Historical Urban Landscape of Saint Petersburg



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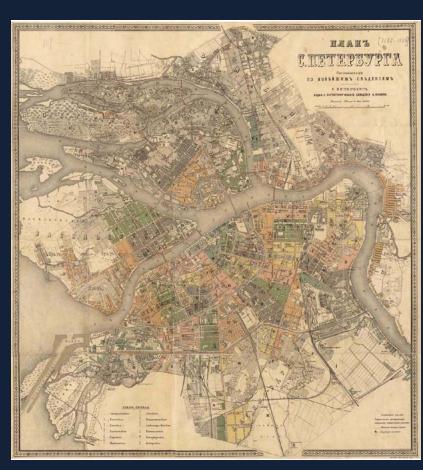




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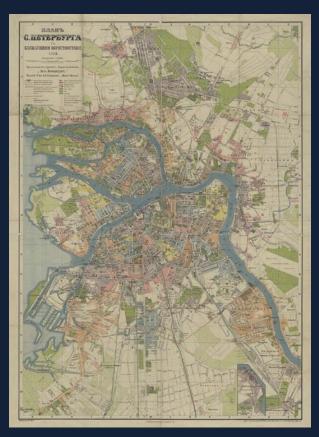
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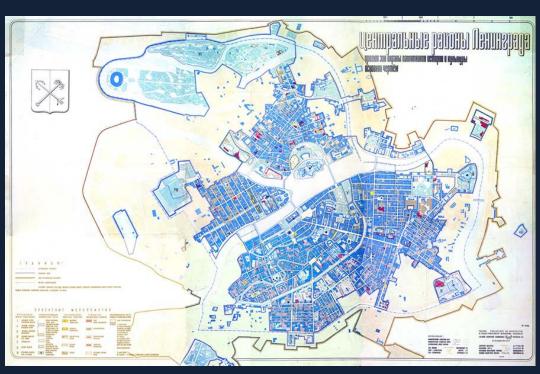




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12 December 1990 – 14th session of the UNESCO World Heritage Committee (Canada, Banff)

Historic Centre of St. Petersburg and Related Groups of Monuments

ICOMOS

INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL ON MONUMENTS AND SITES CONSEIL INTERNATIONAL DES MONUMENTS ET DES SITES CONSEID INTERNACIONAL DE MONUMENTOS ET DES SITES CONSEJO INTERNACIONAL DE MONUMENTOS Y SITIOS МЕЖДУНАРОЛНЫЙ СОВЕТ ПО ВОПРОСАМ ПАМЯТНИКОВ И ДОСТОПРИМЕЧАТЕЛЬНЫХ МЕСТ

WORLD HERITAGE LIST

N° 540

A) IDENTIFICATION

Nomination : Historic Centre of Leningrad and surroundings

Location : Region of Leningrad

State Party : U.S.S.R.

Date: 17 October, 1989

B) ICOMOS RECOMMENDATION

That this cultural property be included on the World Heritage List on the basis of Criteria I, II, IV and VI.

c) JUSTIFICATION

The inclusion of Leningrad on the World Heritage List is so obvious that any detailed justification seems superfluous. The taking of the Swedish fortress of Noteborg at the beginning of the War of the North and the establishment in 1703 of the fortresses of Peter-and-Paul and Kronschlot ushered in the greatest urban creation of the 18th century: the construction of the capital of Peter the Great, the symbol of a Russia that became the master of the Baltic after the victory of Poltava (1709) and was free to open to the West. At the cost of the colossal forced labor of Russian soldiers, Swedish and Ottoman prisoners of war, and Finnish and Estonian workers and laborers, the metamorphosis of an inhospitable coastal area into a superb city where palaces, churches and convents, and also two-storey stone houses fit in to the urban designs of the Frenchman Alexandre Leblond, was completed in less than 20 years. In 1724 St. Petersburg, which then outstripped Moscow, counted 75,000 inhabitants.

A network of canals, streets and quais was built gradually, beginning in the reign of Peter the Great (+ 1725). The Nevski perspective did not become the city's major east-west axis until 1738. Similarly, under the empresses Anna Ivanovna (1730-1740), Elisabeth Petrovna (1741-1762) and Catherine II the Great (1762-1796), the urban landscape of St. Petersburg took on the monumental splendor that assured the world renown of the "Venice of the North". An array of foreign architects-Rastrelli, Rinaldi, Quarenghi, Cameron, Vallin de la Motherivaled one another with audaciousness and splendor with the capital's huge palaces and convents and in imperial and princely suburban residences-Petrodvorets, Lomonosov, Tsarskoie Selo (Pushkin), Pavlovsk, Gatchina, etc.

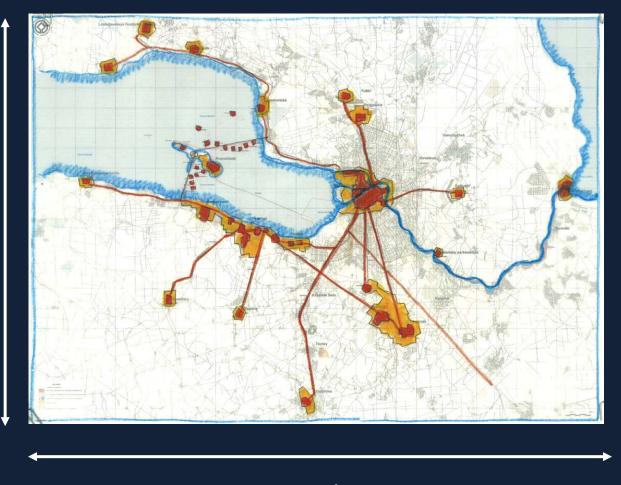


Historic Centre of St. Petersburg and Related Groups of Monuments One of the largest historic urban landscape

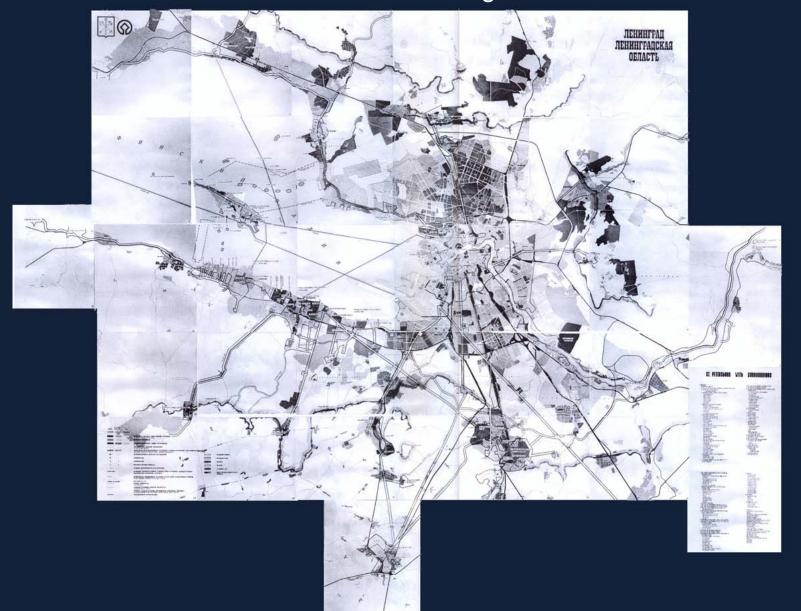
Historic Centre of St. Petersburg 3934,1 ha

80 km

All the site 23717,3 ha



Historic Centre of St. Petersburg and Related Groups of Monuments in the World Heritage List



Unique harmony of the natural and cultural environment









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Typologically different components and elements

- historic centers of Saint Petersburg and its suburbs;
- palace and park ensembles;
- memorial components;
- unique fortification system;
- landscape elements;
- elements of historic urban structure (roads, waterways, canals)

























2005

 beginning of the Retrospective Inventory for the site
 «Historic Centre of St. Petersburg and Related Groups of Monuments»

2005-2011

 work on clarification of boundaries and list of the components and elements of the site in cooperation with World Heritage Centre and ICOMOS

2011

 International Expert Forum in Saint Petersburg
 Creation of the international working group for clarification of boundaries of the site chaired by prof. Todor Krestev (ICOMOS)

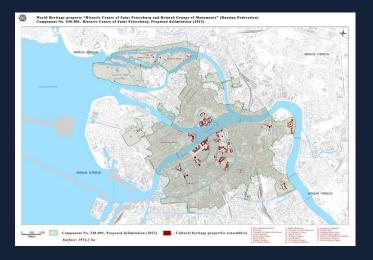


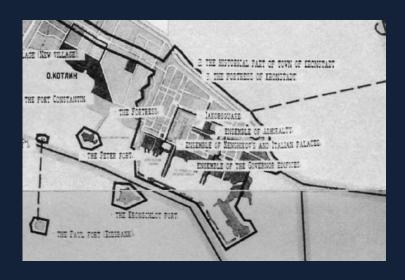


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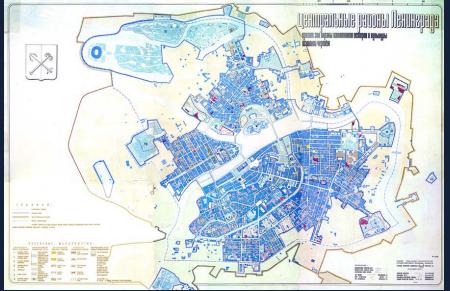




Historical Part of the Town of Kronstadt



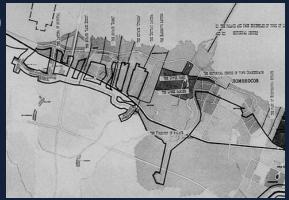
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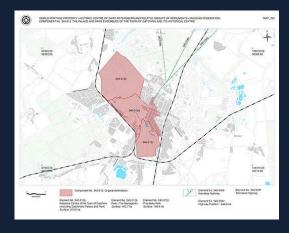
Palace and Park Ensembles of the Town of Lomonosov (Oranienbaum) and its Historical Centre

Terioki (Zelenogorsk)

Palace and Park Ensembles of the Town of Gatchina and its Historical Centre







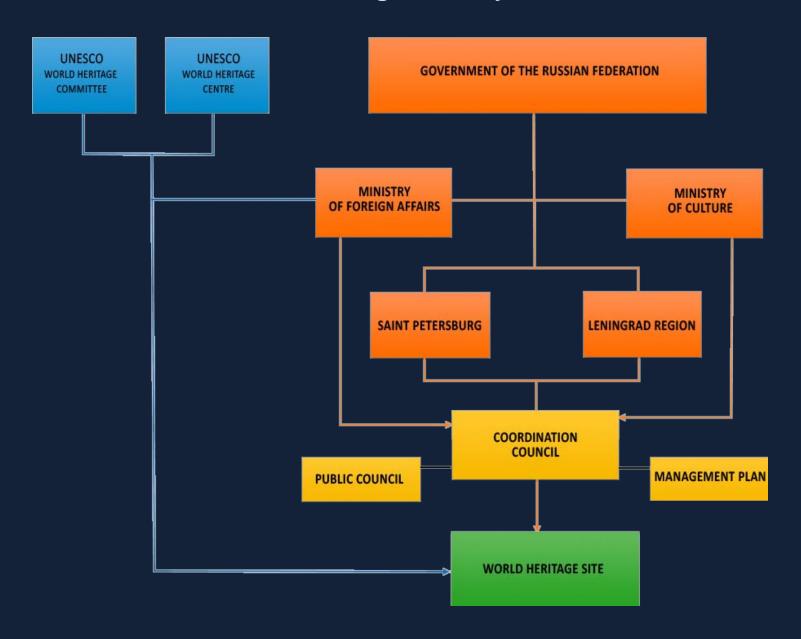
2013 World Heritage Committee approves the proposed minor boundary modification of the «Historic Centre of Saint Petersburg» and the clarification of boundary of the «Historical Part of the Town of Kronstadt»

2014 World Heritage Committee approves the clarification of boundaries of 34 remaining components

The site consists of 36 components and 86 elements







20 October 2014 –

Signing of the Cooperation Agreement between the Ministry of Culture of the Russian Federation, Government of Saint Petersburg and Government of the Leningrad Region

Establishing of the Coordination Council regarding conservation, management and promotion of the World Heritage site



СОГЛАШЕНИЕ

 осотрудничестве по вопросам сохранения, управления и популяризации объекта всемирного наследия ЮНЕСКО «Исторический центр Санкт-Петербурга и связанные с ним группы памятников»

« <u>20 » октября</u> 2014 года г. Санкт-Петербург

Министерство культуры Российской Фелерации в лице заместитела Министра культуры Российской Фелерации Пирумова Григория Ульяновича, действующего на основании доверенности от 27.01.2014 №13-43-4Д», Правительство Санкт-Петербурга в лице исполняющего обязанности губернатора Санкт-Петербурга Голорумова Александра Николаевача, действующего на основании Устава Санкт-Петербурга, и Правительство Денинградской области в лице Губернатора Ленинградской области Дрозденко Александра Юрьевича, действующего на основании Устава Ленинградской области, именуемые в дальнейшем Стороны, договорились о инжеследующем:

- Стороны выражают намерение объединить усилия в области сохранения, управления и попудкризации объекта всемирного наследия ЮНЕСКО «Исторический центр Санкт-Петербурга и связанные е ими группы памятников» и с этой ценьо создать Координационный совет по вопросам сохранения, управления и попудкризации объекта всемирного наследия «Исторический центр Санкт-Петербурга и связанные с ими группы памятников», действующий на основании положения согласно приложению к настоящему Соглашению.
- 2. Все изменения и дополнения к Соглашению оформляются дополнительными соглашению протрые становляется от неотъемлемой частью при условии, что они совершены в письменной форме и подписаны уполномочениями представителями Сторон. При внесении изменений в Соглашение Сторона, которая вядялась инципатором изменений и дополнений, предоставляет другим Сторонам в письменном виде обоснование внесения изменений.
- Настоящее Соглашение составлено в трех экземплярах, имеющих одинаковую силу, и хранится по одному экземпляру у каждой из Сторон.

Исполняющий обязанности Губернатора Санкт-Петербурга Губернатор Ленинградской области Заместитель Министра культуры Российской Федерации

А.Н. Говорунов (Додел выб) Дрозденко

Г.У. Пирумов

Coordination Council regarding conservation, management and promotion of the World Heritage site:

- implementation of the recommendation of the World Heritage Committee concerning «the providing an overarching management framework for the property»;
- interaction between authorities of Saint Petersburg and the Leningrad region regarding conservation, management and promotion of the World Heritage site;
- interaction between authorities of Saint Petersburg and the Leningrad region during development of the management plan;
- informational and consulting support of the authorities of Saint Petersburg and the Leningrad Region as regards the matters related to the World Heritage site

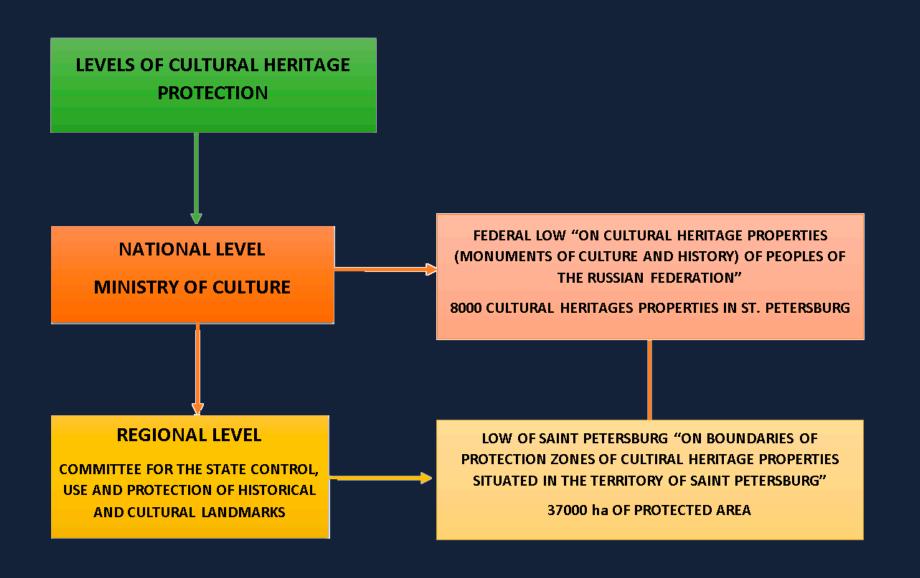
Evolution of the concept of cultural heritage:

- emergence of new types of heritage;
- recognition of entire cities, vast historic territories, roads as cultural heritage at the local, national and continental level;
- recognition of the cultural heritage as a key resource for sustainable development

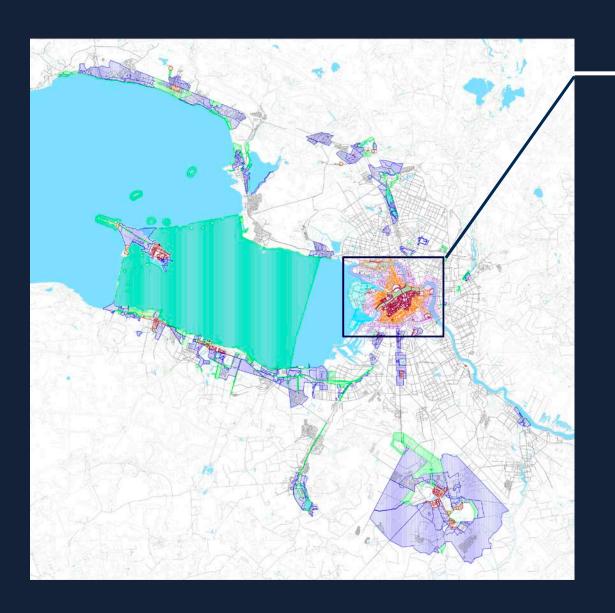
Revision of conservation methods and tools:

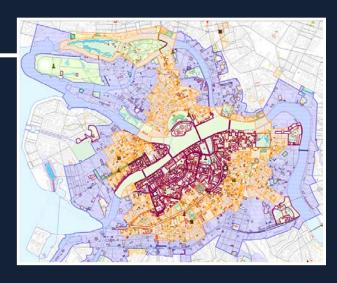


Conservation of the site



Conservation of the site Protection zones of cultural heritage properties





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Conservation of the site Boundaries of the historic settlements





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