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# PLANNING YOUR RENOVATION

HOW TO EXPLAIN  
YOUR VISION TO US?



## START HERE

The excitement running through your body is both a blessing and a curse. We are here to help you turn the picture into reality.

The main reason why renovation projects turn into headaches are misunderstandings between owners and the renovation team.

Your renovation journey starts by writing up your project scope. Walk with us through your mind and detail the WHY and the WHAT.

Now take a pen, or an entire box of colour pencils and let's go!



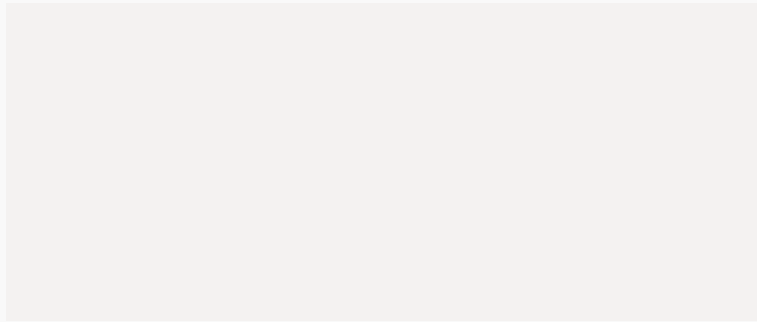
## WHY, WHY, WHY?

A successful renovation starts by identifying your emotion that you want to feel when you live in the house. An easy way to identify the emotion is to ask: WHY?

“I want to renovate and extend my house”

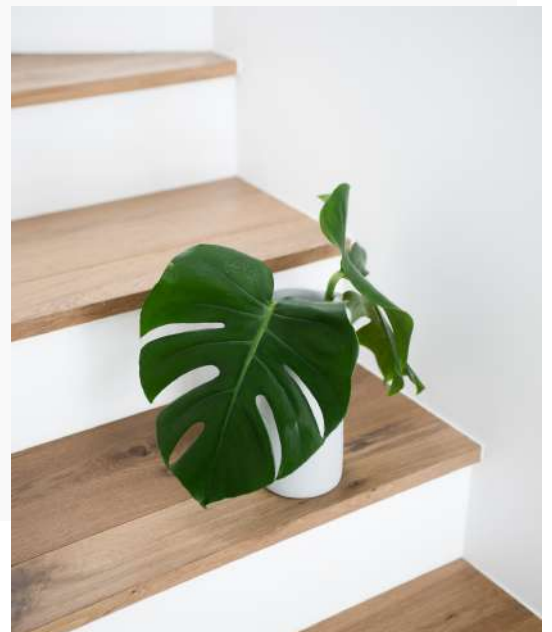
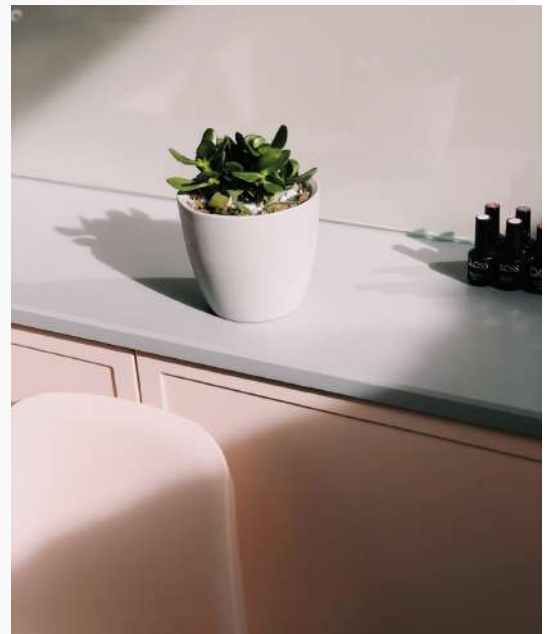
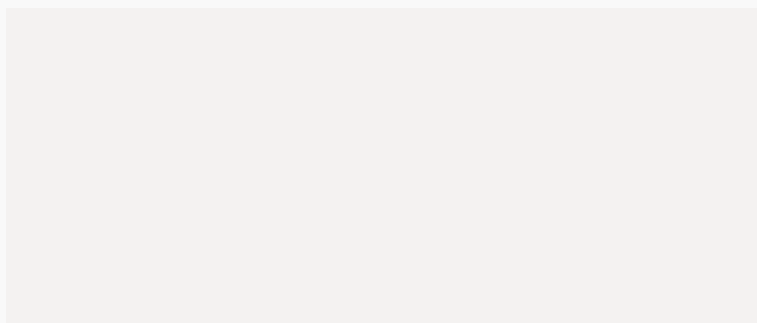
Why?

“It is an old house and needs a facelift”



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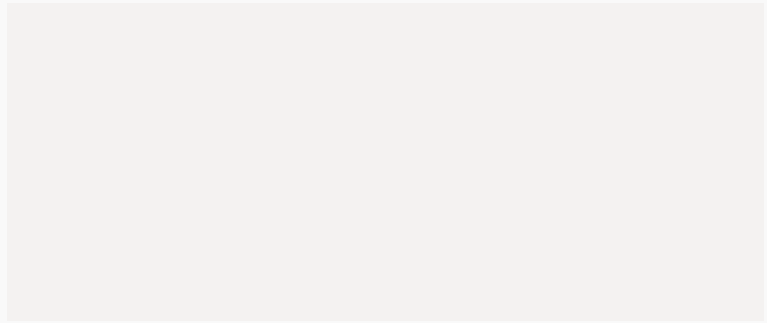
“The rooms are dark and the dining room is cut-off from the kitchen. I want to be part of the conversation when I am in the kitchen”





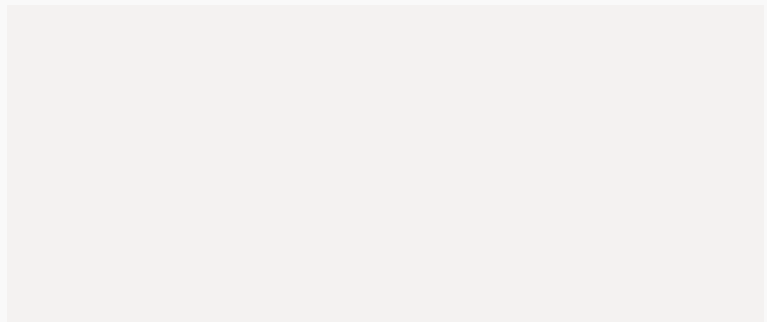
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“We love chatting to one another and the evenings is when we catch up on the happenings of the day. We love having a glass of wine and the kids sit around the dining room table to do homework. Now this all happens in separation.”



Why?

“We are a close-knit family and our family time is precious to us”



We hear this conversation time and again and by getting to your WHY emotions will help you see the end clearly.

We love to help you deliver a space filled with emotions that make you smile.

Now that you have identified the WHY, it is time to dive into the practical questions. BUT remember your emotions!

## WHAT,WHAT,WHAT?

You have determined your WHY, now we will guide you through the basics of WHAT is needed.

The questions will help you to remember and build on the scope of the renovation.

Who will live in the home now and in the future?

What different new activities will you need to accommodate?

How do you want your home to fit in with the existing environment and site?

Are there any health and safety issues to need to take account of?





What would you really like to live in?

What do you want your home interior to look like?

What facilities for heating and cooling will it have?

Do you want to install or upgrade existing security and or audio systems?

Do you see your project as a total make-over or a staged process?

What is your budget?

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Does your budget allow for professional fees and VAT?

What level of involvement do you want in the management of your renovation?

Other:

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