



Already during the construction of the project, inhabitants and other interested people were invited to explore this new space. They were introduced to the new public space and involved during the process of building and decision making.



The new city bridge the Oversteek was one of the first elements that was finished. It's location and name were inspired by the cross over of allied forces during the liberation in the Second World War. The bridge is now a favourite among runners and cyclists.



Along the bypass of the river an urban quay is designed that is already being used by the inhabitants of Nijmegen. Due to the beautiful pieces of wood that land ashore here a new phenomenon of urban beachcombing is originating.



The quay is designed in such a way that it can be used as a modern day amphitheatre. Artists can perform using the water as a stage and the quay as the stand.



The bypass of the river will be the location for several different sorts of un motorized boats and watersports. Due to its location several local watersport centres have already applied to make use of the newly constructed river arm.



The Lentloper is the bridge that connects the island with the northern side of the city. It has different levels creating a safe passing for pedestrians and cyclists. The bridge is not just a connection between two sides of the bypass but also a place to meet and enjoy the scenic view.



By creating a connection in the shape of a bridge between the city centre and the natural reserve area in the east the amount of visitors to this area increased extremely. Hikers gratefully make use of the bridge and the beaches along the river are loaded with people enjoying the water during summers.



To enforce the introduction of the new urban river park the municipality cooperates with several different groups that organize festivals and other events for all ages among the river at the new public spaces.