Landscaping and biodiversity enhancement

The Westport project is being specifically designed to include comprehensive landscaping measures to reduce potential visibility of the scheme.

A landscaping plan will form part of the planning application and will set out new planting measures which would provide visual screening of the project. We aim to retain all existing hedgerow and woodland, where possible, and could include new hedgerow, shrub and woodland planting. Planting may be atop soil bunds for screening purposes.

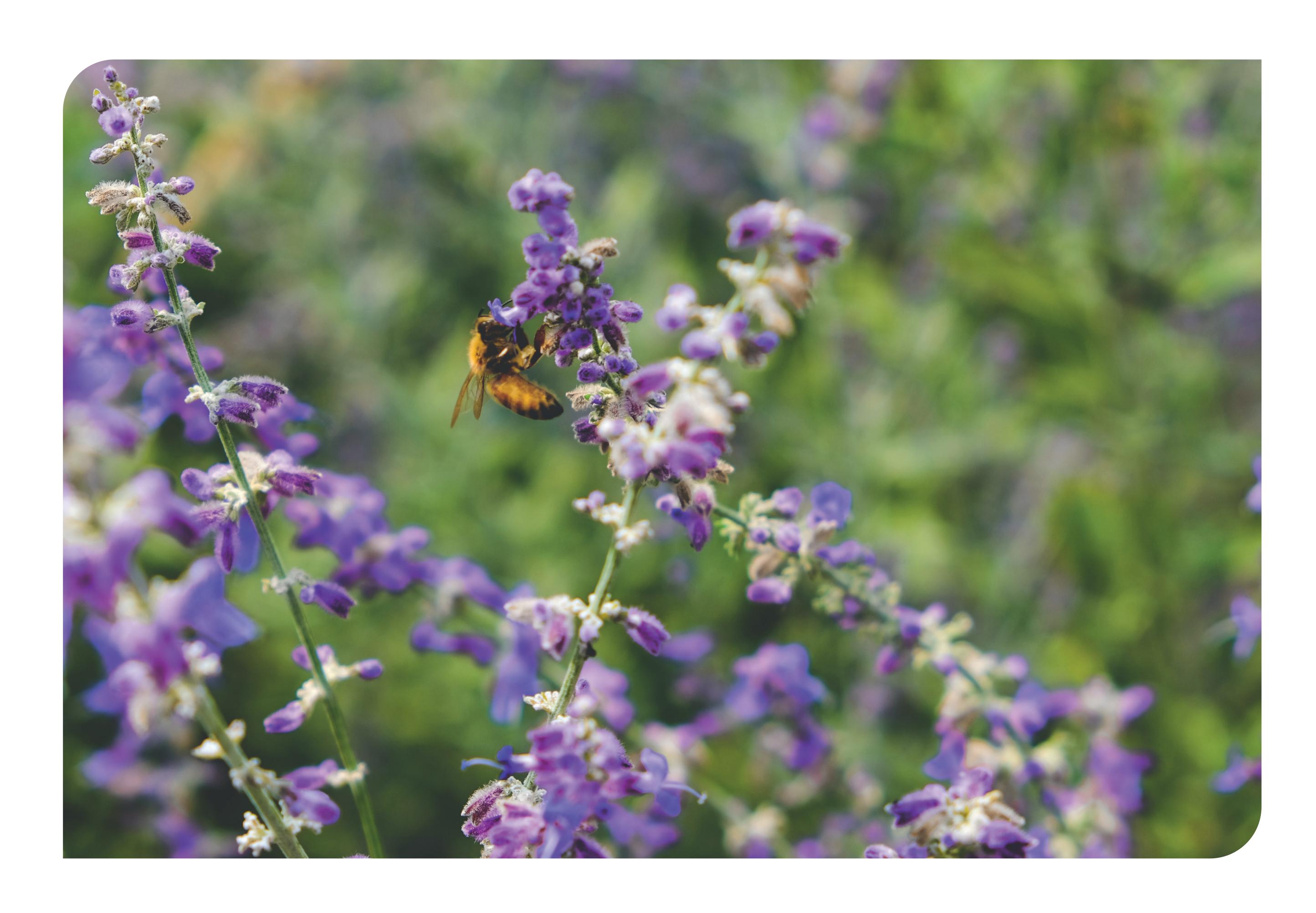
The landscaping plan will also provide information on the timings and aftercare regime for all planting.

As with all RES developments, our goal is to deliver a biodiversity net gain as part of the development.

The creation of new hedgerow and woodland can provide wildlife corridors and vital resources for a range of wildlife.

Areas around the compound are typically sown with a wildflower meadow mix and riparian woodland planted around any surface water and drainage systems.

Where appropriate we would also introduce bird, bat and reptile housing.



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