LOCATION MAP

DESCRIPTION

- **Landscape Type**
  Formal Park - passive recreation, historic/cultural

- **Facilities**
  Footpaths, seating, play area, castle

- **Effectiveness**
  High pedestrian accessibility. Moderate usage. High contribution to city form

- **Safety**
  Enclosure high (castle walls). Not overlooked. Park warden provides surveillance. No anti-social indicators.

QUALITATIVE ANALYSIS

- High visual amenity, mature, gardenesque landscape with many good mature trees. Panoramic views of river
- High management, moderate usage, well defined boundaries (wall)

POTENTIAL AND OPPORTUNITY

- Opportunity to develop major green ‘route’ through castle grounds to adjoining open spaces to the north and south.
- Regional open space
- Network links to river walkways
- Safeguard and manage

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