



Special illumination of city bridges and important sights along the river



Along Rue de la Republique the idea is to highlight the streetscape with overall facade lighting.



Place des Terreaux is distinctive for its surprising use of water and lighting.

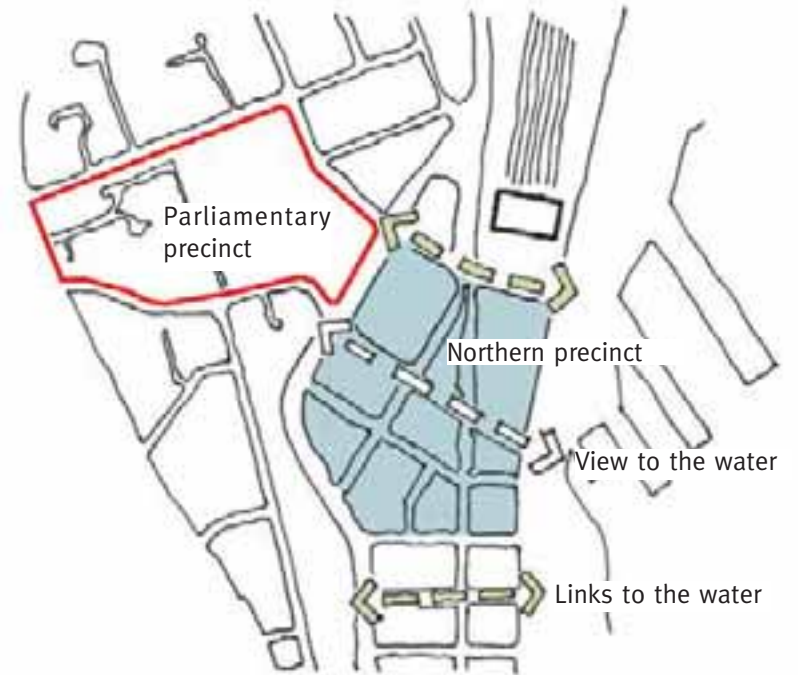
Lighting Policy : Lyon

Lyon has developed a lighting plan which sets out guidelines for overall artistic and functional lighting of streets, squares, buildings and special urban elements such as the bridges and banks of the rivers, as well as selected historical monuments.

Work is ongoing to light the main street of the city, Rue de la Republique, with a system of facade lighting that emphasises the central importance of public space while giving pedestrians soft, functional lighting reflected by the facades. The plan is being carried out gradually as building owners pay to have the lighting fixtures installed, after which they are run and maintained by the municipality.



Night time ambience in the lanes created largely by facade lighting.



In order to utilise the northern part of the city a precinct plan should be developed to upgrade streets and building blocks in the northern precinct.

This area is under-utilised but a diverse attractive area in a close proximity to vital city functions could be developed by intensifying functions and the building mass in the area. Through a general redevelopment of this area important results can be obtained such as creating strong links from the city to the Parliamentary Precinct and to the Railway