

Salt Architects

Experience of working with communities

The practice has extensive experience in community involvement. Encouraging local people to have influence over their own environment brings long term benefit through enhanced stewardship and respect. Much of our work is community based, and our commitment to the need to give wider access to professional advice saw the practice awarded the Yorkshire Region 'Firm of the Year' at the 2010 Business in the Community awards. We are multi-disciplinary and offer a range of core services which include Architecture, Landscape Design, Contract and Project management, Urban Design and Interior Design. Additionally we work with associated practices when required to deliver specialist projects. We often work with organisations very early in the project stage to help with feasibility studies, master plans and other ancillary information needed to support initial funding applications. We understand how important the early stages are when working with community based projects.

Involvement in community led or self-build developments (especially housing projects)

Salt Architects help and assist with Self builders on regular basis. We have recently help a local psycho-therapist and artist set up a self build art studio to be used for creative therapy. The building was set within a greenfield site. We assisted in the initial feasibility study and concept design through to Planning technical building regulation drawings. We then offered help and advice to the client during the build process. We often work with organisations very early in the project stage to help with feasibility studies, master plans and other ancillary information needed to support initial funding applications. We understand how important the early stages are when working with community based projects. Community based projects with ABLE, RSPB Bempton and YWT Spurn visitor centre are projects that we had early involvement with. Both sites required bids for outside funding and close community Involvement.

Areas where they work	All Areas		
Services they can provide	Architectural Design Technical Co-ordinator Planning	Services they can offer through other providers	Community Development Funding/Finance Legal advisor (Property, Planning, Construction) Legal advisor (Community& Housing)
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