

Quote

"As an urban dweller, declining biodiversity in our world is on display everyday. There's so much to be learned from the efforts and experiences of our peers across the globe. We're so fortunate that Part II of COP 15 is being hosted so close to home!"

Kate England

Director of Green Infrastructure, City of Boston, Massachusetts

Kate England, GIP, ENV SP, is the Director of Green Infrastructure for the City of Boston. She has a background in engineering, landscape architecture, planning and policy and has worked in the public sector in and around Boston for most of her career. Kate was appointed by Mayor Wu in July 2022 to facilitate widespread implementation of green infrastructure (GI) and help pursue the resilience goals outlined in Boston's Green New Deal. She also established the City's Green Infrastructure Working Group, which is comprised of over fifty (50) staff members, representing twenty (20) City departments, and three (3) subgroups: Policy, Collaboration/Maintenance and Standard Details/Specifications. Prior to joining the City, Kate worked for the Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) where she chaired one of DCR's Climate Action Teams and worked on GI, resilience and ecological restoration projects across the state.

Biodiversity Credentials

 National Green Infrastructure Certification Program (Green Infrastructure Professional (GIP)), Envision Sustainability Professional (ENV SP)

Biodiversity Affiliations

• Green Infrastructure Leadership Exchange

