

NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE January 2026

Our local support continues...



We are delighted to have once again provided our support for the "Let's Get Moving" Melton Awards.

The Let's Get Moving Melton Awards celebrate the individuals, teams, schools, and organisations who are making a positive impact in sport, physical activity, and wellbeing across the Melton Borough. The awards will be taking place on Friday 23 January 2026, 6pm-10pm at the Banqueting Suite, Melton Mowbray.



Melton Borough Council would like to thank Galliford Try and the MMDR project delivery team for their ongoing support for the Let's Get Moving Melton Awards Group/Club of the Year.

For more information visit: www.melton.gov.uk/lgmmawards

Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in December 2025.



- Bridge drainage works ongoing.



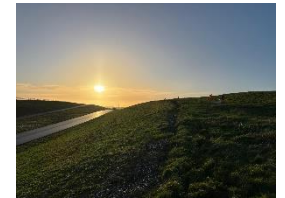
- Fencing works ongoing.



- Verge soiling across scheme progressing.

Summary of planned and ongoing work for January 2026

- Earthworks and verges ongoing.
- Fencing works ongoing.
- Landscaping ongoing.
- Street lighting and signage ongoing.
- Structures drainage ongoing.



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Our community support continues...

We are delighted to have provided support for the local community radio station 103 The Eye.

The station has supported us throughout the delivery of the project, providing live traffic bulletins and regular updates on our behalf.

This helped enormously to keep the local community and visitors to the area informed of the roadworks in place.

A. & A. LAMB LIMITED The project fencing contractors have provided a much-needed perimeter fence to help secure the transmitter station.

FENCING CONTRACTORS

From Christine Slomkowska and Patrick McCracken - Directors - 103 The Eye - community radio for Melton Mowbray and the Vale of Belvoir:

The MMDR Project Delivery Team, have shown outstanding commitment and support for the local community. They have very generously arranged for a new perimeter fence to be erected around our FM radio tower and transmission site on Broughton Hill.

This is in recognition of our broadcasting regular traffic and travel bulletins with details of the various roadworks, closures and diversions during the road building project.

The fencing has greatly improved our transmission site at no cost to the station. 103 The Eye is a social enterprise, run entirely by volunteers and we could not have afforded to get this work done amid the current challenging economic climate.

Therefore, we are very grateful to the MMDR team and to their fencing contractors A & A Lamb Ltd who provided this vital support and have done an excellent job in freezing cold conditions."



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Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in January 2026.



- Landscaping works ongoing



- Fencing works ongoing



- Footpath /Bridleway works progressing

Summary of planned and ongoing work for February 2026

- Earthworks and verges ongoing
- Fencing works ongoing
- Landscaping ongoing
- Street lighting and signage
- Structures backfill ongoing
- Footpath /Bridleway works progressing



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Our community support continues...



Help us bring a smile this Easter

Pertemps Leicester is proud to be working in partnership with Leicester Children's Hospital to collect Easter eggs for children spending Easter in hospital.

We are kindly asking our clients and contacts to support this appeal by donating Easter eggs to help make a difficult time a little brighter for the children.

Collection Details

- **Donation collection:** Friday 27th March
- **Delivery to hospital:** Monday 30th March

How you can help

- Donate an Easter egg (any size is appreciated!)
- Display this poster in your reception or office area and encourage colleagues to get involved
- Have your donation ready for collection on **Friday 27th March**

We'll also be taking a photo at the end of the appeal to showcase the fantastic support from our clients. This will be shared on LinkedIn, and we'll be sure to tag and thank everyone who took part.

Every single donation makes a difference and is hugely appreciated.

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Pertemps

Having contacted Rachel Harvey at Pertemps recruitment consultants who arranged the Easter Egg Appeal for children spending Easter in Leicester hospital, the MMDR project team have made a significant contribution towards the collection. Thanks to everyone who donated. If you would like to donate, then please contact Rachel regarding collections.



Rachel Harvey said: *"We're delighted that Pertemps Leicester is partnering with the MMDR project delivery team to support our Easter Egg Appeal for Leicester Children's Hospital. We're collecting Easter eggs for children spending Easter in hospital, and every donation helps make a difficult time a little brighter. We're hugely grateful to everyone at Galliford Try and the MMDR project team for supporting the appeal and we look forward to sharing a photo at the end of the collection to celebrate the fantastic support from our clients and contacts!"*

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Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in February 2026.



- Signage installation works progressing.



- Footpath surfacing works progressing.



- Earthworks and landscaping progressing.

Summary of planned and ongoing work for March 2026

- Earthworks and verges ongoing.
- Fencing works ongoing.
- Landscaping ongoing.
- Street lighting and signage.
- Structures backfill ongoing.
- Footpath /Bridleway works progressing.



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You may recall we supported the Egerton Park Cricket club (EPCC) and Melton Mowbray Town Estates back in November 2023. We carried out repairs to the car park area to the rear of the cricket club. Since then, we discussed options to completely resurface the entire access road and club car park which was in desperate need of full refurbishment.



Although our MMDR team had provided the initial car park repairs free of charge, to provide a total refurbishment for both the car park and access road EPCC would need to employ a surfacing contractor directly. We provided details of our MMDR delivery partner Holcim who in turn have liaised with EPCC and have been able to provide their services. The work was completed with a substantial cost reduction as part of Holcim's commitment to the MMDR community support.



"We are absolutely delighted with the work carried out by the MMDR team and Holcim. For almost a decade, our club has been trying to resurface this road and car park, but despite repeated efforts, the cost had always proved prohibitive for a non-profit cricket club such as ours. While this project still represented a significant investment, it has finally made what once felt unachievable a reality.

I cannot overstate the difference this improvement will make, not only to our club, but to all park users. The feedback from the local community has been overwhelmingly positive. One comment in particular stands out: a mobility scooter user who regularly walks her dog was genuinely moved to tears as she described the life-changing impact this will have on her day-to-day experience. Moments like that bring home just how important this work is.

As we continue to welcome visiting teams to our ground in the years ahead,

their first impression of both the club and the town will be transformed. Where once the road was seen as run-down and littered with potholes, something many people actively tried to avoid, it is now a welcoming, convenient and well-cared-for asset that truly serves the community. It is a standard befitting both the park and our Premier League status.

Thank you once again for what you have achieved. Your work will have a lasting and meaningful impact for many years to come.

Nick Watchorn

Chairman of Egerton Park Cricket Club"



Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in March 2026.



- St lighting installation works complete.



- Footpath surfacing works progressing.



- Surfacing works progressing.

Summary of planned and ongoing work for April 2026

- Earthworks and verges ongoing.
- Fencing works ongoing.
- Landscaping ongoing.
- Signage ongoing.
- Footpath /Bridleway works ongoing.
- Final stage surfacing works ongoing.



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Our community support overview to date....

As we are now close to project completion, we wanted to share an overview of the added social value brought to the local community. We are pleased that we have been given the opportunity to help local charities, schools and numerous worthy causes in the area. We would also like to thank you for all your support, patience, understanding and cooperation you kindly afforded us during the construction period.

NEMMDR Social Value Highlights

Social value

£43.2m

Local spend



£16,500

Raised for local charities



80%

Local workforce employed



£28.5m

Added Social Value

9



New Jobs created locally for previously unemployed people



48/50



Considerate Constructors Scheme score



Education and local community support

968hrs voluntary time supporting local community projects including schools and charities.



65 students directly engaged with construction related interest including group site visits and classroom-based training sessions

£48,357

Donated in time and materials to local school & community projects



Environmental benefit

1843 tonnes of waste diverted from landfill

98% recycle rate



7741 tonnes of waste from local area reused on site



4756 tonnes of CO2e emissions savings



2 artificial badger sets created

20 bat and bird boxes installed across the project

Employment and skills

20 work placements including ex military, SEND & mainstream students



13

Apprentices



944 weeks

APPRENTICESHIP training and student placement

Progress and upcoming works

Summary of work progressed or completed in April 2026.



- St lighting commissioning works complete.



- Landscape planting works complete.



- Final stage surfacing works progressed.

Summary of remaining final stage work for May 2026.

- Earthworks and verges.
- Fencing works.
- Signage.
- Footpath /Bridleway works.
- Final stage surfacing works.
- Road marking works.



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