

# **HIEDANRANTA FUTURE CITY AS NBS PLATFORM**

Transforming Cities, Enhancing Well Being: Innovating with Nature – Based Solutions, A Coruna



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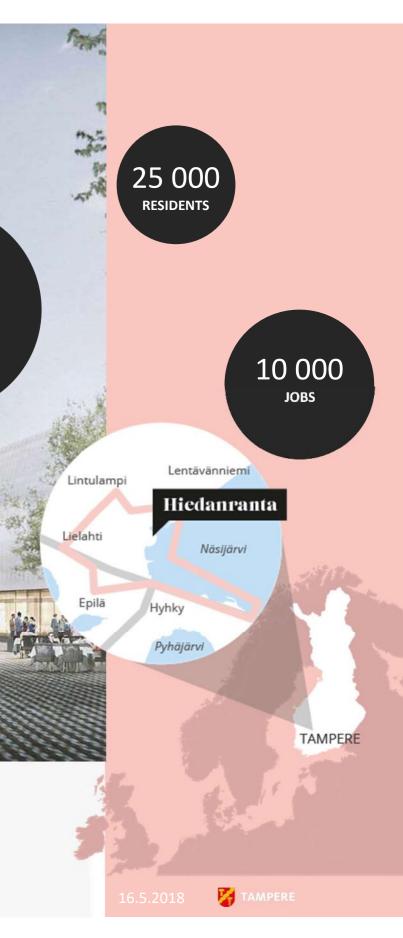




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Platform for circular economy experiments

Platform for NBS experime nts



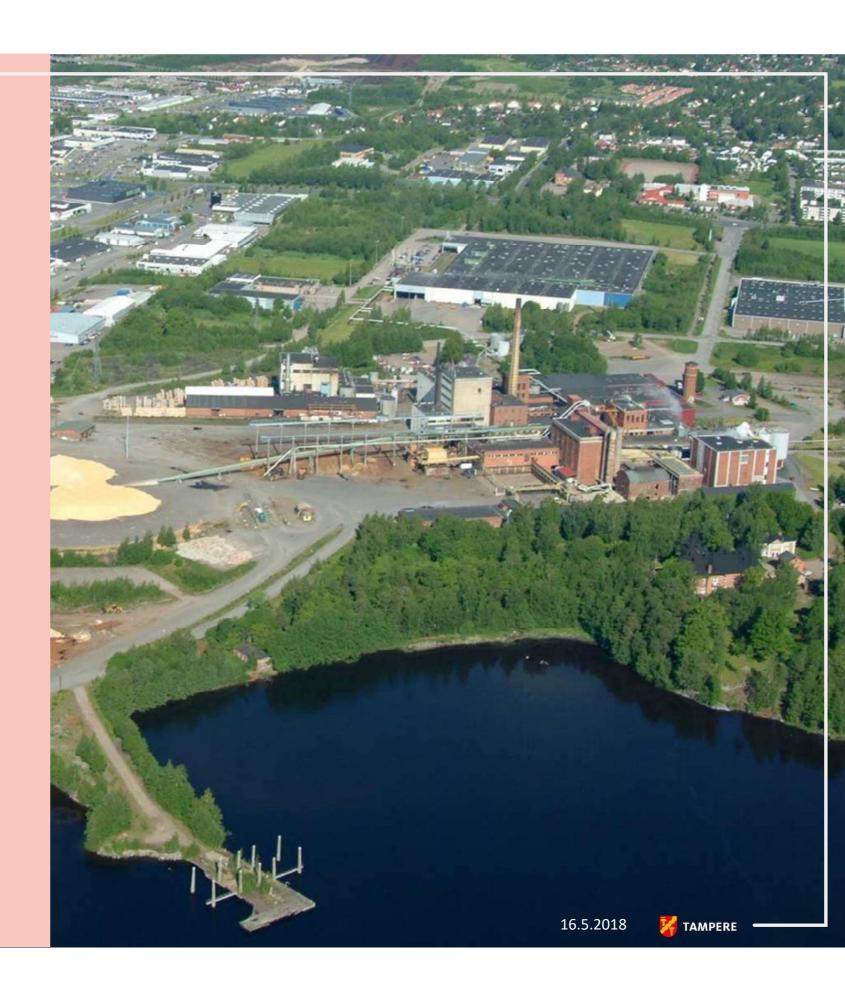
- Hiedanranta is the smart and sustainable centre of Western Tampere, where new ideas, pilots and urban culture flourish.
- The future city district will be located a convenient tramway ride away from the city center.
- Hiedanranta is one of the few city's development programmes which are based on the Tampere City Strategy. They are steered by the City Board.
- A revolutionary shift in urbanisation. Solutions that will carry into exports.



### STARTING SITUATION IN THE PLANNING AREA

#### LAND AREA AND BUILDINGS

- Land area of 115 hectares
- 50 buildings on city-owned and 53 on privately owned land
- Historically valuable buildings, but also condemned, rundown industrial buildings
- Grocery and specialised trade premises, two operating industrial facilities
- Premises in the factory area currently in temporary use



### STARTING SITUATION IN THE PLANNING AREA

### **TRACES OF INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITIES**

- > 1.5 million m3 of waste fibre in Lake Näsijärvi
- Contaminated soil in the land area: e.g. iron pyrite, metal-bearing soil
- > Sunken logs at the bottom of Lake Näsijärvi
- > A closed and partially landscaped landfill
- Not included in the municipal engineering system

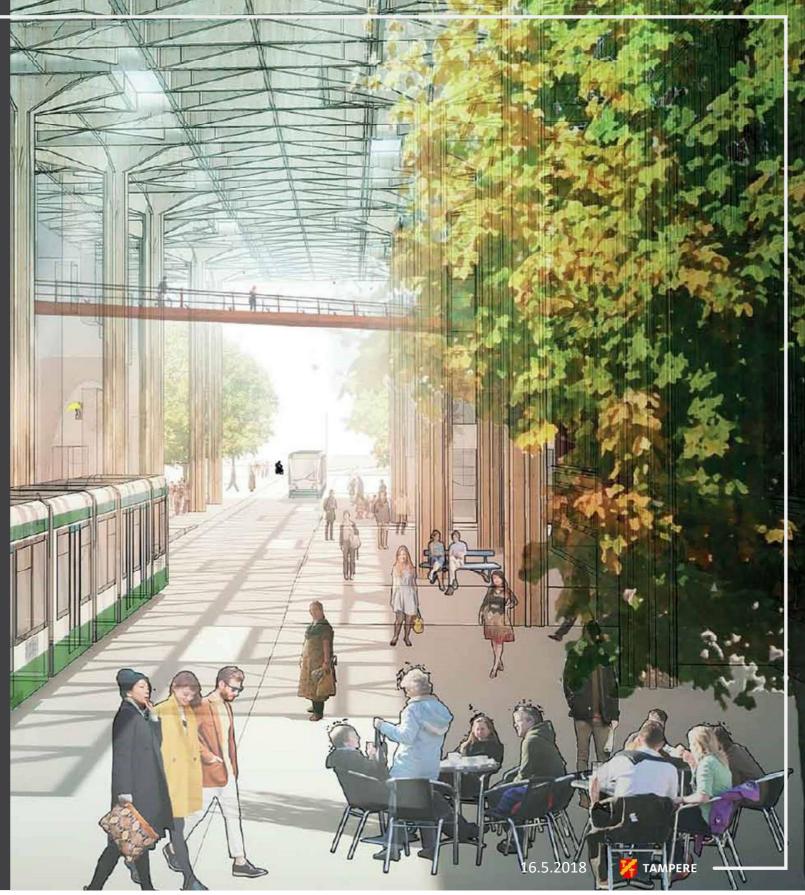
#### GROUNDWATER

Partially located within the Epilänharju-Villilä groundwater area



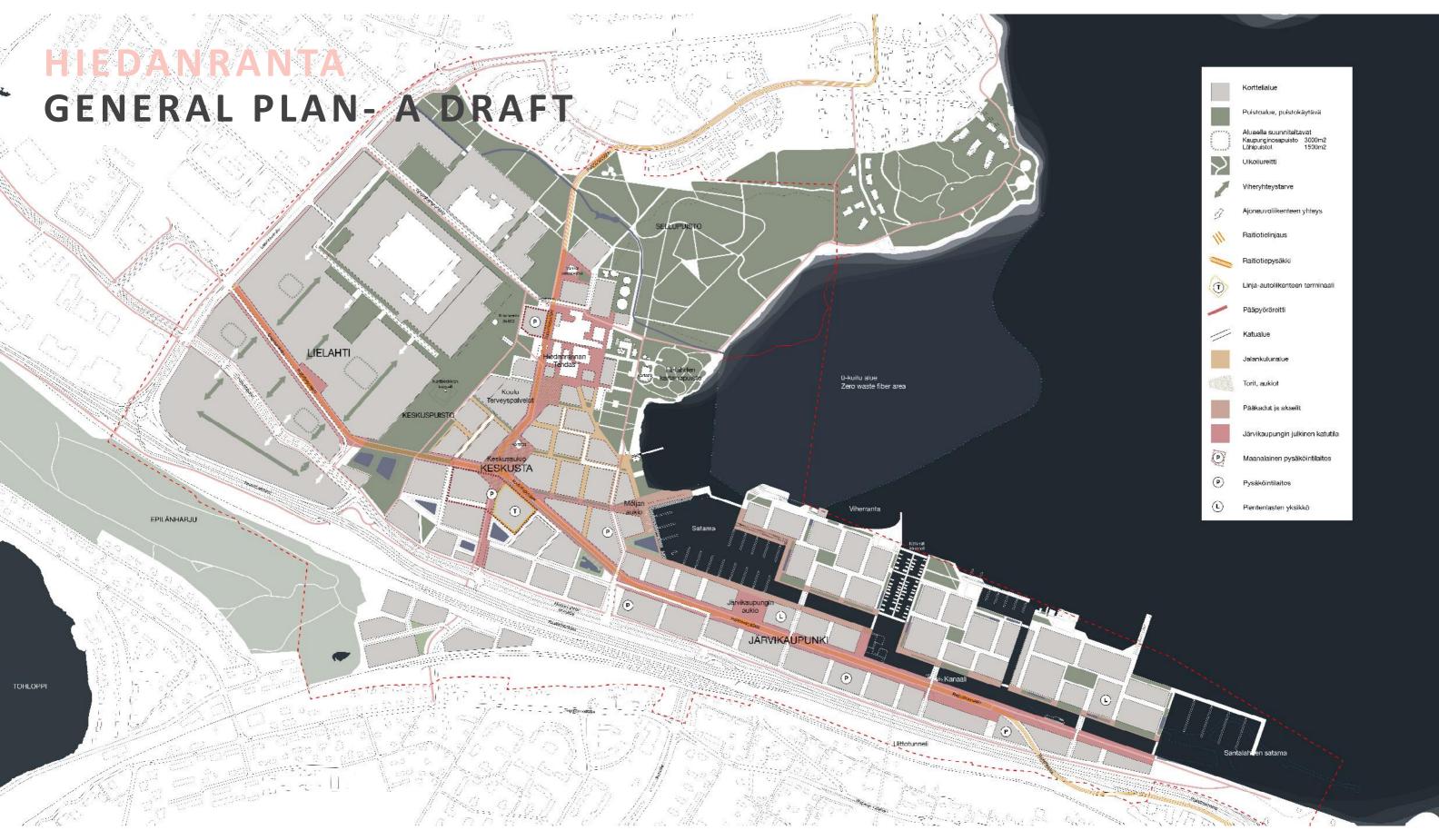
### HIEDANRANTA CITY PLANNING OBJECTIVES

- General planning phase, based on international architectural ideas competition 2016
- Dense urban structure, also high rise buildings
- Sustainable new urban green and blue solutions

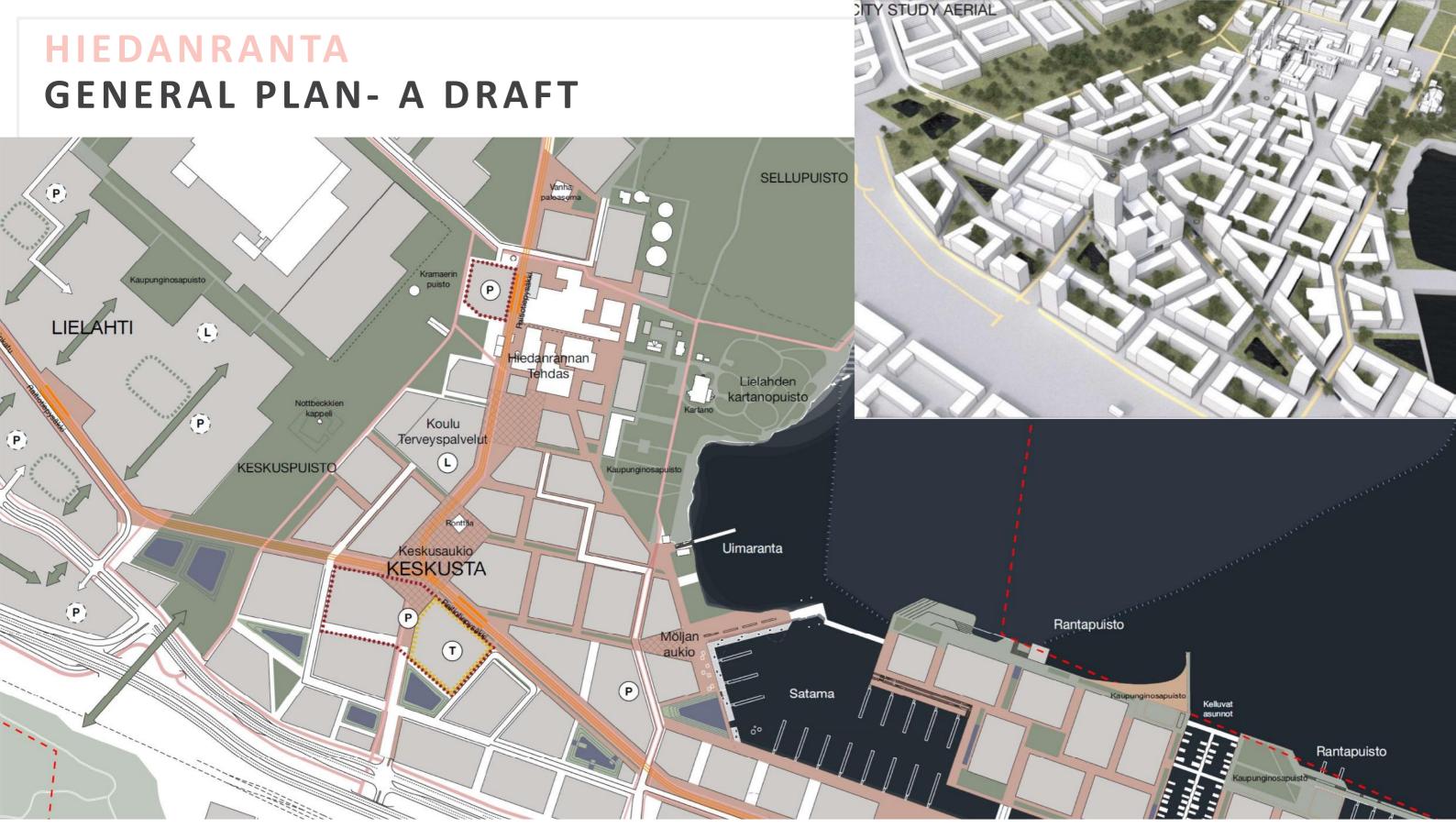


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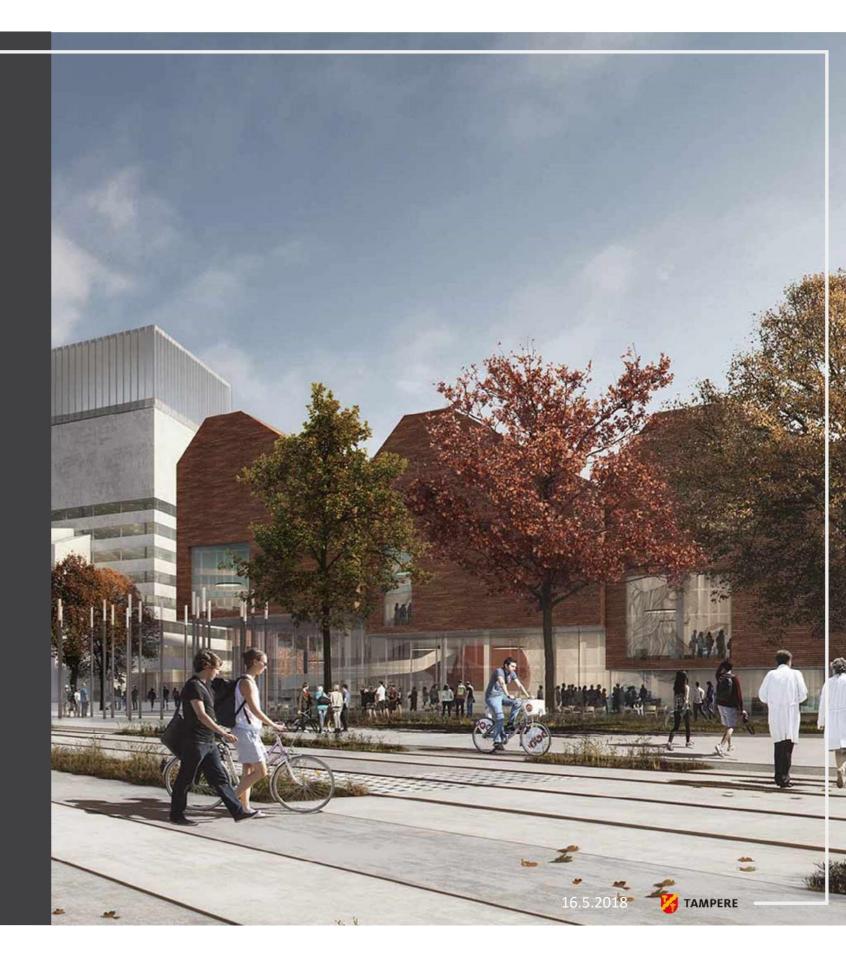
### HIEDANRANTA GENERAL PLAN NBS

- Storm water quality control on the post industrial open waste water pools
- Green strorm water quality control solutions on the streets and green areas
- Diverse vegetation layers on the streets
- Green factor strategy for private plots to e.g. to create more biodiversity and to have enough of permeable surfaces, green roofs and rain gardens for strom water management. The tool will be used in the detail planning phase.



### NATURE-BASED SOLUTION EXPERIMENTS/PILOTS

- > UNaLab case area
  - > Micro algae system
  - Biofiltration for landfill leakage waters
  - Green roof/wall
- Co-operation with Universities
  - > 0-fiber, paper mill sludge
  - > Edible garden

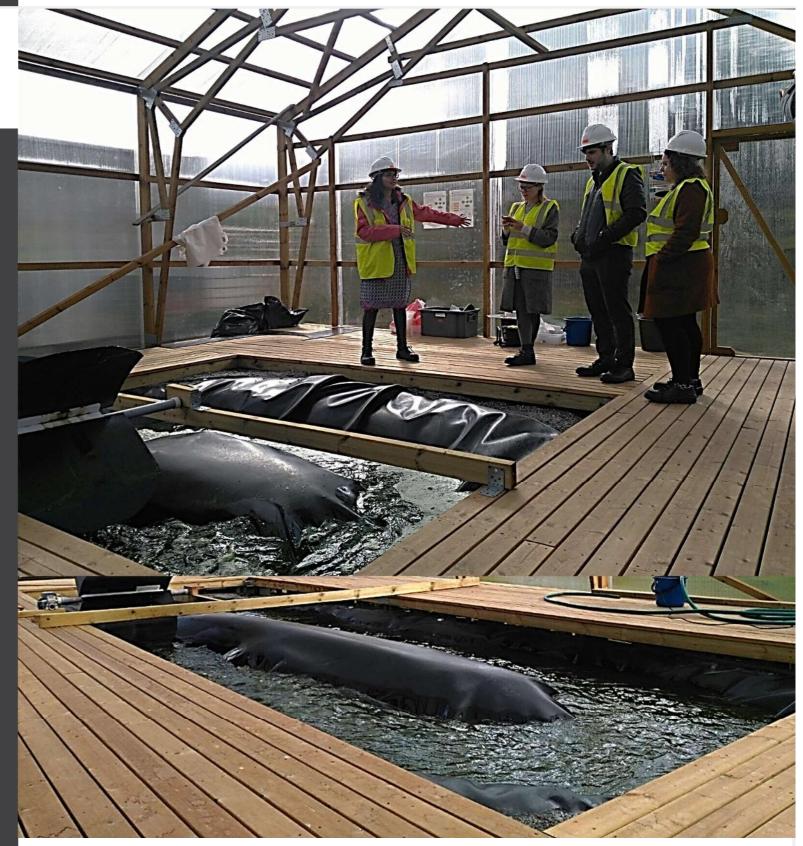


# MICRO-ALGAE SYSTEM

Implementation by Tampere University of Technology in summer 2017

UNaLab

- A freshwater green microalga, Scenedesmus acuminatus, was grown in source separated human urine (15–20 times dilutions)
- Two raceway ponds 400 and 2000 L
- Promising approach for recovering nutrients from real waste streams and for producing biomass with cheap nutrient supply
- Enhanced biomass concentrations are required to improve the nutrient recovery from source separated human urine.



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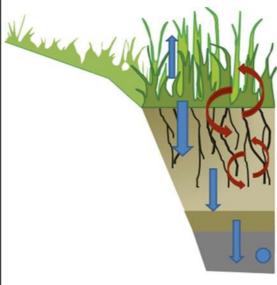


### PILOT SCALE NBS TO MANAGE LEAKAGE WATERS FROM CONTAMINATED SITE IN HIEDANRANTA



- Natural biological, chemical and physical processes used to purify water
- Substances and water recycled
- Ecosystem services and recreational services on the area
- Co-operation with local universities and SME producing biochar – new biofilter solutions
- Progress: plans 2018, implementation 2019





Local vegetation

Purifying and pH-raising soil layers including biochar and microbes/algae

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### **PILOT FOR GREEN ROOF/WALLS**

- Green roof for the renovated old wastewater treatment plant building
- Storm water management, biodiversity, new solutions with biochar
- Nutriens and water recycled in the  $\triangleright$ edible garden next to
- Possible Co-operation with local  $\triangleright$ universities and constraction companies and biochar producers
- Progress: plans 2018, implementation 2019



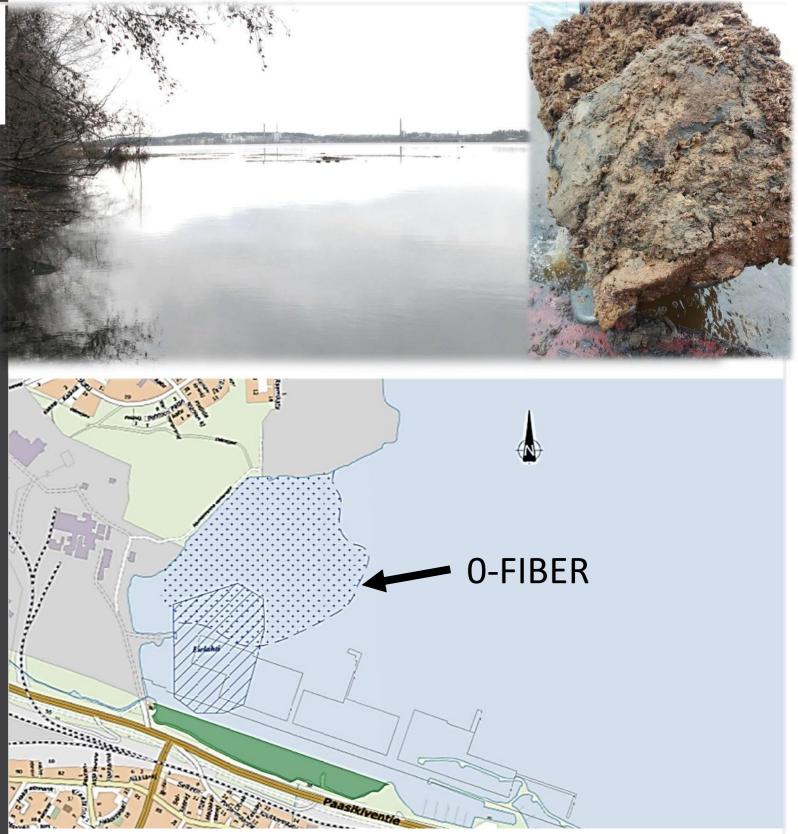


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### UNaLab PAPER MILL SLUDGE MASS - 0-FIBER

- Large area on the lake, partly 10 m deep mass, 1,5 milj. m3
- 90 % of water, like a sponge
- Creates methane gas in the long run
- Two different solutions considered
  - stabilitation pilot with wood ash, extended park and recreation possibilities
  - Reclaiming bioenergy, used as  $\succ$ fertilisers and biochemicals



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### TEMPORARY EDIBLE GARDEN

- Edible Garden to the old mansion park garden site, temporary for now
- Open for public, voluntary work and harvest for everyone interested
- Designed to be built from recycled materials, water for the garden pumped from the lake, removed vegetation and trees to rotten on the site, nutriens collected from the green roof waterflow, Green houses from recycled materials.
- Together with Tampere University of Applied Sciences, as part of the KIVIREKIurban farming project and with ARC-project

   Active Refugees in the Community – project



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