



Helsinki

Site visit March 30th, 2017
9:00 – 11:00

Present

Petteri Erling, City Planner, City of Helsinki
Markus Ahtiainen, Traffic Planner, City of Helsinki
Mervi Nicklén, Landscape Architect, City of Helsinki
Mari Koskinen, European Finland

The site visit started at the Laajasalo church. Nine people came to the event.

First we walked by Laajasalo shopping center to Kiiltomadonpolku pedestrian bridge. We stopped there and discussed the transformation of the existing highway to an urban street. The highway runs currently in a hollow with rock cuttings on both sides. The new junctions, however, will be in one level which may require to change the height of the road.

From the bridge we continued via Yliskallio, the modernist superblock area from the 1960s, to the marina. We crossed the Kuukiventie bridge to the eastern side and finished the tour at the church.

Laajasalontie highway from the Kiiltomadonpolku pedestrian bridge





Yliskallio
Marina
Laajasalontie hahighway

A: Competitors may propose a new type of land use for the four northern sites (the blue area) if well justified. One must keep in mind that no negotiations have been started to expropriate the sites and that the purchasing process can be challenging and cause a risk for the realization of the design.

