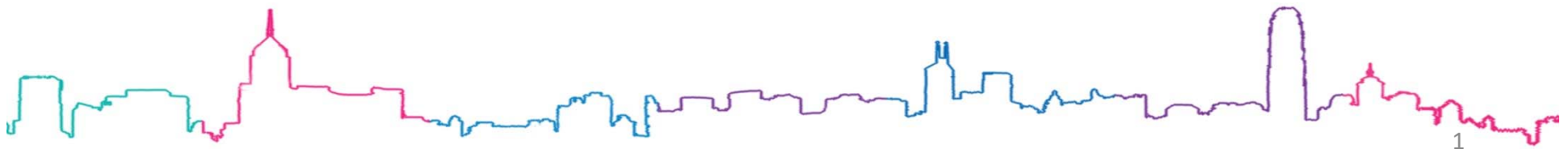


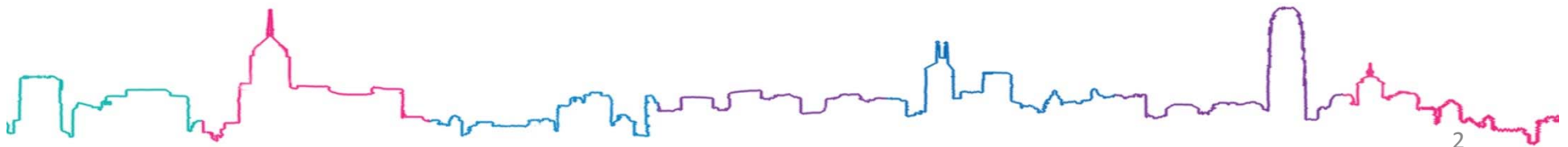
Discussion of the Coastal Affairs Committee of the Tsuen Wan District Council on 6 May 2016

Harbour Unit
2 June 2016



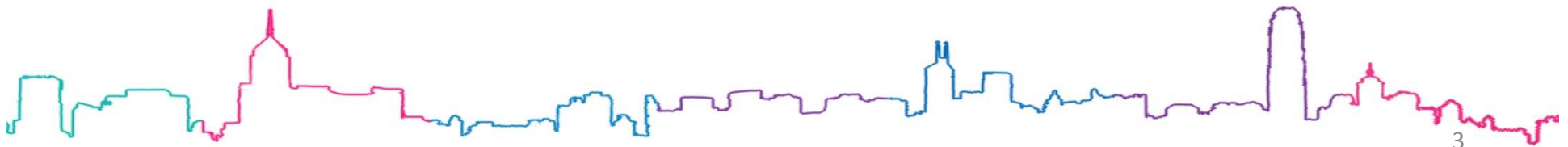
Background

- Coastal Affairs Committee (CAC) of the Tsuen Wan District Council (TWDC) issued invitation to the Development Bureau (DEVB) and the Harbourfront Commission (HC) on 28 April 2016
- Submission from four TWDC members on developing a waterfront promenade from Tsuen Wan West MTR station to Tai Lam



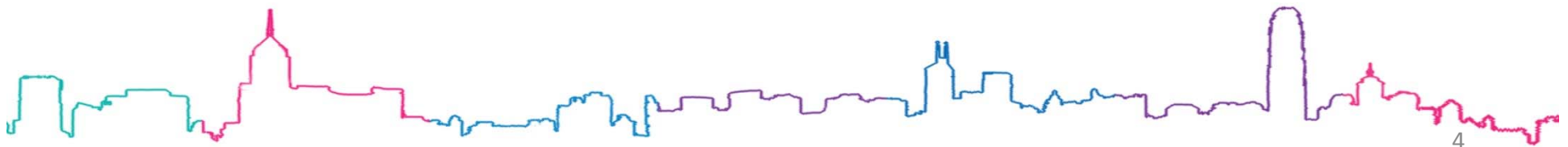
Background (continued)

- TWDC Members' views were circulated to Task Force Members
- DEVB and relevant departments attended the meeting and agreed to report back to the Task Force afterwards
- Minutes of the meeting not available yet



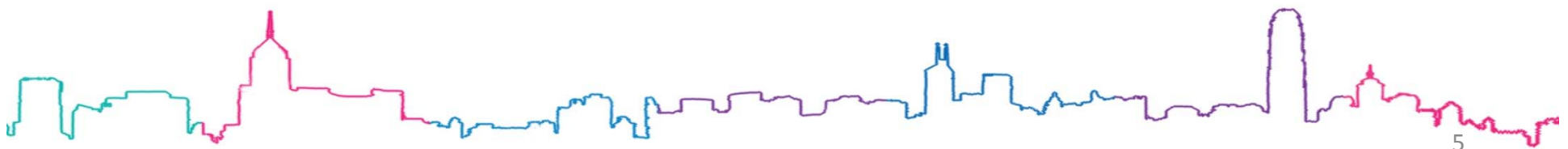
CAC's Views

- Lack of progress in constructing the continuous cycle track from Tsuen Wan to Tuen Mun, which puts on hold the implementation of many ideas
- A comprehensive plan for harbourfront enhancement of the Tsuen Wan waterfront should be developed



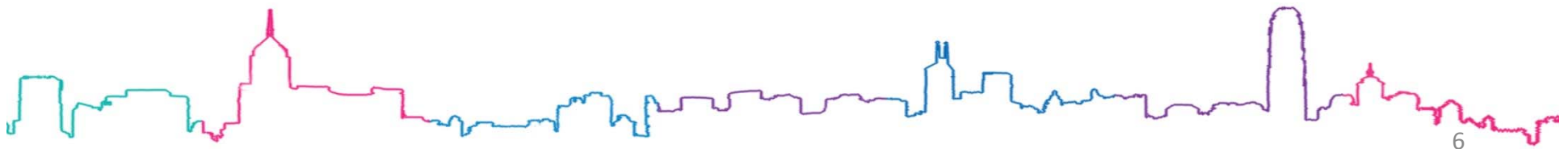
CAC's Views (continued)

- Some quick-win projects could be considered to add vibrancy and attractiveness to the waterfront
- Some existing pedestrian walkway can be upgraded to become waterfront park to be managed by LCSD
- The current mechanism to let out sites for organizing events is too cumbersome and rigid
- Others



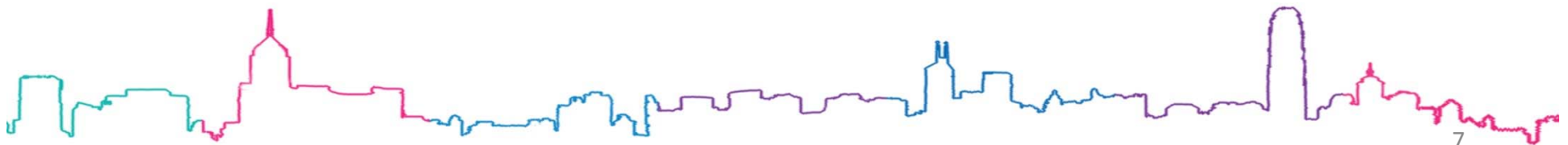
Harbour Unit's Initial Response

- Currently, the Tsuen Wan waterfront is already accessible to many of its local residents
- Since the site and its neighbouring areas are already developed and being properly used, an overall urban design study may not be an appropriate/useful way forward



Harbour Unit's Initial Response (continued)

- DEVB would be happy to work with TWDC in coordinating departments and discussing possible short and long-term initiatives having regard to actual circumstances of individual sites on a case-by-case basis.
- TWDC could advise the Government further on –
 - the aspirations of local residents and the agreed positioning of individual parts along the waterfront, and
 - any concrete “quick-win” proposals for individual sites



Thank You

