

The Tyne Estuary Steering Group were looking for ideas on how to address their challenge of transforming the Newcastle Quayside into a green hub.

SEL entered a proposal and all applications to Rob Carr at Environment Agency. The Tyne Estuary Partnership/ EA were responsible for reviewing applications.

After impressing at the application stage, Fairhurst and SEL Environmental Ltd were invited to present their 3D visualisations for a greener Tyne Estuary at the Environment Agency's Tyneside House and were declared joint winners.



Reflecting on the day, Lisa Stephenson, Business Development Manager at Groundwork NE and Cumbria said, 'Both presentations were really interesting and very different in their approach. They can definitely bring new things to the Partnership.

Fairhurst were strong on the policy, master planning and the overview side of the project, and SEL Environmental brought new technologies that we would have never considered before. These are exciting times ahead with the potential of working with both companies moving forward.'

Stephen Patterson, Director of Communications at Newcastle NE1 BID said, 'Both shortlisted submissions were absolutely fantastic showing the scale of opportunities but also the challenges presented. Both teams brought ideas that we had not encountered before'.

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