

Civic spaces are roads or streets where people can relax and move freely. There is usually street furniture and other amenities to encourage and support people to linger and spend time in these spaces. There are very high numbers of pedestrians moving around and through the space while there is little or no through movement for motor vehicles.

Safe and appropriate speeds for civic spaces

Civic spaces are typically designed as shared space environments and have low speed limits to reinforce the mixing of different modes. People spending time in these spaces are usually given priority over vehicle movement, and the safe and appropriate speed for these streets is set at 10km/h.

