**, and accompany the transformation process. Five entrepreneurs are interested at the moment. More to come!



IMPACT

The greening and unsealing initiative will be the first of its kind in Bremen. More green spaces on private commercial properties will impact the local biodiversity positively. Besides that, entrepreneurs adapt to climate change vulnerability by **realising a more water- and heat-sensitive environment** for business and employees.

