REMODELLING OF THE STREETS IN THE CENTRAL SHOPPING DISTRICT

SANTA COLOMA DE GRAMENET

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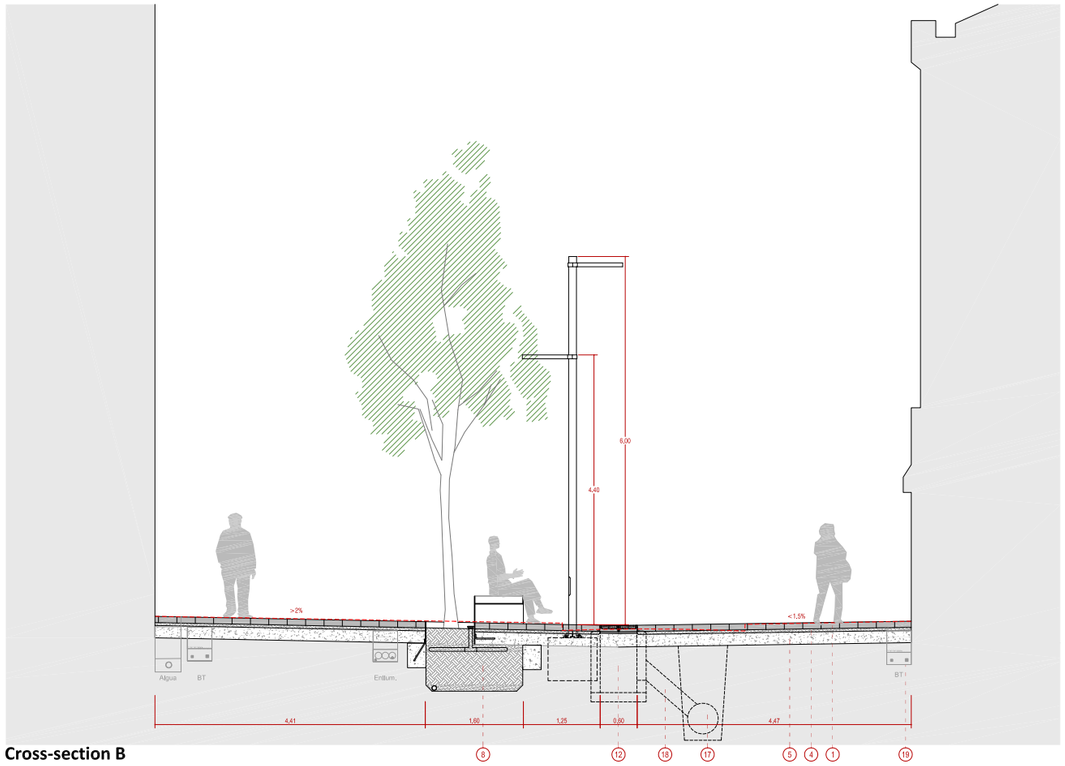
ASSESSMENT

The solutions outlined for remodelling have qualified the streets with the characterisation of the pavement, lighting and urban furniture. The organisation of all these items and the unification of solutions and materials have led to creating a space for human relations, interactions and business that goes beyond that of simply moving from one place to another.

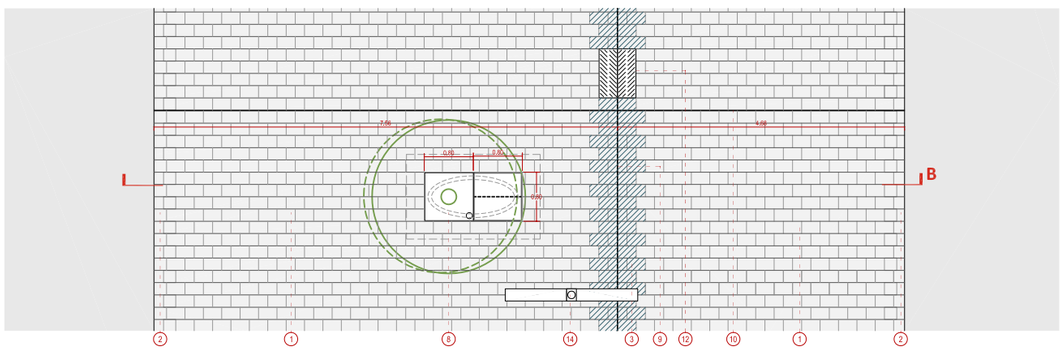
Neighbours and merchants participated in the entire process. Although they were somewhat distrustful of the mobility changes at first, a final harmony was obtained between the different speeds, including with public transport. The improved accessibility and quality of this urban space has motivated gradual work to also start improving private spaces.

Even in the Plaça Manelic, the sculpture of the character from J.M. de Sagarra's theatre work, which gives the square its name, has become a meeting point near the figure of the shepherd who came down to the 'lowlands'.

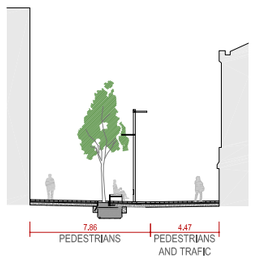
View prior to the intervention

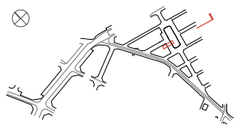


Cross-section B



1. Prefabricated paving stone VS-5, 20x30x10 cm
2. Prefabricated paving stone VS-5, 20x30x10 cm cutted according to the pavement limit
3. Prefabricated paving stone VS-5, 20x30x10 cm laid in a mortar setting bed
4. Gravel layer, 5 cm
5. Concrete slab, 20 cm
6. Concrete base
7. Tree pit C, 1.40x0.8 m
8. Tree pit D, 1.60x0.8m
9. Pavement joint, 8 mm
10. Metal sheet,1 mm as pavement joint
11. Prefabricated gutter,30x70x100 cm
12. Double gutter, 60x70x100 cm
13. Streetlamp Rama LED, 6m
14. Streetlamp Rama LED double, 6m + 4.5m
15. Wall Streetlamp Rama LED
16. Existing sewerage network system
17. New sewerage network system
18. Connection to the sewerage network
19. Existing facilities





View of plaça Ferran Sagarra after the intervention

2 m

PLAÇA FERRAN SAGARRA