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PIA Awards 2010

As 2010 draws to a close we were pleased to see that two projects, on which Brecknock Consulting had been cultural planning advisors, received awards in the Planning Institute of Australia, SA Awards for Planning Excellence.



Urban Design Plans and Ideas

The Award of Excellence was presented to Hassell and PB for Bowden Urban Village Master Plan.

The judges considered that the project demonstrates innovation in urban design through the development of a high-level plan and a more detailed Precinct Plan for the Bowden Urban Village site itself, together with a well considered implementation plan. A high impact on environmental sustainability is also demonstrated through the adoption of the One Planet Living principles, which provided the project's sustainability framework.

The Bowden Urban Village is a significant development opportunity on the old Clipsal site in Adelaide's inner city ring. The Master Planning process was commissioned by the Land Management Corporation [LMC]. Brecknock Consulting were cultural planners on the project, and contributed to the site analysis, character assessment, and charette process. We also provided advice on opportunities for public artwork and worked with the Hassell team to integrate the proposed artwork conceptual approach into the design guideline documents.

Ministers Award

Hassell and PB for Bowden Urban Village Master Plan.

The success of the Bowden Urban Village Master Plan in winning this year's Minister's Award reflects the importance of using planning to communicate a strategic vision. Encouraging integrated urban design that leverages off our record investment in public transport is one of the key outcomes sought by the State Government's 30-Year Plan for Greater Adelaide.

Minister's Award is given to the overall winner of the South Australian Awards for Planning Excellence. This Award is judged by the South Australian Minister for Urban Development and Planning.



Urban Planning Achievement

The Commendation was awarded to Jensen Planning + Design for the Prospect Master Plans.

The judges considered that the entry was a professional and solid set of plans that reflects the high standards of the planning profession in day-to-day planning practice in South Australia.

Brecknock Consulting contributed to the research, consultation and the development of concepts for the integration of public art into both the Churchill Road and Prospect Road master plans. We are currently working with the City of Prospect and the Jensen Planning and Design team on the commissioning of artists for both roads as part of the implementation phase.

We have had a long working association with both Hassell and Jensen Planning and Design and congratulate them on their awards. We are also proud to have been a team member of both these projects and to have had the opportunity to make our contribution to these award winning plans.

As we head into the 'silly season' we hope you all have a safe and enjoyable break and great start to 2011.

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