

# Carbon Reduction and Value

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## 1. Excellence – making savings

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## 2. The next steps - Automation

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## **Public Realm**





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# **Savings in Coventry**

- Reduction in material, equipment, people & overhead costs of £2.6m or 19% of the agreed TC of £13.8m
  - Proposing Asphalt in lieu of reinforced concrete foundation £1.8m
  - Excavation depths and advanced GI £250k
  - Alternative paving materials £180k
  - Plant room location alternative £44k
  - Future proofing ducting £330k
  - Mains Power £27k
  - Alternative Compounds £99k

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# Savings in Wolverhampton

- Reduction in material, equipment, people & overhead costs of £4.3m or 37% of the agreed TC of £11.9m
- Through:
  - Proposing Asphalt in lieu of reinforced concrete foundation £3.5m
  - Using thinner paving units (100mm in lieu 180mm) £244k
  - Value Engineering the Foundation depths £554k

Full Carbon Savings not yet assessed but expected to be significant against all aspects,



## **Reducing Carbon**

- Reducing rework, increasing quality and longevity of the pavement
- Increasing efficiency and reducing time on site
- Decreasing waste through optimization and reuse of offcuts
- Reducing waste water
- Whilst also increasing safety, reducing noise and disruption for the public



## The Future

- Robotic Cutting of Paving Units
  - Onsite testing 2022
  - Initial Operational Deployment 2023



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