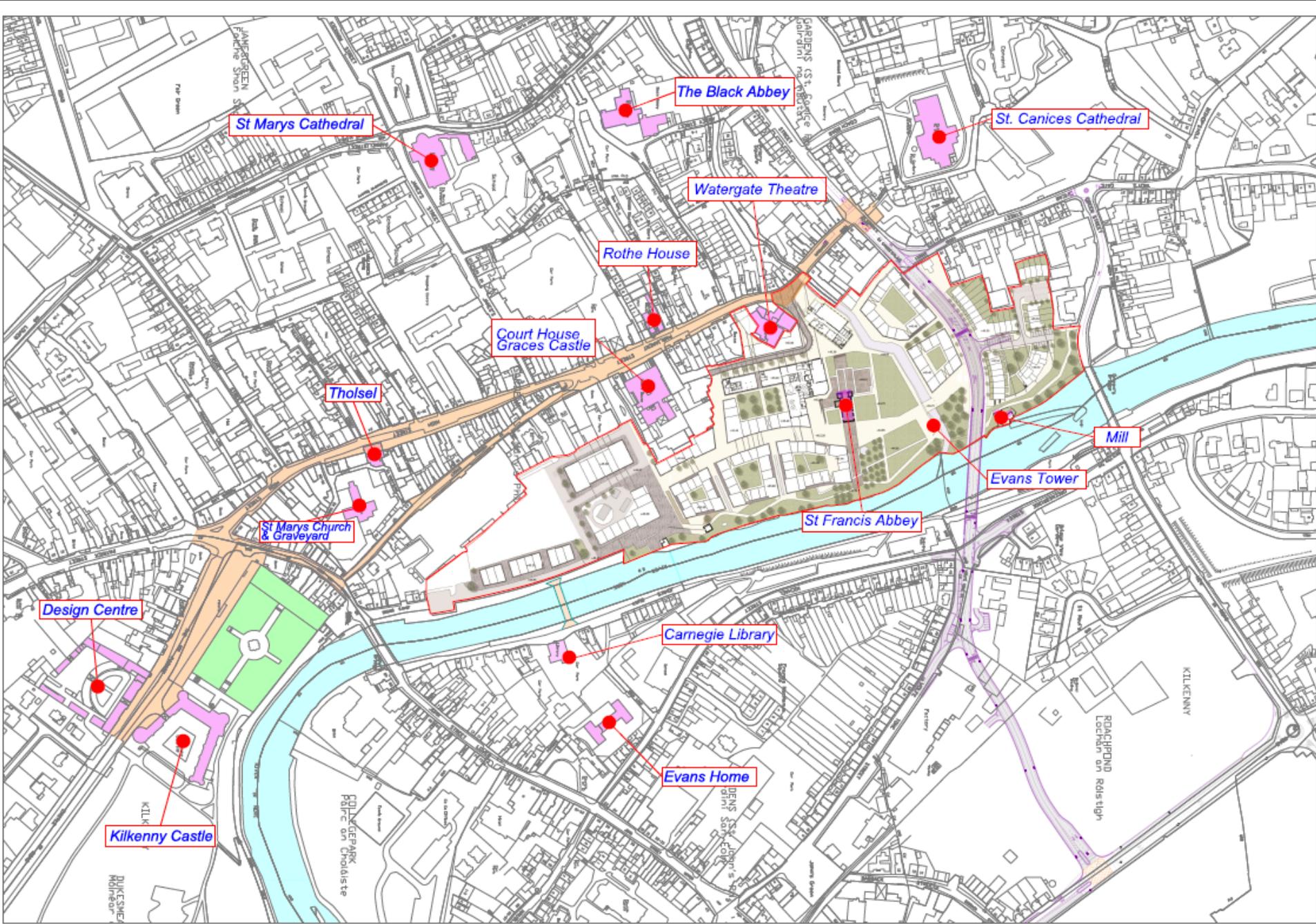
A photograph showing a stone building on the left with several windows, some with white frames. A large, spiky plant is in the foreground on the left. In the background, there is a ruined stone structure with three large, pointed arches. The foreground is a lush green garden with various plants and flowers. The sky is overcast.

**New Butler Gallery at Evan's Home
Revisited**

South wing side garden



Evan's Home - City context



Evan's Home today- front façade



View west



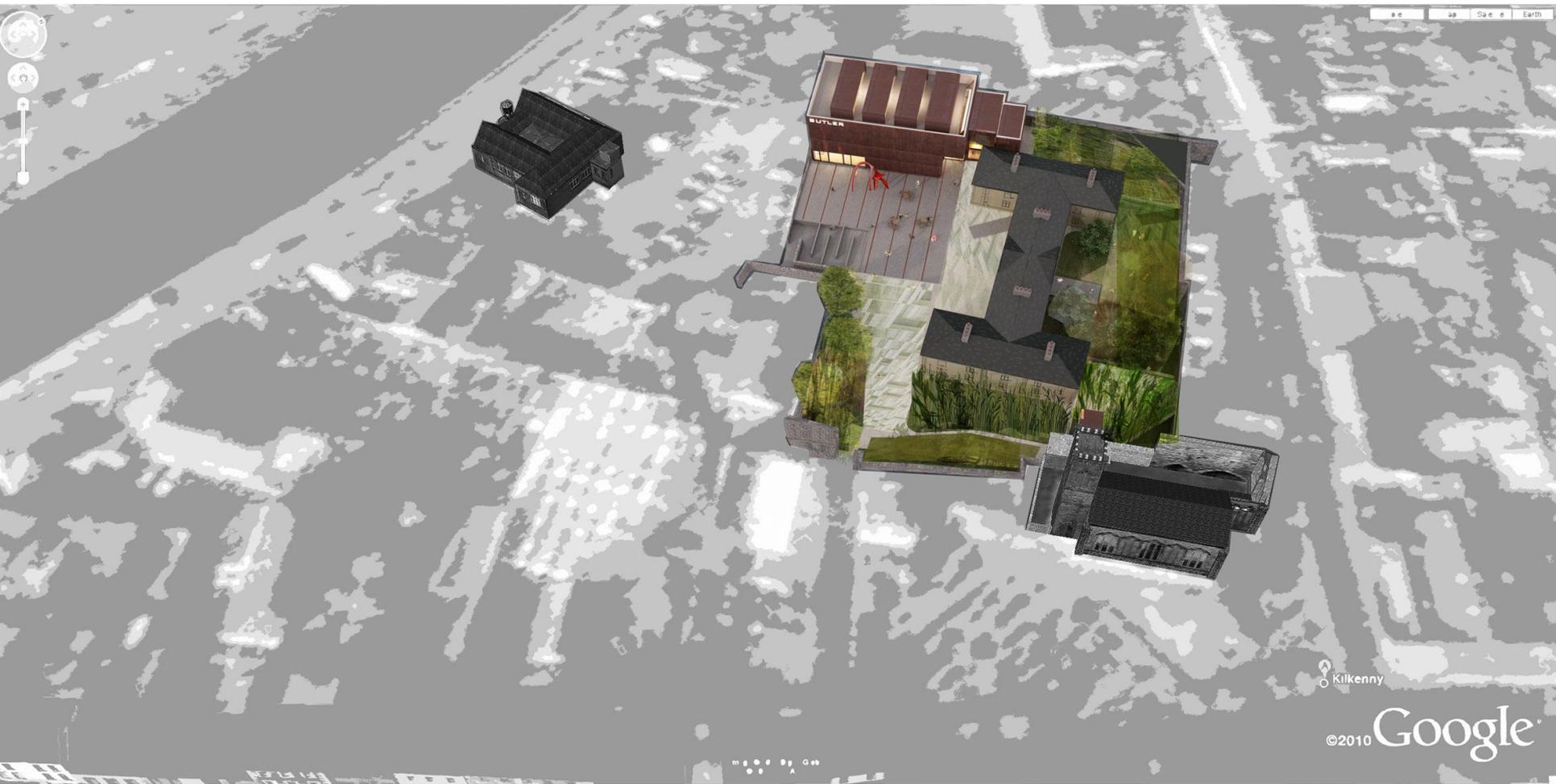
View towards County Hall

Work to date

- 2009 Design Team procured - McCullough Mulvin Architects team leader
- 2010-2011 Design, extensive research, survey work, building fabric analysis, preliminary Archaeological investigation
Gutters & downpipes renewed –Heritage Council grant
- 2011 Part 8 obtained June 2011 including contemporary extension on NW corner of site for main gallery spaces
Refurbishment 8 number chimneys –HC grant
- 2012 Full Archaeological investigation of site completed summer 2012 by Archer Heritage
Refurbishment 4 stone doorcases –HC grant
- 2014-Present November 2014 all lead stolen from roof
July 2015 Temporary roof repair
Ongoing security measures



Plan of 2011 proposal



3D of 2011 proposal



Plan of current proposal

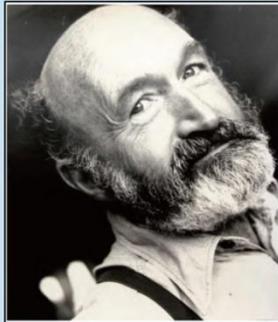


3D current proposal

Urgency of this project

- Offer of Tony O'Malley to Butler Gallery by Jane O'Malley on the condition that it is accessible for public viewing
- Lack of space to share permanent collection & O'Malley bequest
- Lack of accessibility to Gallery at present in Castle basement
- Potential loss of grant aid
- Key cultural attraction for Kilkenny City-70,000 annual audience figures to Butler Gallery
- Vulnerability of this important building & our obligations to protect it e.g. all lead stolen from roof November 2014 necessitated temp roof repair in 2015
- Same Design Team as St.Mary's Church project with proven track record & necessary specialist conservation skills

The Tony O'Malley Bequest to the Butler Gallery

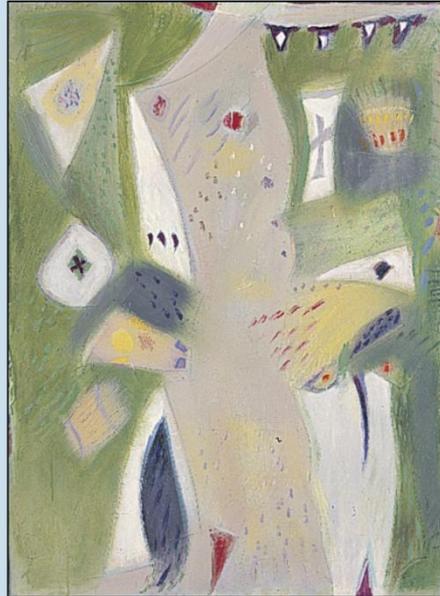


Tony O'Malley (1913-2003) holds an important and distinguished position in the history of twentieth century Irish art.

O'Malley was a proud son of Kilkenny who later went on to receive the 'Freeman of the City' in 2000. His association is a truly positive one for Kilkenny, whose people appreciate the huge contribution he made to the arts in Ireland.

This important and valuable bequest is made up of drawings (self-portraits and early scenes of Callan and Physicianstown), paintings, sculptural works and archive materials.

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Project Delivery Plan

1 Development Phase

- Stage (ii) Planning-conclude Part 8 Process
Sept-Dec 2016
- Stage (iii) Tender Action, Evaluation, Award
Including pre-qualification contractors
Jan-May 2017

2 Delivery/Construction Phase

- Stage (iv) Construction
June 2017-May 2018
- Stage (v) Handover June 2018

FINANCE

- 2007 Dept Arts Access II Grant € 2million
- 99 year lease on Evans Home to Butler Gallery on completion
- Works to date funded by Kilkenny Borough Council/Kilkenny County Council and Heritage Council
- Revised proposal developed this year omitting large gallery extension will reduce overall project costs
- Fáilte Ireland grant application submitted August 2016 for €1 million

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“Winter Crowscape” by Tony O’Malley

Purchased in 2003 by Kilkenny County Council