

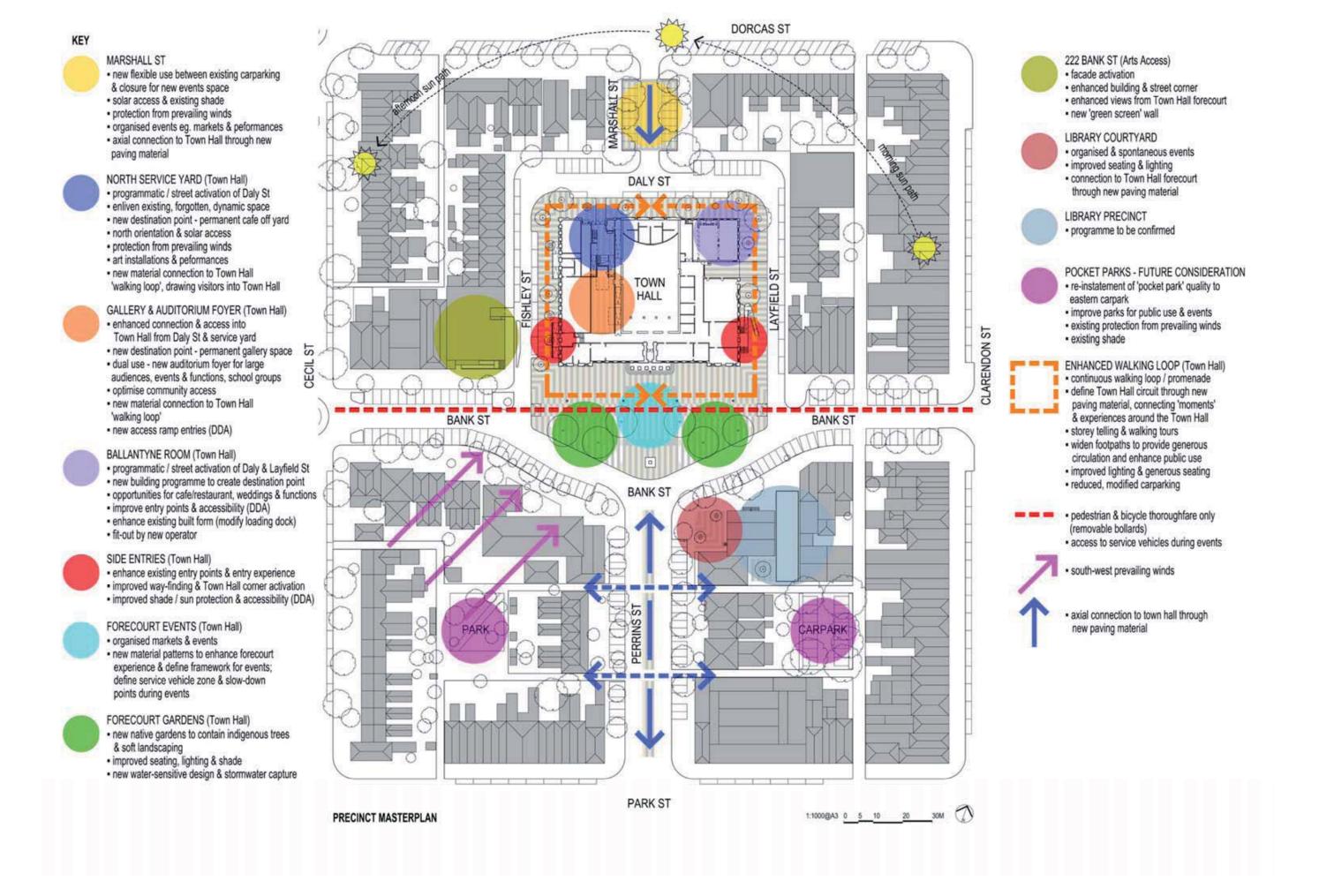
Part 3 of 4 Emerald Hill Precinct Concept Masterplan

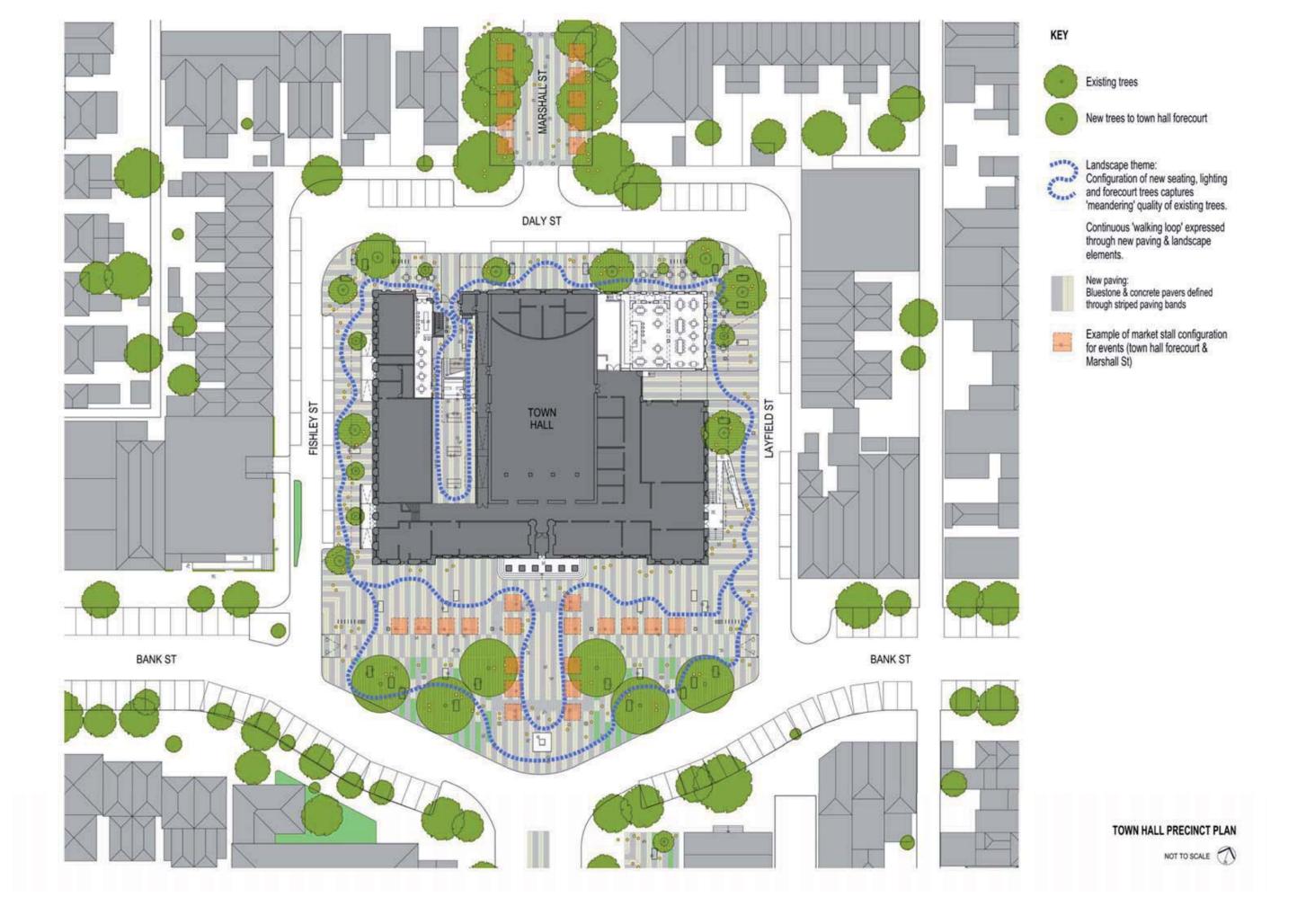
The Emerald Hill Precinct masterplan seeks to establish a range of multi-functional spaces within and around the South Melbourne Town Hall. Taking advantage of existing community, civic and arts functions within the area, the masterplan proposes a series of urban design improvements to draw pedestrians, provide local residents with adaptable public spaces and allow for a complementary activity to occur such as events, market stalls, exhibitions and others.

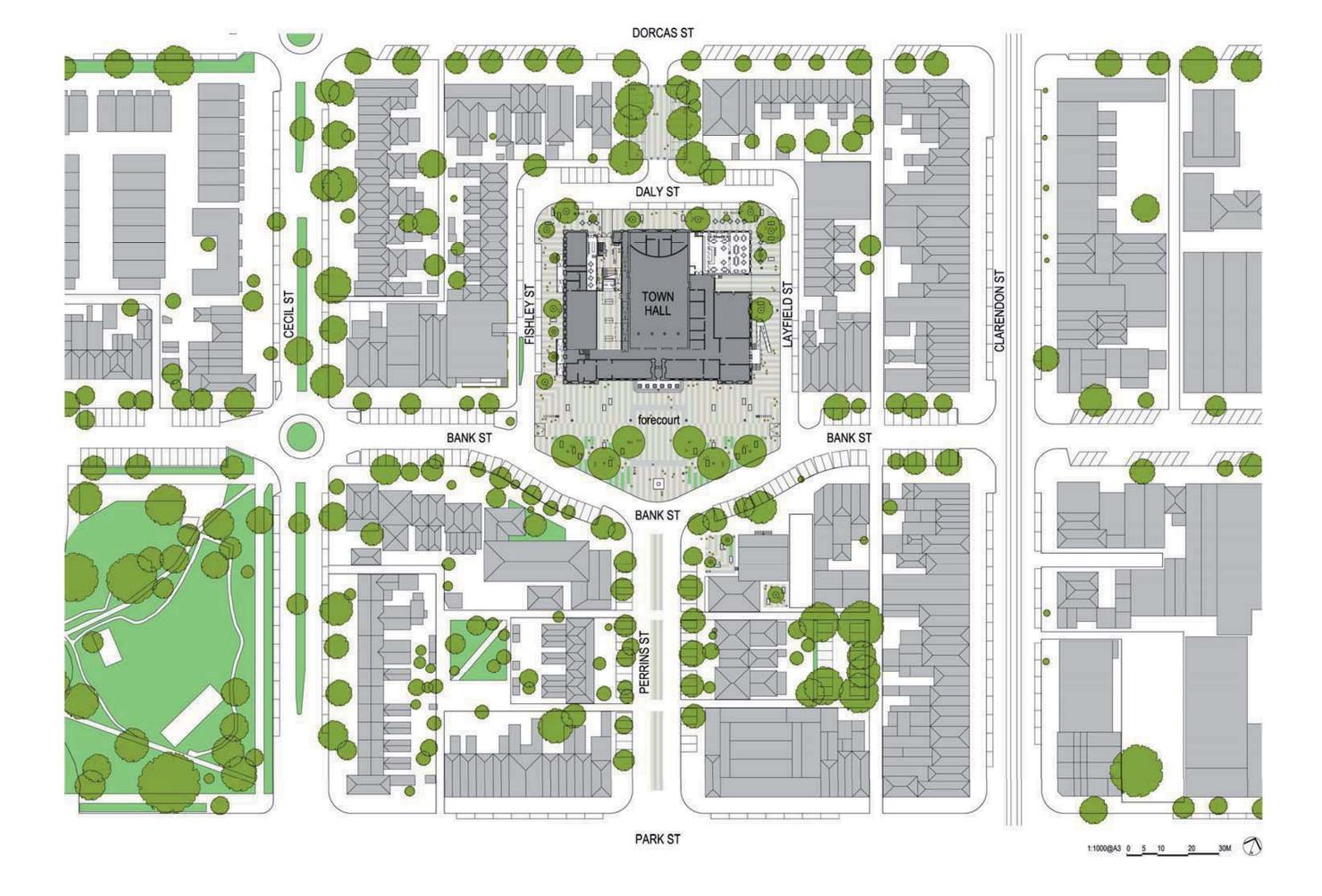
The overall masterplan concept is to reinstate a pedestrian focussed threshold around the Town Hall. Overtime, inactive building edges will be transformed to support street life and provide an engaging experience to the public realm.

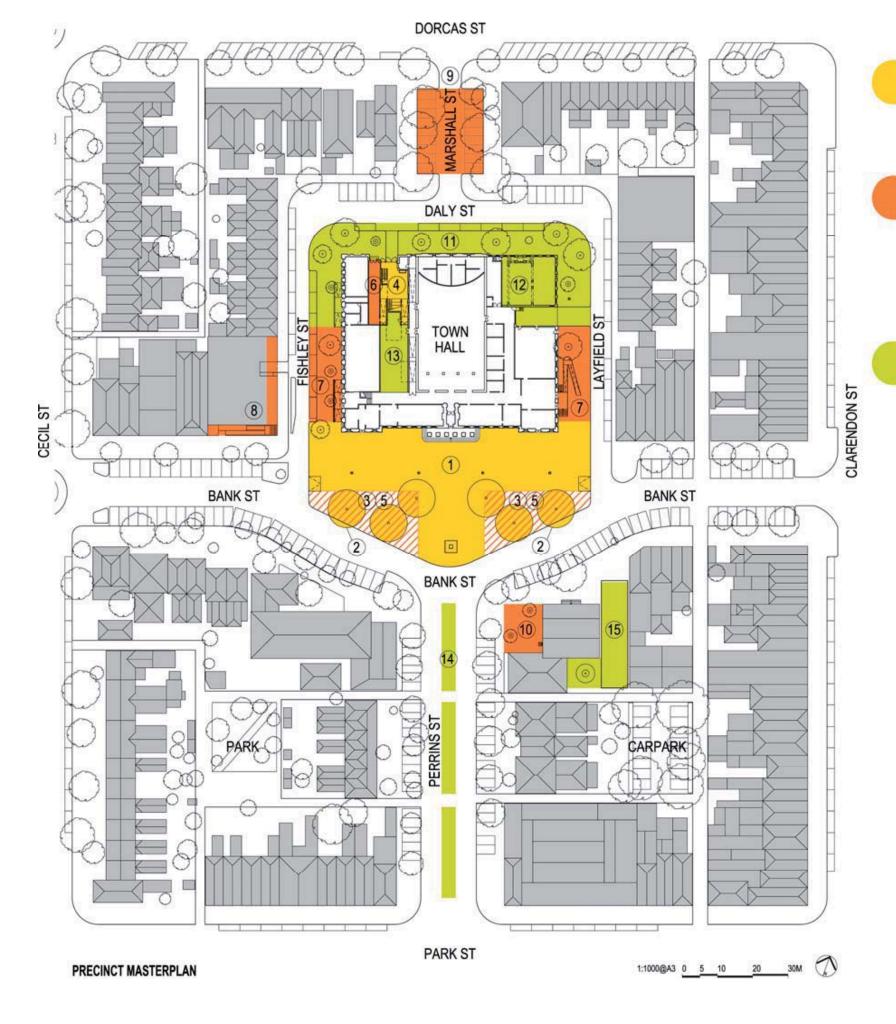
The proposed urban design improvement projects will need to be staged (subject to existing Council commitments, funding, further consultation processes etc). However, there are a few key priority moves that could significantly transform the precinct in the shorter term including the upgrading of the Town Hall forecourt.











KEY

PRIORITY 1 - SHORT TERM

- 1. Forecourt New paving & landscape works
- 2. Forecourt New native trees
- Forecourt Temporary granitic sand to future native garden triangles
 North service yard modifications

PRIORITY 2 - MEDIUM TERM

- 5. Forecourt Completion of new native garden triangles including paving, soft landscaping, lighting, seats, mist garden, & rainwater capture

 6. New Cafe - Alterations to existing interior

 7. Side entry modifications & pavement

- 8. 222 Bank St New building facade
- 9. Marshall St New landscape works
- 10. Library forecourt New paving & landscape works

PRIORITY 3 - LONG TERM

- 11. New paving & landscape works
- Ballantyne Room Programme to be confirmed
 New gallery & auditorium foyer -
- Alterations to existing interior
- 14. New paving axis
- 15. Library precinct Programme to be confirmed