



ORANGERIE DU PARC DE BAGATELLE

Located in Paris, Ile de France

GRANT SUMMARY

The restoration project for the Orangerie includes the zinc roof which leaks and must be repaired to avoid further damage to the structure, cleaning of the stone façade and repairing damaged lime stones.

The lime stone is very porous and has deteriorated with time.

Work will also be done on the interior to improve the quality of the facility to host special events and welcome the public.

AT A GLANCE

Location:	Paris, Bois de Boulogne
Ownership:	City of Paris
Grant Request:	Available for funding
Matching Fund Source:	City of Paris
Allocation of Funds:	Orangerie repairs to the stone façade and roof Cost of work : 440,000€/506,000
FHS Payment:	TBD

HISTORY OF OWNERSHIP

The Bagatelle Gardens comprise an area of 24 hectares located in the Bois de Boulogne in Paris.

It is one of four divisions of the botanical garden of the City of Paris with the Auteuil greenhouse gardens, the floral garden of Paris and the arboretum located in the Bois de Vincennes.

Acquired by the City of Paris in 1905, the park was converted into a public promenade, site collections and horticultural exhibitions.

COMPELLING INDICATORS

The Orangerie of the Bagatelle Gardens was built in 1835 on the model of the Luxembourg Gardens, by architects Fayer and Gagnard. It was ordered by the domain's owner at the time, Lord Richard Seymour-Conway. Initially with 7 windows, it was extended by the addition of a window at each end in 1864.

The Orangerie, a space of 240 m², gives onto flowerbeds à la française with the celebrated rose garden with the botanical rose collection in the background.

The Bois de Boulogne is a wooded area, subject to strict planning rules. Also certified ISO 14001, the activities that take place there must meet environmental requirements.

In early June a rose festival is held at the Orangerie. It hosts classical music festivals in the spring, summer and fall as well as other events.

From mid-October to mid-May, as a Paris Botanic Garden, a collection of over 30 varieties of citrus trees are housed there on display for the winter.



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