

nre-site eindhoven



project description
cooperative (re)development vision

client
municipality of eindhoven

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Closed until recently, the NRE-site has a rich history as a former gas plant situated at the Eindhovens Kanaal (Eindhoven Channel). Ever since its foundation in 1899 it has endured many transformations. The plan of Bauhütte accommodates yet another transformation, this time aimed at turning the site into a small-scale, lively and creative area bordering the centre of Eindhoven. It is thus no ordinary city district, but a unique location where individuals, entrepreneurs and other parties come

together to create an inspiring piece of Eindhoven. The historical buildings on the terrain are the scarce remnants of the former industry on the east side of Eindhoven, as it had its particular appearance in the first decades of the twentieth century. These buildings do not possess a monumental status, however, there is an awareness of their cultural and historical value. It is this particular NRE-characteristic, in addition to its proximity to the water, that distinguishes it from other areas in Eindhoven.