

About the IBA Hamburg

The IBA Hamburg is an urban development society working on the behalf of the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg to develop mixed, lively districts. During the development process, the IBA Hamburg relies on the early, transparent and cooperative involvement of all actors, from specialist institutions, policy-makers and potential investors to the citizens themselves. In this way it is ensured that attractive living space is created for different population groups. In addition, the IBA Hamburg creates the preconditions for forward-looking places of work, diverse educational and leisure opportunities and attractive leafy spaces.

The IBA Hamburg is responsible within Hamburg for the development of ten districts over a total area of 440 hectares. In the next 10 to 15 years, these areas will see the creation of over 17,000 housing units plus new infrastructure. The largest project, Oberbillwerder, at around 124 hectares, is in the east of Hamburg and, with 7,000 housing units and over 4,000 workplaces, it is the second-largest urban development area in Hamburg.