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## RENNIE ESTATE, KEEPMOAT

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### BIODIVERSITY ENHANCEMENT OVERVIEW

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As part of this initiative Keepmoat involved the local community to help improve the environment by creating a communal garden onsite for the residents to enjoy. Residents came down to plant flowers and vegetables that have been maintained by them since.

Keepmoat sectioned an area off on the Rennie Estate site to turn this into a garden for the residents.

Then then installed 6 raised planters built from sleepers. Laid a fantastic gravel floor and put a nice fence around the outside to keep the residents contained during delivers etc.

They also cut out sections of the hoarding to create a viewing area for the residents. This viewing area was painted by the residents (flower theme) on a planting day to spruce it up a bit.

This project has created a lovely garden for residents who live in tower blocks to enjoy. This has also given them a chance to grow their own vegetables. At a further stage we will also have a water butt installed for watering

### Fact box

**Company name:**

Keepmoat

**Project name:**

Rennie Estate

**Location:**

Southwark, London

**Biodiversity enhancement:**

Communal garden

**Size:**

6 raised planters

**Cost:**

Approx. £400

**Tips:**

N/A

**Year completed:**

2014

### Categories:

- Small scale permanent