**Greenway** 

## Design and brand guidelines

A visual rulebook for the Greenway brand

#### Greenway

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# O1 Brand overview

The rationale behind the brand mark and associated imagery.

The brand mark concept Greenway imagery

# Definition of a Greenway

A Greenway is a recreational or pedestrian corridor exclusively for non-motorised journeys, developed in an integrated manner which enhances both the environment and quality of life of the surrounding area. These routes should meet satisfactory standards of width, gradient and surface condition to ensure that they are both user-friendly and low-risk for users of all abilities.

### The brand mark concept The Green "Way"

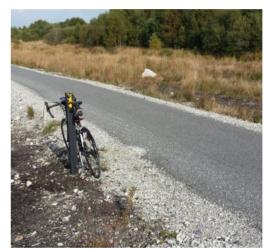
This brand mark focuses on, in a visually exact sense, the green "way'. The word 'way' is more symbolically powerful than any other trail or path word signifier. Way showers are spiritually significant in many religions and the word 'way' has more idioms attached to it than almost any other word. This logo takes the 'way' and uses it to literally slice a

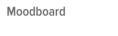
passage through the block of green colour. The curvature at the top represents the topography and variety of land around the Greenway. It has been designed in such a fashion that it works alongside the Blueway logo reflecting their similarities while also emphasising their differences.

### **Greenway** imagery









Visual representation of the emotion and style the brand reflects.







## 02 Brand application

The Greenway brand mark needs to be a strong representative of the brand regardless of the circumstances of its usage. Here are guidelines for its use in various backgrounds and places.

Greenway brand mark Greenway naming conventions Application on background

### **Greenway brand mark**

(for use within Ireland)

### **Greenways Ireland brand mark**

(for use internationally)





### **Greenway brand mark**



### **Greenway logo types**

#### Individual trail logo vs overarching logo

The identifying Greenway route name is an important part of the logo. The name should be in Amsi Pro font.

In cases when collateral is multi-use, or represents entire brand, the overarching mark is relevant.

#### **Greenway trail logo**



Name of the Greenway

#### Overarching logo



Use Greenway mark for overarching brand

Greenway trail logo for multiple words



Name of the Greenway

### **Greenway logo application**



### Application on background and reverse logo

Here are three examples as to how the logo should be applied to a white and in reverse format on a coloured background. On a white background the standard logo should be used. On a coloured background the logo should always be white.

# O3 Clear space & minimum size

These guidelines aim to maximise visibility even in the smallest of spaces, including across digital, mapboards, print and other communications.

Clear space Minimum size Logo construction

### Clear space

A clear space all round the brand mark ensures clear visibility and maintains its integrity amongst other brands.



### Minimum size

In order for the brand mark to be clearly legible in print or digital applications, it should never appear smaller than its minimum size of 13mm.

Overarching logo



13mm

Greenway trail logo



13mm

Greenway trail logo for multiple words

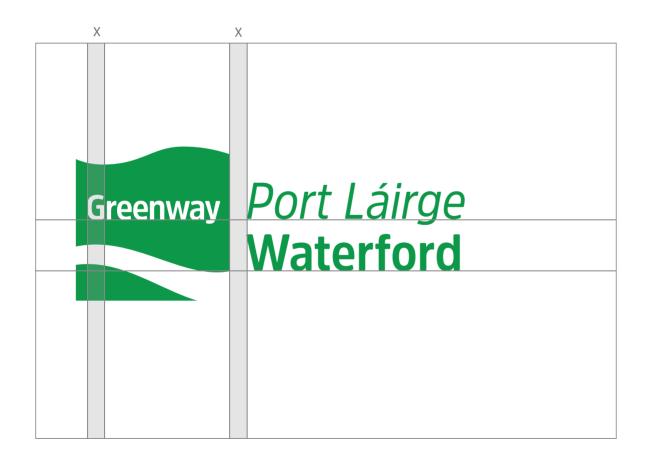


13mm

### **Logo construction**

The logo is built from a square shape. Using the Rule of Thirds, this grid's overlapping circular configurations create a focus on the most important elements of the logo.

The distance between square and first letter of the text is equivalent to width of letter 'G' in Greenway. This space is denoted by 'X' below.



First line of text aligned to bottom of 'Greenway'

Second line of text aligned to the trail

X = width of letter 'G' in Greenway

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## **04** Social media

How to use Greenway brand on social media.

Facebook and Twitter Instagram

### Social: Facebook and Twitter (Square)





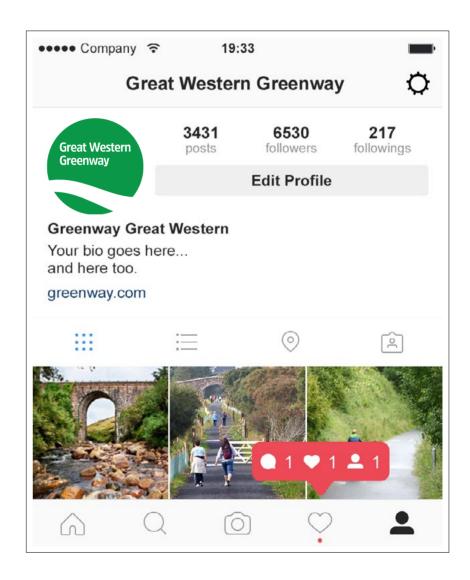
Greenway-specific logo for use as Facebook and Twitter profile picture. When incorporating the Greenway name, reduce font size accordingly.



### **Social: Instagram (Circular)**

Greenway-specific logo for use as Instagram profile picture. When incorporating the Greenway name, reduce font size accordingly. The profile picture for Instagram should use full bleed green at the top of the image.





# **05** Typography & text hierarchy

Several fonts have been chosen that reflect the Greenway brand personality.

Primary font Secondary font Web font Signage font

#### **Primary font (used for Greenway title)**

#### The font

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A bold sans serif condensed font has been selected that is both web and print friendly. There are a variety of weights in this font

family that can be used for varying purposes in maps and other communications.

Primary font Amsi Pro Bold

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Type examples Amsi Pro

Glyphs

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### Secondary font (used for section titles and body text)

#### The font

This font has a warmth and readability that result from the humanistic treatment of letter proportions and design detail. It has a variety of weights in its family and is available across most design platforms. An italic form of this font is used for the trail names.

MYRIAD PRO

Secondary font Myriad Pro

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Bold

ABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRSTUVWXYZ abcdefghijklmnopqrstuvwxyz

Italic

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0 Numbers

Type examples Myriad Pro

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#### Web font (for online use)

The font

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Arial has been selected as the font to be used for websites and apps. It's similar in appearance to Myriad and Amsi Pro

and provides maximum compatibility across all versions of web browsers.

Glyphs

Web font



### Signage font (used for on-road directional signage)

The font

Transport New Heavy is the recommended font for use on all on-road signage. This font is consistent with the guidelines provided by Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport

(DTTAS). Regular and italic versions of the font should be used as per section 8 of these quidleines.

### TRANSPORT NEW HEAVY

Signage Font

a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

Regular

A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z a b c d e f g h i j k l m n o p q r s t u v w x y z

Italic

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 0

Numbers

Type examples
Transport

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## 06 Colours

A variety of colours and icons have been chosen that reflect the Greenway brand.

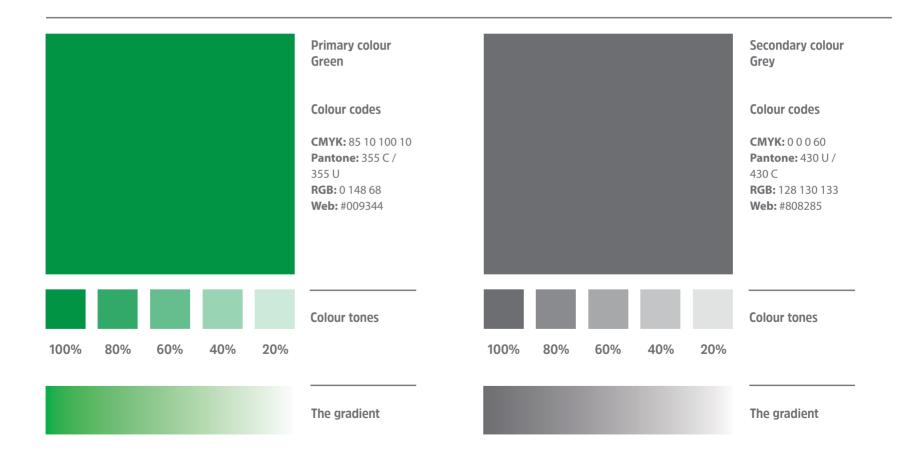
Colour system
Design elements

### **Colour system**

#### **Explanation**

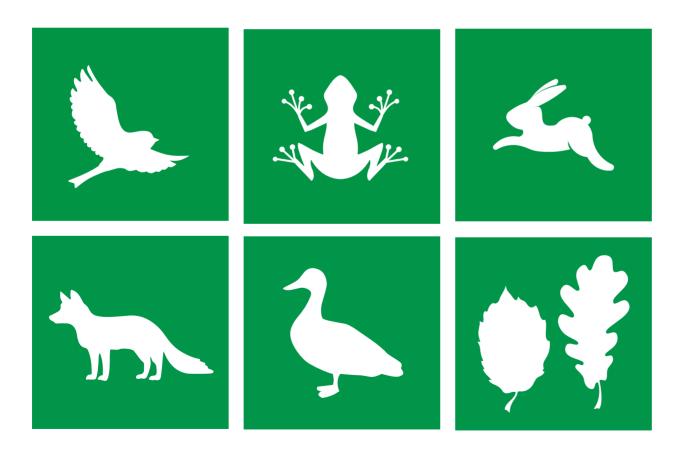
Greenway has two official colours: green and grey. These colours have become a recognisable identity for the brand.

This is the dominant colour palette for all internal and external visible communications concerning the brand mark.



### **Design elements**

A variety of illustrations have been developed to reflect the wildlife of the Greenway. These can be used in various communication and design assets as design flourishes.



## 07 Mockups

Samples of collateral that can be developed using the branding and its elements and symbols.

**Greenway mockups** 

### Greenway mockups

Here are some examples of how the brand mark can be used across a variety of brand assets





## 08 Signage

The Greenway brand mark will be used across a variety of maps, signage and map boards. This section will address suggested usage.

Advance directional signage
On-road directional signage
Off-road (on-trail) directional signage
Trail head welcome signage
Signage locations
Map board

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### Advance directional signs

w (variable) x h (variable)



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w (variable) x h (variable)











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### On-road directional signage

w (variable) x h (variable)

Example of on-road signage used where a cycle route leaves a road and joins a greenway, or vice versa. When joining a greenway show the end destination of the greenway and distance on this sign. Also, include the greenway symbol indicating that the cycle route is now joining a greenway. If applicable include route number.

If part of a EuroVelo route the EuroVelo symbol is used. Pointing the opposite way along the road section, show the end destination of the cycle route and next destination. (See Appendix 1 – section 4.12 from Traffic Signs Manual for more details)



#### 200mm x 'H' mm



90mm x 90mm (use on waymarking posts)









(DIRECTION ARROW MOUNTED UNDER GREENWAY LOGO)

200mm x 400mm



### Off-road (on-trail) directional signage

200mm x 200mm (larger waymarking signs)







(DIRECTION ARROW MOUNTED UNDER GREENWAY LOGO)



200mm x 600mm

Waymarking with EuroVelo logo (EUROVELO LOGO MOUNTED UNDER GREENWAY LOGO AND ARROW)

### Trail head welcome signs

w 1730mm x h 595mm







### Sign type per location

Map denoting correct situation of on-road and welcome sign types



### **Incorrect usage**

Example of incorrect signage



On coloured background, Greenway logo should be reversed in white



Greenway logo must always use:

**CMYK:** 85 10 100 10 **Pantone:** 355 C / 355 U

The logo should never have a border

### Greenway map board

These are the rules for design of Greenway maps; the use of colour and grouping of information.

Naming System Logo + Title + Route Name (start & finish)

Main Copy



Route Indication



A green line should be used to indicate the route.

Trail Information

Map Legend Alphabetical Order + Logos

## 09 Map legend

The icons used for Greenway maps.



Cafe/ Restaurant



Parking



Telephone



Camping



Picnic Area



Tennis



Fresh Water



Public House



Toilets



Historical building/ruins



Shop



Train Station



Hotel



Shower



Wheelchair Accessible



Info



Swimming Pool



Warning

## 10 Irish language

Greenway Irish language policy.

## Greenway Irish language policy

Irish Language Act 2003

Every public body named under the Act has a statutory duty to comply with the Regulations made by the Minister for Arts, Heritage and Gaeltacht under section 9(1) of the Act.

In accordance with the regulations, public bodies have a duty to ensure that their signage is provided in Irish or bilingually as set out under the regulations.

All Greenway signage must be fully compliant with Official Languages Act 2003. If it is not possible to include both Irish and English on the same sign (e.g. map board), a second sign must be situated alongside with equal visual prominence.