

## **Environmental Awards**

**Respect** - *careful selection of species to suit various locations such as ecological fish ponds*

**Recognition** - *the Development Bureau recognizes our construction sites with good site safety and environmental performance*

**Reaffirmation** - *Highways Department determines to tackle new challenges and to develop the best road and rail infrastructure in Hong Kong with the same spirit of Beijing Olympics*

## The Best Landscape Award 2008 – Grand Award for Deep Bay Link

Deep Bay Link received the Grand Award of Excellence under the public projects category and a Gold Award in The Best Landscape Award 2008, which was organised by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department and co-organised by the Home Affairs Department, the Buildings Department, the Hong Kong Institute of Architects, the Hong Kong Institute of Landscape Architects, the Institute of Horticulture (Hong Kong), the Hong Kong Institute of Surveyors, the Professional Green Building Council, and the Hong Kong Association of Property Management Companies. The Best Landscape Award is organised every two years and 315 entries were received in the event.



*Planting underneath viaduct*



*Planting adjacent to rural settlement*



*Planting for slope greening*



*Planting adjacent to ecological fish pond*

Deep Bay Link is a dual 3-lane carriageway with a total length of about 5.4Km, extending from Ngau Hom Shek in the north near the shoreline to Lam Tei in the south. The majority of the Deep Bay Link is in the form of viaduct. Special planting was carried out en-route and species were carefully selected to suit various locations such as underneath viaduct, adjacent to rural settlement and ecological fish ponds, on slopes, earth mound, planting areas adjacent to noise barrier, along transport corridor and at green nodes. It is our honor that the good greening work of this project was affirmed by the jury and the public. We anticipate that our projects will keep providing quality greening and environment in associate with our road works.



*Planting adjacent to noise barrier*



*Planting to green transport corridor*

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Planting at green node



Public Projects – Grand Award of Excellence (Soft Landscape Design Award)



Newspaper cutting from Ming Po

**Outstanding Environmental Management and Performance Grand Award (OEMPGA) and Considerate Contractors Site Awards (CCSA)**

In 2008, our construction sites were presented with one Outstanding Environmental Management and Performance Grand Award (OEMPGA) and four Considerate Contractors Site Awards (CCSA). The Award Scheme was organized by the Development Bureau to recognize construction sites with good site safety and environmental performance, and considerate attitude towards the neighbourhood and the public.



Presentation of medal for OEMPGA Silver Award – Highways Department Term Management Contract (Maintenance of High Speed Roads in New Territories West and Kowloon 2004-2008)



Display board for Highways Department Term Management Contract (Maintenance of High Speed Roads in New Territories West and Kowloon 2004-2008)

## Hong Kong Flower Show 2008 – Grand Award for Unique Feature (Landscape Display)

With the support of the management, 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 2008, “Beijing Olympics”, our design has adopted the same concept, which is “Highways for Olympics”. Vibrant blossoms weave into road and rail geometry throughout the HKSAR territory. This signifies our strong commitment to provide fast and comfortable transport network while allowing a flexible and open approach. The focus of the display is a 5m high bridge structure and carriageway scene through rural (informal) to urban (formal) settings by a flowering sea. This reflects our roads and rails networks over the territory. A directional sign in the centre of the bridge showing the way to the Hong Kong Equestrian and Beijing Olympic Events reinforces the mood of celebration. Trees and flowers are planted in planters with bench and lamp posts installed with hanging flower pots. This symbolizes our effort to enhance the streetscape. A series of display panels with our key projects newly completed, under construction and under planning stage are shown along the pathway. This demonstrates Highways Department’s determination to tackle new challenges and develop the best road and rail infrastructure in Hong Kong with the same spirit of Beijing Olympics.



*Prize Presentation*



*Flower display*



*Display shows design theme “Highways for Olympics”*