

# OmaStadi voting catalogue

## Northern Helsinki

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ID	Title	Description	Budget
1733	Artificial turf field in Maunula	This sand field could be replaced with a neat grass field and thus contribute to young people's wellbeing.	296 636 €
1924	More outdoor gyms in the northern major district	Two new outdoor gyms in the northern major district, in the Oulunkylä or Maunula area.	296 636 €
2095	New indoor and outdoor toys for northern daycare centres and playgrounds	Toys that inspire learning, physical activity and play for all the daycare centres and playgrounds of the area. Involving children in deciding what kinds of toys are acquired. Quality and safety to also be included in the criteria.	100 000 €
1927	Instructed fishing clubs for children	Utilising the fishing opportunities of the surroundings of Central Park with a focus on children, e.g. in the form of fishing clubs. The Vantaa River has fishing opportunities, e.g. along the Pitkäkoski–Ruutinkoski axis.	60 000 €
2098	Temporary handicrafts instructor for community house Saunabaari	A temporary handicrafts instructor for Helsinki's community houses and Saunabaari in particular. This would encourage beginners to join in as well. Approachable low-threshold activities to promote wellbeing.	250 000 €
1931	Dog pen and lights for the Kylänvanhimmantie park	Lighting would improve the safety of the park and children's daycare commutes in winter. A pen for dogs taken to the park to play in. There is also a need for waste bins, benches and winter maintenance.	296 636 €
1746	Speed bumps on Männikkötie	Männikkötie needs speed bumps to slow down traffic and improve safety. Cars now drive very fast along the road without stopping at the Central Park crossing, causing near-misses.	100 000 €
2257	Barbeque site	There is a barbeque site on the other side of the river. Oulunkylä needs a similar one, consisting of barbecuing equipment and tables for eating.	150 000 €
1935	Renewing Playground Soihtu	Utilising the lawn space of the back section. The oldest climbing frames could be renewed. A climbing area with a couple of slides, like those in Vennynpuisto, would suit the park. An outdoor gym for parents in the back section would bring versatility.	296 636 €
1940	Barbeque site on the shore of Pikkukoski!	A barbecue site of some sort would be a nice addition to the shore and Oulunkylä.	100 000 €
2116	Renovating the sports field	The running track circling the Oulunkylä football field has not been invested in in a decade, causing it to be in very poor condition. Overhauling the entire sports field to make it better suit its purpose.	200 000 €
1949	More playgrounds and parks in Länsi-Pakila	More playgrounds and parks in Länsi-Pakila. There is a significant number of families with children living in the area.	296 636 €
1756	Public space for residents – Bulletin board	Bulletin boards in key locations to serve as public space for residents. Providing residents with an opportunity to plan creative content for the board and its surroundings, e.g. poetry and local culture.	100 000 €
2272	Kivipadonpuisto Park for resident use	Outdoor exercise equipment, benches for lounging, and outdoor chessboard, etc. in Kivipadonpuisto Park. Climbing structures and such for children.	200 000 €

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1954	<b>Tennis court in Paloheinä</b>	The nearest tennis courts are in Oulunkylä and Kannelmäki. Considering the characteristics of the area, tennis courts would be a natural and desired addition.	100 000 €
2279	<b>Kivipadonpuisto field for ice skating use in winter</b>	Let us freeze the sand field of Kivipadonpuisto Park for ice skaters! There are plenty of families with children and daycare centres in the area. The Oulunkylä artificial ice rink has few public ice skating time slots suitable for families with children.	35 000 €
1960	<b>Bird-friendly construction</b>	Improving the bird-friendliness of the built environment by means such as installing birdhouses onto buildings and applying patterns to large glass structures. Developing bird feeding in winter.	150 000 €
2132	<b>With young people</b>	Events for young people, such as nighttime basketball, concerts and game nights. Locations: Seurahuone, the church, the Veräjälakso field, Maunula House, etc. Hiring a coordinator to bring operators together.	150 000 €
1965	<b>Easy-access outdoor activity area</b>	Creating an easy-access and accessible outdoor exercise area with tree and flower plantings.	200 000 €
1769	<b>Converting the sand field in front of Mäkitorppa Playground into a football field</b>	The field would be used primarily by young people and other residents in the area. NOT for clubs! It would provide young people with a place where they can engage in physical activity freely, including outside instructed sessions.	60 000 €
2284	<b>Music event for new and old residents of Oulunkylä</b>	Holding a communal music event where representatives of the City would talk about topical matters and the development of the area, and new and old residents would get to talk with each other.	60 000 €
1771	<b>More public toilets</b>	More public toilets in the northern area.	250 000 €
1968	<b>Activities at Itsenäisyydenpuisto Park in Oulunkylä</b>	Some activities for Itsenäisyydenpuisto Park. A skate/scooter park or an exercise site. A barbecue spot.	296 636 €
2287	<b>Dog pen in the Oulunkylä/Itä-Pakila area</b>	Itsenäisyyspuisto Park needs a dog park, and Itä-Pakila has no dog park at all. There are plenty of families with dogs in the area, and this would foster a community spirit.	250 000 €
2289	<b>Basketball court in the Oulunkylä centre</b>	Building a basketball court in Oulunkylä as per young people's wishes, with the new detailed plan taken into account. It is important to support children's and young people's physical activity, and there are many basketball-playing young people in Oulunkylä.	100 000 €
2290	<b>Benches and tables in the parks of North Helsinki</b>	More benches and tables in the parks of Torpparinmäki, Oulunkylä and Itä-Pakila, and particularly the southern shore of the Vantaa River. Waste bins by the benches and tables.	150 000 €
2291	<b>Small sports park in Torpparinmäki</b>	The young people of Torpparinmäki would like to have more exercise opportunities in the region. We propose building a sports park in Torpparinmäki!	296 636 €
2292	<b>Barbecue sites in Central Park!</b>	Barbecue sites are good for cooking food and spending time with loved ones. They bring people together and promote outdoor activities and the development of people's relationship with nature. Let us bring barbecuing opportunities to Central Park!	200 000 €
2297	<b>Exercise stairs</b>	Oulunkylä needs its own exercise stairs. The nearest exercise stairs are located in Savela, Paloheinä and Malminkartano.	200 000 €
2144	<b>Exercise for families</b>	Local exercise opportunities for families with young children at schools or daycare centres. A gym with a children's area! Yoga/pilates sessions at schools. Free-of-charge self-guided family sports sessions at schools.	100 000 €
2301	<b>Funding for materials and events for a 'Helsinki Reads' campaign</b>	Organising a 'Helsinki Reads' campaign to inspire people of all ages to read. Holding various workshops and events. Acquiring materials for schools, daycare centres and libraries.	100 000 €
2303	<b>Surveying how well residents' wishes are realised in city planning</b>	It would be useful to know the degree to which the City realises residents' wishes presented in hearing processes and what residents have wished for. Ordering surveys from students writing their master's theses, for example.	250 000 €

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2304	<b>Game field by Käpytie</b>	A game field, other exercise equipment and/or a play area by Käpytie. This would improve the exercise opportunities of the area and increase interaction between local children.	296 636 €
1796	<b>Renovating the downstairs of Seurahuone in Oulunkylä</b>	Renovating the downstairs of Seurahuone in Oulunkylä to add more active space and a wide variety of activities. The downstairs could feature storage, maintenance and usage training facilities for PA equipment of Seurahuone.	100 000 €
2149	<b>Disc golf baskets in Pirkkola</b>	Disc golf is rapidly gaining popularity and is suitable for all people regardless of age or physical condition. Building a course or practice baskets in Pirkkola. They would bring variety and new physically active young people to Pirkkola.	100 000 €
1800	<b>Dedicated tree for every city district</b>	I propose planting trees dedicated to each city district. Local residents would be heard when selecting the tree species in order to make the tree match the spirit of the district as well as possible.	100 000 €
1807	<b>Outhouse in Central Park and a water supply at the Paloheinä hiking lodge</b>	Building an outhouse similar to that by the Lammassaari path network in Central Park. Adding a water supply outside the Paloheinä hiking lodge so that people can fill their water bottles when the lodge is closed. A map of water supplies and toilets online.	250 000 €
2009	<b>Lighting (Tykkitie)</b>	Tykkitie, located in Oulunkylä by the railway track, has no lighting in the darkest sections. The road is used by plenty of people, especially dog owners.	60 000 €
1817	<b>Opening the door to the Paloheinä hiking lodge</b>	A programmable lock for the door of the Paloheinä hiking lodge. The lock would be disengaged at 6.00. This would enable skiers using public transport to leave their shoes and clothes inside and use the toilet.	100 000 €
2174	<b>Improving the ground of the outdoor activity trail</b>	Covering an outdoor activity trail such as that in Oulunkylä with sawdust to make it softer to tread on. Walking on hard ground is particularly taxing on the feet of elderly people.	100 000 €
2012	<b>'Lose yourself in the local nature' mobile app</b>	A map application that would enable anyone to mark unofficial small natural parks with their pathways and special characteristics. Residents could "lose themselves" in park areas and thus familiarise themselves with different city districts.	35 000 €
2018	<b>New Year's family event</b>	Competent instructors who teach traditional yard games for the whole family. Doughnuts and juice for the participants, and the event is ended with a laser show or a fireworks show. The goal is to get families moving.	35 000 €
2182	<b>Training in emotional skills for lower secondary school students</b>	A multi-year project that teaches emotional skills to all students of the selected lower secondary schools. The objective is to improve well-being, promote the community spirit in the schools and study whether this reduces bullying.	150 000 €
2335	<b>Cycling path on Osuuskunnantie</b>	Let's build a cycling path between Jakokunnantie and Pakilantie to improve the connections in the area. The cars parked along the road can fit on just one side of it.	296 636 €
2186	<b>Lights and signposts to Central Park</b>	Signposts should be added to the route junctions in Central Park, and the hill trails need lighting. The stairs on the hill are illuminated, but people have to stumble through the darkness to get to them.	60 000 €
1827	<b>Developing play areas in the Northern major district</b>	Swings, toys, a skating ramp, trampolines, etc. for the existing play areas. The proposal was made by the board of the pupil council of Oulunkylä Primary School's Veräjälakso unit.	296 636 €
2343	<b>Renovation of the Kaivohaka sand sports field</b>	The field should have a proper outdoor basketball court and a walled rink for e.g. futsal or floorball, with goalposts included. This would offer fun activities and exercise also to the older children in the area.	250 000 €
1846	<b>Swimming hours for women in the North</b>	More swimming hours for women only are needed.	60 000 €
1847	<b>Tennis court</b>	Constructing a tennis court or courts in the Paloheinä, Torpparinmäki or Pakila areas.	200 000 €

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2356	<b>Tour skating track</b>	A tour skating track along good public transport connections, e.g. the Paloheinä golf course.	100 000 €
1851	<b>Safe school for all! day/week</b>	At every school, the pupils define their own principles of safe space. The themes of bullying and community should be talked about. Offers an opportunity to comment on school practices anonymously. An idea by young people.	35 000 €
1852	<b>Street lights for dark areas, a youth request</b>	Young people are requesting more street lights for dark, dangerous areas. Young people should also be consulted on where more lighting is needed.	35 000 €
2365	<b>Christmas street for Pakila</b>	Christmas lights and a Christmas tree with colourful lights to delight the residents, as well as a Christmas market event. This could develop into a local tradition in which entrepreneurs, societies and other parties could also be inspired to take part.	200 000 €
2374	<b>Hiring a school coach/coaches</b>	Youth workers or students of the field could be hired to help teachers and students to support bullied students or those at risk of bullying. This would secure quick help at a school where bullying has gotten out of control.	296 636 €
2037	<b>Football tournaments between schools</b>	Frequent tournaments between Helsinki schools. Prizes to the winners. Referees and coaches included. This would increase physical activity and community spirit among young people. Could even lead to making new friends. A student request.	60 000 €
2038	<b>School decor and facilities</b>	Better interior facilities and nicer colours in schools. Larger gyms and other classrooms. Larger facilities would also improve recreational activities.	35 000 €
2212	<b>Snowboarding park to Paloheinä</b>	An 'artificial' summer hill could be built on the hill next to the skating hall as a place to practise pipes and rails. No lift is needed, the hill can be walked up. Naturally, it would also be used in winter, too.	100 000 €
2045	<b>Stairs and railings of Suursuo forest</b>	The stairs from Pakilantie should be renovated to make them safe. The step spacing is wrong and railings are needed. The stairs are used by e.g. people from Pakila taking a shortcut through the forest to the bus stop of line 560.	200 000 €
2048	<b>Arboretum/Jokeri light rail route</b>	A nature path to the Kustaankartano area for everyone's pleasure: signboards, tips for observations, and exercise equipment. A passage with winter maintenance between the Kustaankartano stop of Jokeri Light Rail and Kivalterintie.	250 000 €
2379	<b>Maunula workout stairs</b>	Building workout stairs in place of the old Maunula ski jumping tower. Lit stairs would make the area look more pleasant.	250 000 €
2221	<b>Lighting around Maunula Primary School, the sports hall and the sand field</b>	The street in poor condition from Haavikkopolku to Männikkötie and the pedestrian pathway from the school to the sports hall should be lit. The path going around the sand field should also be renovated and lit.	200 000 €
2384	<b>Maunula Library soundscape and a workshop</b>	An installation made from acoustical material to the lobby of Maunula House and the ceiling of the library's children's section. An acoustic playhouse for the children's section. A laser cutter, other DIY machines and guidance for using them.	60 000 €
2388	<b>Microforest</b>	Specialists should select more trees to be planted in the area. A forest increases the diversity, carbon sequestration and comfort of local nature, creates a visual barrier, alleviates stress and muffles the sounds of traffic.	100 000 €
2226	<b>More attractive library plaza in Paloheinä</b>	The plaza could be transformed into a small market square, with benches and planted flowers. Cars to the one side, an open route for the emergency vehicles up to the door. Taxis to the other side of the street. Waste bins should be moved away. The courtyard could have a summer terrace for library customers.	100 000 €
2227	<b>More waste bins for the northern major district</b>	The amount of waste bins could be increased in the northern major district, e.g. along the Kuusimiehentie recreational routes, the pathway next to Sysiniitty and the Pirkkola Sports Park area.	100 000 €

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2398	<b>More meadows and meadow activities – meadows in place of untended shrubs and lawn areas</b>	Meadows are endangered habitats that are important to biodiversity. We should establish new meadows with the help of volunteer workers, and information boards could be set up at the meadows. A resident's survey could be conducted regarding suitable locations for the meadows.	200 000 €
2236	<b>Gardening together at community gardens</b>	Community gardens should be made more visible by listing them in the City's website and the service map, for example. Founding new community gardens should be easier. Cooperation between the park or regional maintenance and community gardens.	100 000 €
2405	<b>Improving the Myrskyläntie cul-de-sac to create an unbroken walking path/skiing track</b>	The Myrskyläntie cul-de-sac should be made smaller to extend the park over the road. Now, the skiing track is interrupted by the parking area, and snow is often ploughed to the pedestrian pathway and skiing tracks in the winter, blocking these routes.	150 000 €
2238	<b>Turning WWI-era fortifications into attractions</b>	Cleaning up the fortifications along Sysimiehentie through volunteer work. Duckboards/walking trail to the area, along with signboards with information about the fortification and the history of fortification work.	150 000 €
2239	<b>Park and playground – Pakilan puistotie</b>	The unused land between Heinäsarantie and Tuusulanväylä could be turned into an attractive park area with a playground, exercise equipment, benches and bins. The road next to the park could be renamed into Pakilan puistotie.	296 636 €
1896	<b>Safer entrance to the Central Park's dog park: renovation of the fence</b>	A fence is needed in front of the current gates to prevent the dogs in the park from running away when a new dog comes in. This fenced entrance area would allow taking off the dog's leash in peace, and going in only after this.	200 000 €
2410	<b>Sand road to Storkärr Park from Pakilantie</b>	Accessible passage from Pakilantie to Storkärr Park. the popular shortcut would be made into a sandy road that would allow access to the park from Pakilantie also by bike.	100 000 €
1901	<b>Playground by the City of Helsinki to Pakila</b>	The former allotment garden could have a playground that also doubles as an afternoon club venue. In time, the area could be developed into an attractive park.	296 636 €
2075	<b>Flower power for people and pollinators</b>	Let's plant natural flowering pollinator plants – especially berry bushes and fruit trees. Could be partly implemented through volunteer work and made visible through signs and maps.	200 000 €
1907	<b>Public trampoline – in-ground trampolines for northern major district</b>	A request by children: as many don't have a yard of their own, a trampoline in public use for children under school-age would be a great solution! It could have a schedule for children of different ages, for example, and the parents would be responsible for the activity.	60 000 €
2245	<b>(Natural) harvest market weeks</b>	A harvest market or a harvest festival would be fun!	100 000 €
1910	<b>Kids' dialogue for Helsinki</b>	Let's make our young people the best conversationalists in the world and help them understand each other! School pupils participate in Kids' dialogue where they discuss the themes of everyday safety, equality and well-being.	60 000 €
2428	<b>Family coaches to support families with children</b>	Family coaches could be contacted at a low threshold and anonymously in everyday problems of child-raising, for example. The service would help prevent issues from growing larger.	150 000 €
2092	<b>Fenced football and panna arenas for Oulunkylä</b>	Small fenced arenas on the sports field for panna and football, maybe two for each. It is quick and easy to start games even with a small group, and balls don't go flying over the borders as often.	100 000 €