

# Daly Street Activation

Councillors Briefing

10/12/2024

# What is Activation?

**Small scale / temporary interventions to enliven public spaces.**

- Making public spaces more comfortable, accessible and attractive to increase their use.
- Adding seating, lighting and colour.
- Working with local artists and Mana Whenua to add public art.
- Providing play opportunities.
- Supporting businesses through increased footfall.



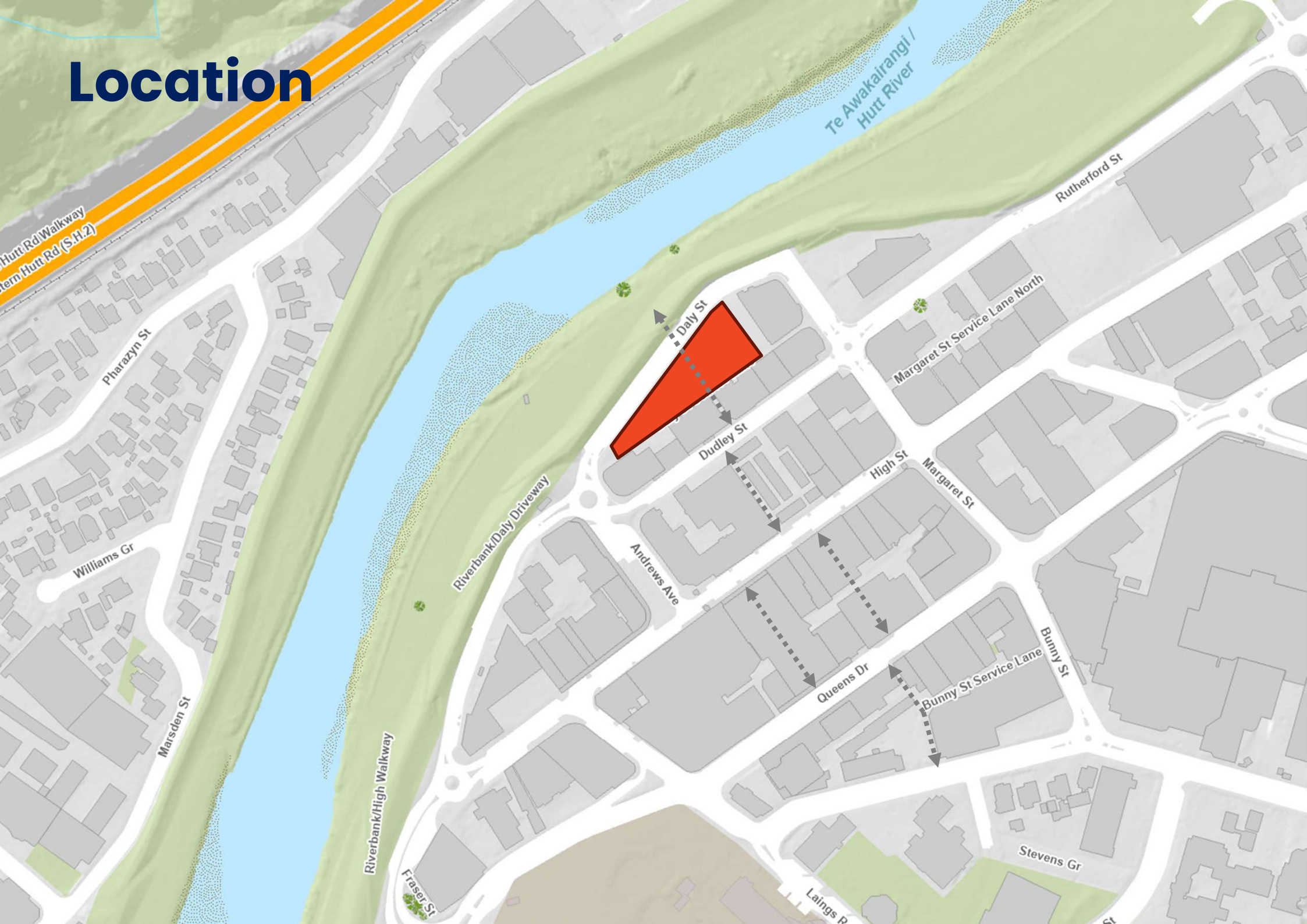
# Funding

- The Long Term Plan 2024-34 includes an annual budget of \$110K.
- This year's budget is bolstered by an underspend from previous years.
- This creates a unique opportunity which will not be repeated in future years.





# Location





# The site





# Current state



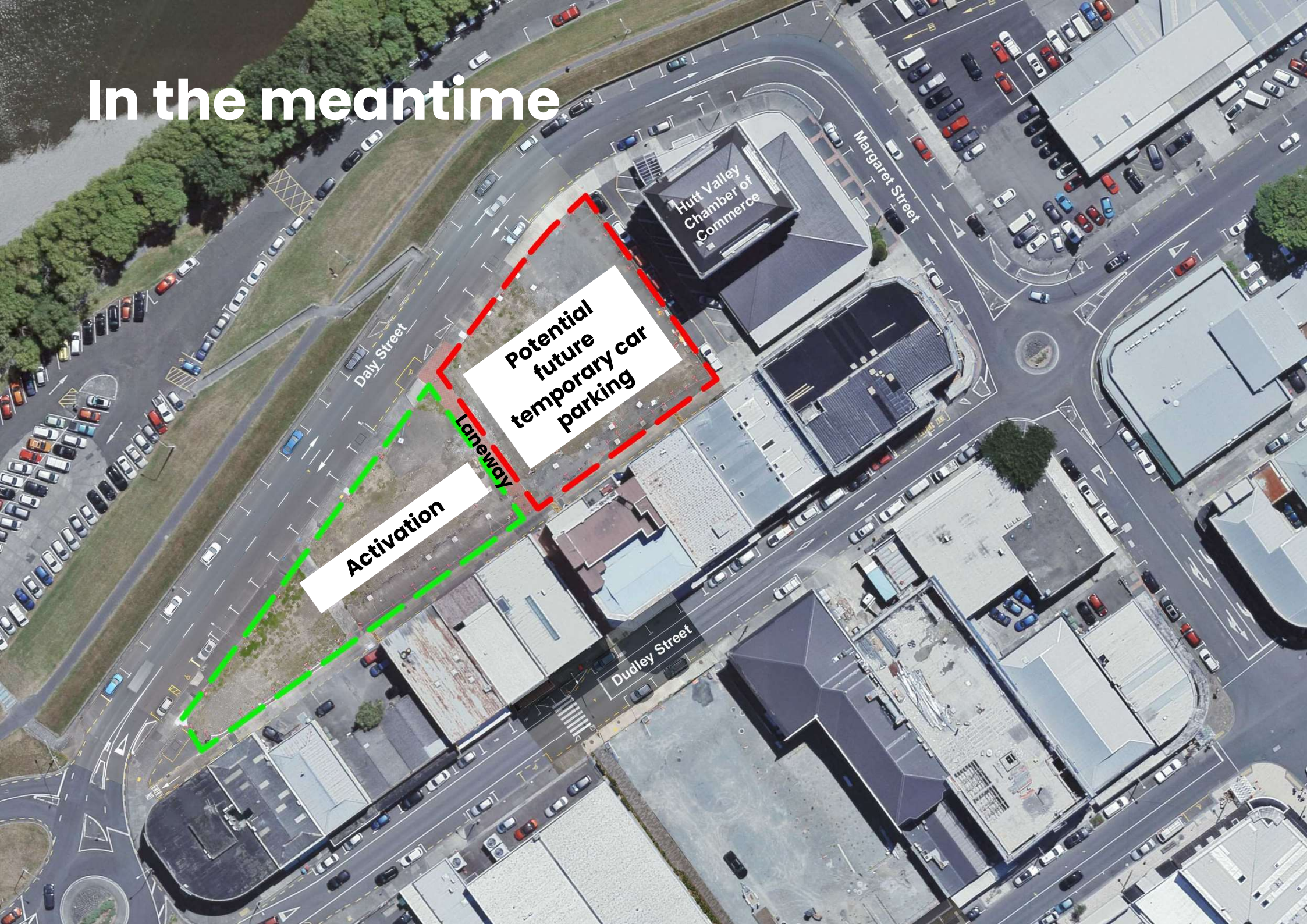


# Long-term vision





**In the meantime**



**Potential  
future  
temporary  
car  
parking**

**Activation**

**Hutt Valley  
Chamber of  
Commerce**

Daly Street

Margaret Street

Laneway

Dudley Street



# Engagement feedback

## Community ideas

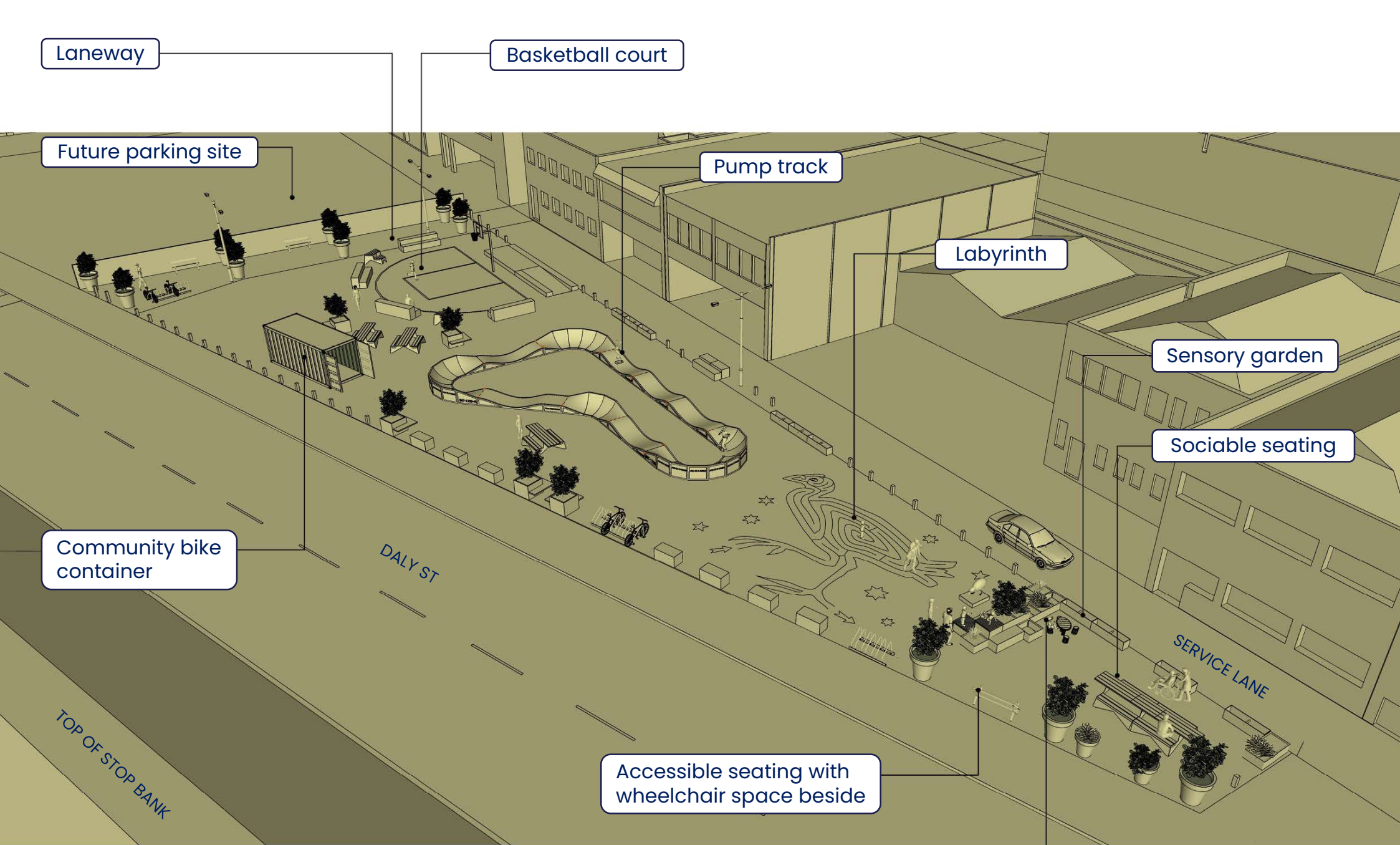
- Learning opportunities for daycare children (Millie's House)
- Sensory Garden (Mash Trust)
- Attract families / space for teens
- Basketball court
- Pump track
- Greenery
- Big colourful plant pots
- Uses for daytime and nighttime
- Painted maze

## Businesses ideas

- BMX & DJ event (SouthEnd)
- Pop up events (SouthEnd)
- Craft market (SouthEnd)
- Kid-friendly activities
- Upcycling repair café/workshop
- Murals
- Places to sit
- Music, dance, performances
- Photo-worthy backdrops
- Night market
- Workshops







Laneway

Basketball court

Future parking site

Pump track

Labyrinth

Sensory garden

Sociable seating

Community bike container

DALY ST

Accessible seating with wheelchair space beside

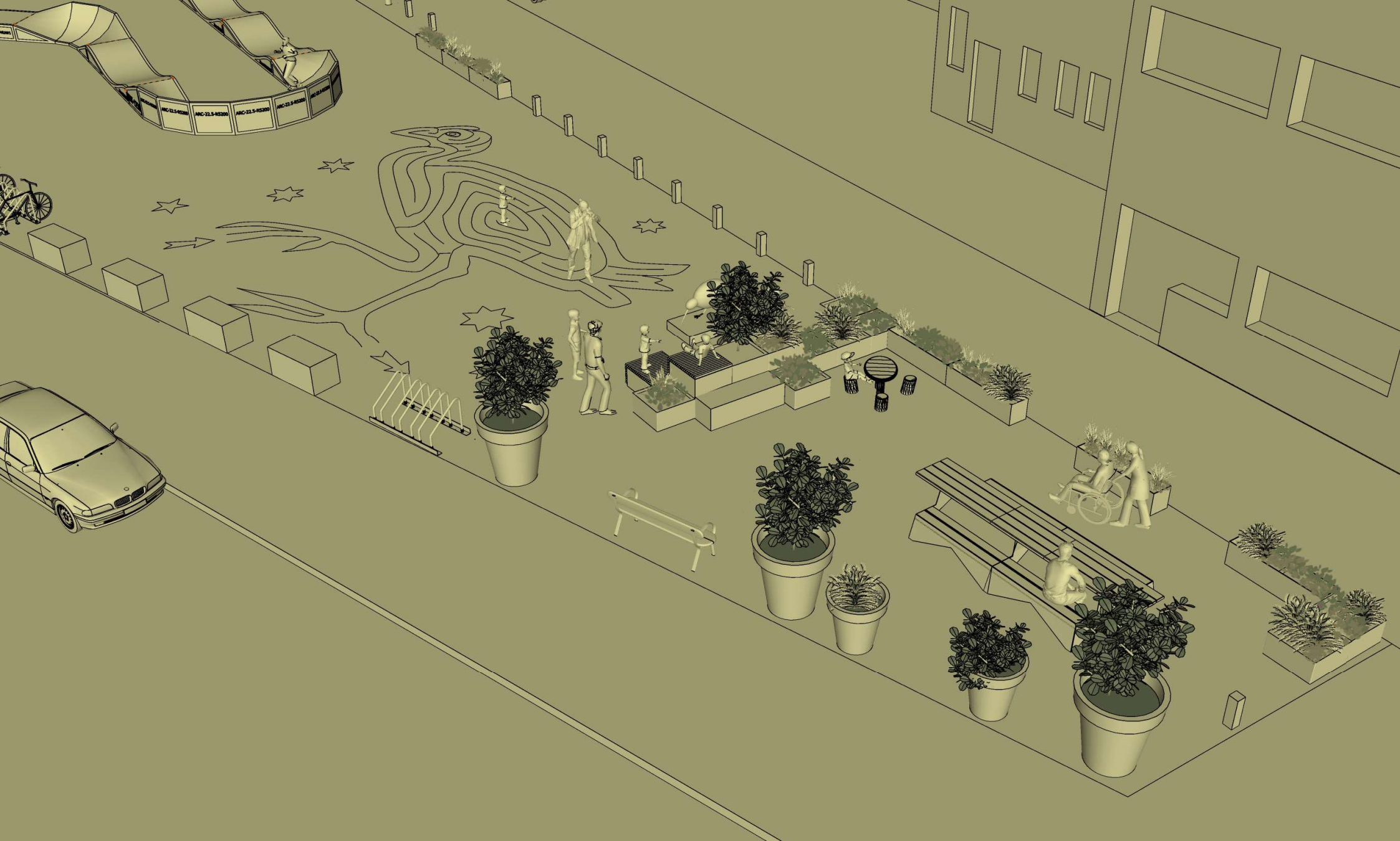
SERVICE LANE

Learning opportunities for young children

**Draft design**

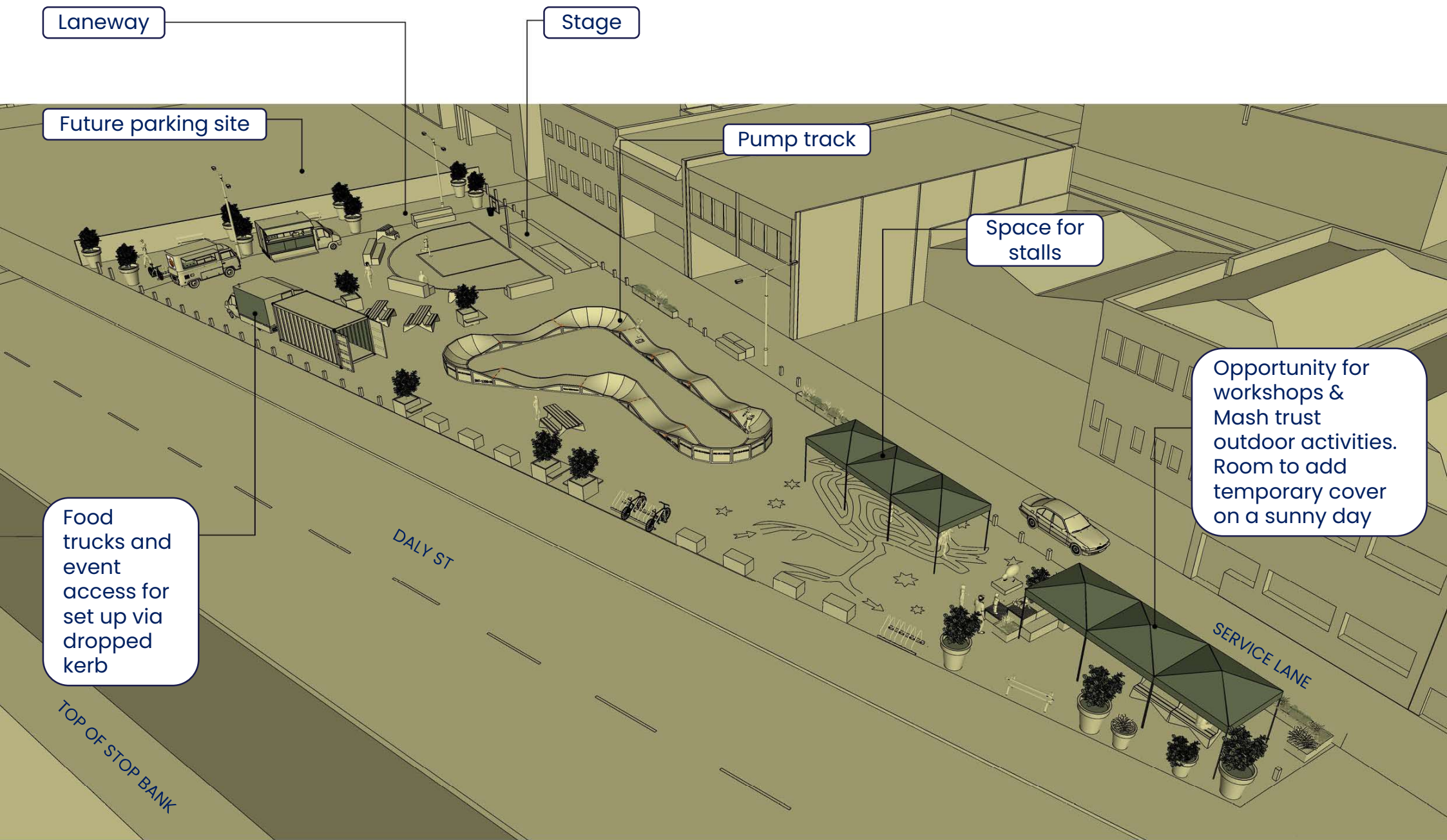
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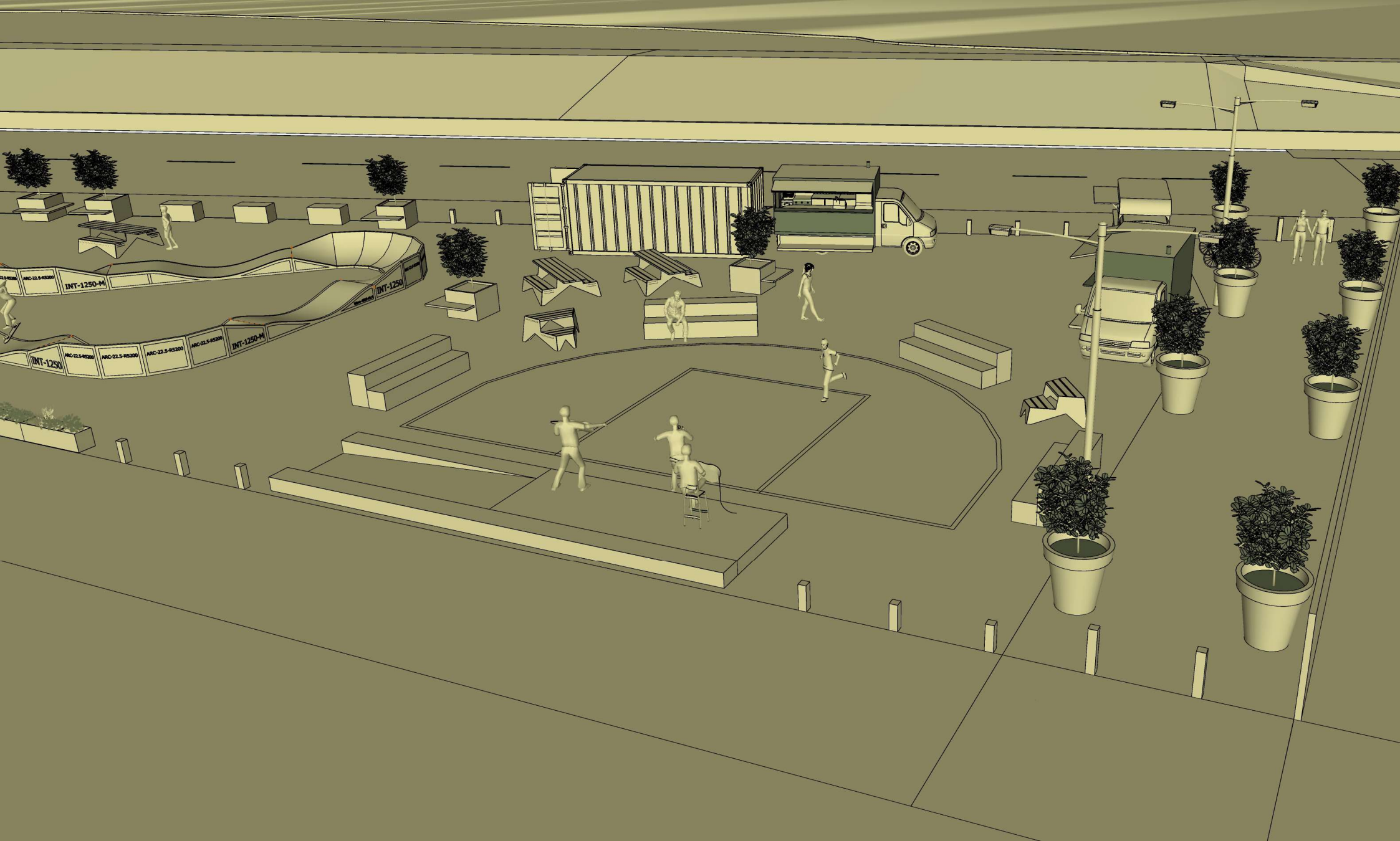
# Sensory garden





# Event layout





**Event: stage and food trucks**



# Timeline

- **Oct–Dec:** Engage with local residents & businesses.
- **Jan–Feb:** Make the site safe: even surface, fix trip hazards, lighting.
- **March:** Activation features delivered and installed.

**The activation will remain in place until the stopbank works start (at least until June 2026).**

**All features are relocatable. Parks & Reserves team are keen to re-use the pump track. The basketball hoop is recycled from the RiverBank car park.**





# Questions