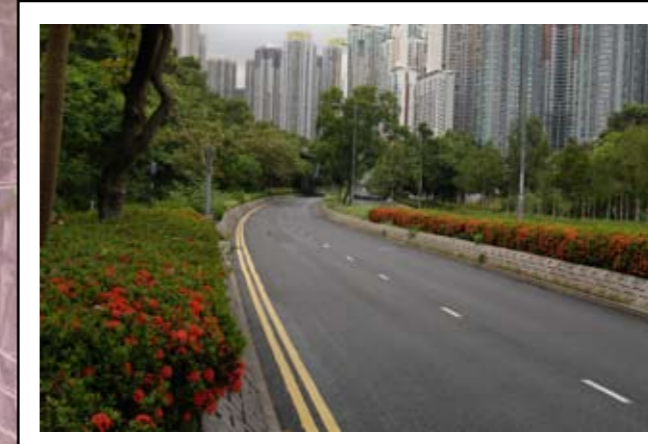


Environmental Awards

Improve the living standard of our community is our mission.



Environmental Awards

In 2007, we continued to encourage our contractors to participate in territory-wide environmental campaign and award schemes. In 2007, our construction sites were presented with two Outstanding Environmental Management and Performance Grand Awards (OEMPGA) and four Considerate Contractors Site Awards (CCSA) which were organized by the then Environment, Transport and Works Bureau (ETWB) to recognize construction sites with good site safety and environmental performance, and considerate attitude towards the neighbourhood and the public in carrying out the works.



Medal for OEMPGA Gold Award – Route 8 - Eagle's Nest Tunnel and Associated Works



Medal for CCSA Silver Award – Reconstruction of Causeway Bay Flyover and Associated Widening of Victoria Park Road

Hong Kong Flower Show 2007 – Grand Award for Unique Feature (Landscape Display)

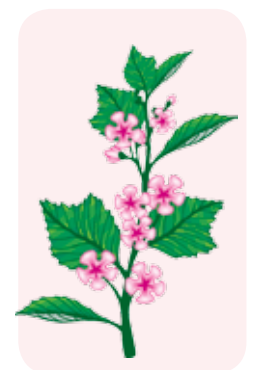
With the support of the department, we have won the Grand Award for Unique Feature (Landscape Display), which is the highest standing of the unique feature group.



To echo with the theme of the Hong Kong Flower Show 2007, 'Spring Blossoms for Celebration', the design has adopted the same concept, which is to celebrate the milestone achievement of Highways Department in the past decade.

Floating on the flowerbed is a pathway formed by 10 stepping-stones separated by silver pebbles. The path has a straight edge with seating benches on one side and an open curving edge facing the flowerbed on the other. This signifies our strong commitment to provide fast and comfortable transport network while allowing a flexible and open approach.

Along the pathway is a series of display panels with our key projects of the past decade set in a chronological order. Standing amongst the flowerbed are 10 stainless steel features with mirror-finish to reflect the surrounding landscape. This symbolizes our effort to integrate every project into the environment in a harmonious manner. At the end of the path is a raised platform signifying our elevated missions for the years ahead including our commitment to environmental protection. The platform is constructed with paving blocks produced from construction waste (recycled aggregate).



The focus of the display is a 4m high bridge (a replica of the cable-stayed bridge with inclined-tower at Hong Kong–Shenzhen Western Corridor) set in a flowering sea spanning between the 2 levels. This reflects our on-going mission to expand the cross-boundary transport facilities between Hong Kong and the Pearl River Delta region for the sake of their continuous prosperity. On top of the colourful theme flowers, silver colour is repeated in both the hardworks and the floral display to reinforce the mood of celebration.