

# Lake Road / Leopold Road / Vineyard Hill Road Pedestrian Crossing Improvements



Notice of implementation letter  
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Cabinet Member for Transport



## Proposed improvements

Please be advised that as part of our pedestrian safety and accessibility improvements programme, the Council will be carrying out some improvements at the junctions of Lake Rd / Leopold Rd / Vineyard Hill Road.

The measures will improve pedestrian accessibility and safety, by building out one corner of Lake Road thus reducing the crossing distance for pedestrians and slow vehicle entry speed; reconstruction of the existing pedestrian refuge island in Leopold Rd; new dropped kerbs with tactiles in both Lake Road and Vineyard Hill Road to aid those pedestrians with visual and mobility impairments; and some new trees.

Please see plan overleaf or alternatively view online at: <https://www.merton.gov.uk/lake-rd>

## Date and Time of Works

The works will be carried out between **2<sup>nd</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> April 2024**, weather permitting, and every effort will be made to reduce this time where possible. Notice boards will be placed at this location in advance of the works, advising all road users of these specific dates. The majority of the construction work will take place between the hours of **8am and 5pm, Monday to Friday**. FM Conway Ltd will carry out the works on behalf of the Council.

## Traffic Management and Access Arrangements

Temporary traffic lights will be in place for part of the work and access to properties will be maintained at all times. Parking restrictions / suspensions will be introduced where necessary to facilitate construction equipment and materials storage. "No Parking" cones and signs will be in place to indicate the areas where and when parking is prohibited. It should be noted, that whilst the restrictions are in place, illegally parked vehicles will be removed.

The contractor will erect information boards on site and their staff will be able to update you on the progress as the works proceed. Please do not hesitate to ask the staff on site should you require any assistance. Merton Council and FM Conway Ltd apologise in advance for any inconvenience caused.

## Contact Details

Personnel looking after these works are:

James Geeson      Merton Council Engineer: 020 8545 3054  
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