

## MADEIRA DRIVE GREEN WALL

## Saving the oldest, longest 'green wall' in the UK

Protecting and restoring the built and natural environment of Brighton and Hove Madeira Drive Green Wall was planted by the Victorians in the 1870s to improve the seafront environment.

Now home to wildlife including over 100 species of plants, the green wall has been designated a local wildlife site - the first of its kind in the country.

The green wall is integrated with Madeira Terraces - one of the most endangered buildings in the country. The Terraces were known as Brighton's 'famous sheltered walk' and form Britain's longest continuous ironwork structure. Opposite lies the Volks Railway, the oldest continuously operating railway in the world.

Building Green volunteers are working with the Save Madeira Terraces group, the Council and other partners to protect and restore this special part of our city.



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