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Update on the City Library, Parnell Square

The project design team have completed Stage 1 of the project and have moved to Stage 2a. There will be a period of engagement with project stakeholders including the city library service and the Hugh lane Gallery. The programme for completion of the detailed design works is approximately one year. The project will then go to tender, which will take in the order of seven to eight months. Construction of Phase 1 is expected to be completed in 2027.

The scope of design works for the Parnell Square Project Phase 1 includes detailed design of the City library, design review and necessary redesign of the proposed works at the Hugh Lane Gallery and proposed works to the Georgian houses numbers 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27 and 28 and complete renovation design to house number 27 Parnell Square North. The design brief also includes tender analysis, construction supervision and handover to client.

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