

# NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE December 2023

## Our charitable support continues....

Our team have been busy delivering the project, however, we have taken the time to support the T4u Christmas "Love in a box" appeal.



We have helped provide a vital contribution for children across Eastern Europe who are less fortunate than ourselves at this time of year. Our employees have provided Christmas gifts that hopefully will provide a young child with a little something to open and enjoy this Christmas.



Children in Romania, Bosnia, Moldova, Georgia, and Ukraine will receive shoeboxes. Many of the children in Romania, Moldova and Georgia were Ukrainian refugees who had fled the conflict.



## T4u Project Manager Joshua Murindwa quoted:

*"Last year the charity delivered 62,574 shoeboxes with help from schools, businesses, and organisations like Galliford Try and the NEMMDR project team.*

*This year the community of Melton alone have so far donated over 1000 shoeboxes. With your fantastic support we are on track for another successful year, thank you so much for your contribution".*



## Community sponsorship for a great event...

We are delighted to have been invited to support this year's MBC "LETS GET MOVING" Melton Awards 2023.

The Let's Get Moving Melton Awards celebrates the fantastic achievements and dedication to sport, physical activity and health across Melton Borough. Good luck to all the entries.



## Santa is coming to town...

The NEMMDR project delivery team are proud to sponsor and support this year's Melton Aurora Rotary Club's Santa Sleigh Collection.



Please do look out for him and his little helpers as they visit Melton throughout December.

We are excited and looking forward to meeting him and his helpers at our site office soon 😊



*May we take this opportunity to wish you all a very Merry Christmas 2023.*



## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in November 2023

Work continues on Scalford Road with Severn Trent Water diversions and connections.



Bridge foundation works continue at Scalford Brook, Thorpe Brook and River Eye.

Road construction works ongoing at A606 Nottingham Road to Scalford Road.



### Summary of planned and ongoing work for December 2023

Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works are ongoing.

**Updated scheme photographs and drone footage available for you to view on this link [MMDR on Kuula](#)**

**There are no requirements for road closures throughout December, however, and to provide you with advanced notice, the A606 (South of Melton) Burton Road will be closed from 08<sup>th</sup> Jan 2024 from 06:00 to 28<sup>th</sup> January 23:59 to carry out service diversion works across the A606. Diversion routes will be clearly signposted.**



**Traffic from the North A46 & Nottingham heading South to Oakham/Stamford will be diverted via A46 > A52 > A1 > A606 for Stamford/Rutland and Oakham.**

**Traffic from the South heading North will be diverted via the A1 > A607 for Melton and A1 > A52 for Nottingham.**

**Traffic from Melton can use the diversion route via the A607 to the A1 to head South.**

**Note - A606 Nottingham Road in and out of Melton will remain open.**

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## NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE January 2024

### Our charitable support continues....

The NEMMDR project team have been liaising with the local storehouse charity foodbank and agreed to support them and in turn help people in need over the Christmas period.

We ran a foodbank donation campaign throughout December at our offices across the project.

All our staff including the project delivery partners brought food parcels in from home and we delivered the collection just before we had our Christmas break.



storehouse

Storehouse is run by Melton Vineyard Church and supported by Churches Together in Melton Mowbray. They put together packages for those who are most in need. They rely heavily on the local support of very generous people who donate food, clothing and other items to help the people most in need in our local area.



Storehouse Business Manager, Siggy Atherton was delighted to receive our donations delivered by GT employees at the new Storehouse premises located at the rear of the Hope Centre, 42-44 Nottingham Street, Melton Mowbray, LE13 1NW.

If you or someone you know needs support further details of Storehouse foodbank are available at [www.storehousemelton.org.uk](http://www.storehousemelton.org.uk)

Hunger  
doesn't stop  
at Christmas

Everything Storehouse Melton give out is donated, so they rely heavily on the local community to help the people most in need. Let's do our bit. [storehousemelton.org.uk](http://storehousemelton.org.uk)

Please donate to our local foodbank

Urgently needed

Tinned soup  
Tinned fruit or custard  
Instant Noodles/Pot Noodles  
Tinned vegetables & potatoes  
Pasta sauce jars  
Tinned meat/fish



storehouse



### Our project team welcomed a visit from Santa...

Having sponsored the Santa Sleigh collection in December the project delivery team were pleased to welcome Santa to the NEMMDR site offices. We are delighted to have helped to raise vital funding for the local community.



Brenda Clayton, President  
Rotary Club of Melton Aurora said:

*"The Rotary Club of Melton Aurora expresses its thanks to the 'Melton Mowbray Distributor Road Project Team' for their sponsorship support for the Santa Sleigh 2023 event.*

*Santa, Mrs Clause and the Elves with the Sleigh were welcomed to the MMDR Nottingham Road Offices on 12th December where we received an additional £86.85p in donations from the staff.*

*Our house-to-house collections over five evenings with Santa and his sleigh yielded over £2000 to use in the local Melton Mowbray community working with organisations that support people who are disadvantaged for a variety of reasons.*

*We shall be using the surplus of MMDR sponsorship funding and Santa collection income to support other local organisations such as 'Oasis' a preschool working in a disadvantaged part of Melton which also has a special needs provision, Birchwood Special School, The Venue and The Hub, all providing valuable support to adults, families and children of all ages in our community"*

## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in December 2023

Site works progressed up to the Christmas shutdown on 22 December 2023 during which time the site shutdown works commenced in preparation for return to work on 02 January 2024.

Bridge foundation works continued at Scalford Brook, Thorpe Brook and River Eye.



Completed offline drainage works Burton Road.



### Summary of planned and ongoing work for January 2024

Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works are ongoing.  
Construct piling platform for the new River Eye bridge.  
Continue piling works at Thorpe Brook.  
Roundabout 6 Burton Road closure works.

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### A606 Burton Road Closure update



As you will be aware from our previous newsletter, social media and local press articles a road closure is required on Burton Road (South of Melton). **The closure will be in place from 06:00 January 8<sup>th</sup> 2024 and reopen at 23:59 January 28<sup>th</sup> 2024.**

We have been working hard to address the enquires we received from the local community in relation to this closure. We can confirm that further specific information regarding this closure including answers to the enquires we have received are available at <https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/road-projects/north-and-east-melton-mowbray-distributor-road-scheme/construction-updates-and-road-works>

Please click the box at the top of the page that will take you to the relevant information.

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## NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE February 2024

### Local Employment with the NEMMDR project delivery team.

Providing employment in the areas we work is high on our agenda.

Over 85% of the NEMMDR project delivery team including key supply chain partners employees live in Leicestershire.

We are delighted to have provided a local lad with the opportunity to join us at Galliford Try as one of our apprentice engineers.

*My name is Zak Bramley and I am a trainee engineer for Galliford Try working on the Melton Mowbray Distributor Road project. After contacting Galliford Try and expressing my interest in civil engineering last year I was delighted to be offered a two-week trial/placement on the MMDR project.*

*My time with the delivery team was very rewarding and I knew that this was the career for me. The team were pleased with my attitude and commitment and shortly after completing my placement I was offered employment as a trainee engineer.*

*I am really enjoying my time here and learning new skills every day. The team are fantastic and always share their knowledge and help me with everything I need. I am so grateful to Galliford Try for offering me this great opportunity and with my 5-year apprenticeship scheme I can gain my qualification and progress my career in the construction industry. I am hopeful and looking forward to a long future with Galliford Try.*



### Project spend contribution within Leicestershire.



As part of our commitment to delivering both social and economic benefits locally, we monitor and record contract spend within Leicestershire. Our current subcontract spend within the region has reached in excess of £20m to date.

Our Graduate Quantity Surveyor Saif Hussain has been working hard to keep track on spend and provided the latest figures for our newsletter.

*Saif said; I have been a part of the project team since June 2023. The insight and guidance provided by Galliford Try to young graduates embarking on their first 'real jobs' is invaluable.*

*I have been supported by my colleagues who are always there to provide a helping hand in understanding the different aspects of the project, from reviewing sub-contracts to processing applications. As the Quantity Surveyor on multiple packages, I have come to the realisation of how important this project is to the people of Melton Mowbray and the benefits it will bring in the future.*

*So far, I have thoroughly enjoyed the graduate program and would recommend any aspiring individual to go through the same route. I've been able to develop into my role and map out the direction of my chosen career path.*

## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in January 2024.

- Installation of highways drainage work on Nottingham Rd.
- Access works at Sysonby Lodge on Nottingham Rd.
- Piling works at Scalford Brook completed.
- Piling works at Thorpe Brook progressing.
- Twinlakes theme park site vegetation clearance for new access points.
- Works on the A606 Burton Rd during closure has been completed.



### Summary of planned and ongoing work for February 2024

- Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works are ongoing.
- Commence installation of the BT ducting for the diversion at Twin lakes.
- Drainage installation will commence at Scalford Brook before progressing onto Thorpe Brook.

#### Advanced Road Closure Notification Melton Spinney Road



A full road closure will be in place from Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2024 until Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024.. The work being carried out is utility diversions and surfacing.

Access to residential properties and Twin Lakes theme park will be maintained at all times.

Further specific information regarding this closure including diversion routes will be uploaded shortly at: <https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/road-projects/north-and-east-melton-mowbray-distributor-road-scheme/construction-updates-and-road-works>

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## NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE March 2024

### Student work experience continues.....

Providing students with work experience is vital for their future aspirations and the construction industries skilled workforce requirements.

Work experience student Koby Connor wrote:

*I've never been in a work environment before so didn't really know what to expect, but my time at Galliford Try certainly gave me a good idea of what I can look forward to in the future. On my first day I was provided with personal protective clothing and equipment and a full site safety induction. It was interesting to see the different aspects of work and being involved has helped me with my future decision making of what I'd like to do. During my time on the project I spoke to different people with different roles at Galliford Try. We discussed their individual career paths that they took after leaving school and how this could help my own journey in future. My experience with the project team has been fantastic and I would like to thank Galliford Try for giving me this opportunity.*



## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in February 2024.

- Installation of highways drainage work on Nottingham Rd ongoing.
- Access works at Sysonby Lodge on Nottingham Rd ongoing.
- Piling platform works at Scalford Brook and Thorpe brook completed.
- Twinlakes theme park site vegetation clearance for new access completed.



### Summary of planned and ongoing work for March 2024

- Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works across scheme ongoing.
- A606 Burton Rd offline new roundabout construction works ongoing .
- River Eye Piling works to commence.



#### Advanced Road Closure Notification A606 Nottingham Rd / St Bartholomew's way

The A606 Nottingham Road and St Bartholomew's Way will be closed from 06:00 Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2024 until 19:00 Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2024, at which point we will reopen the A606 Nottingham Road. We will still be working on **St Bartholomew's Way**, which will remain closed until 18:00 Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024.

Please be aware that, as a contingency measure, it may be necessary to complete any outstanding works on St Bartholomew's Way between Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2024 and Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April.

During the closures, there will be **no pedestrian access on Nottingham Road into St Bartholomew's Way**. There will be a signed diversion along the footpath on Winchester & Canterbury Drive during these works. Further specific information regarding this closure including diversion routes will be uploaded shortly at:

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## National OPEN DOOR 2024 Construction Industry event...



We were delighted to open our door and welcome a group of young students with special educational needs and disabilities, to experience the “ world of work” at the NEMMDR project. We provided a full agenda of hands on activities and an exciting overview of the varied world of work within the construction industry.

The students visit was made extra special with support from our archaeologists team ARS and Collins Earthworks contractors.



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### Bill Baird-Parker

#### SEND Employment Officer wrote:

*“A massive thank you to all the team for organising and delivering an amazing visit.. As soon as we arrived there was a packed agenda for the students to enjoy, from looking and discussing the archaeological finds, scheme presentation, 4x4 trips around the site, a VR experience, lunch in the office canteen with employees, watching huge machines in action and culminating with the project drone demonstration. All employment engagement opportunities are vital to give the students the best chance of understanding the world of work, but this one was very special.*

### Evelyn Cox

#### Pupil Intervention Manager/DDSL

#### Willoughby Academy wrote:

*Thank you for inspiring our pupils and introducing them in the best way ever to the world of construction. Support from businesses and people like you really is making a difference to our pupils, raising aspirations and inspiring them to make informed choices regarding their future.*



## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in March 2024.



A606 Nottingham Rd & St Bartholomew's Way road closure works completed. Thank you for your cooperation.



Piling works at River Eye progressing.



Cadent Gas Utility & STW diversion works at A606 Burton Rd progressing.



Foundation works South of the railway progressing.

### Summary of planned and ongoing work for April 2024

- Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works across scheme ongoing.
- A606 Burton Rd offline new roundabout construction works ongoing.
- Culvert installation works across scheme commence.



#### **Advanced Road Closure Notification B676 Saxby Road.**

A temporary road closure is required on the B676 Saxby Road located at Lag Lane junction. The closure will be in place from 6:00 am Monday April 29th 2024 and reopen on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 at 7:00pm Access for pedestrians and cyclists will be available. Cyclists will need to dismount as they pass through the works. The closure is required to safely undertake the installation of new drainage network as part of the new roundabout construction. The diversion routes will be clearly signposted.

Specific information regarding this closure is available at <https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/road-projects/north-and-east-melton-mowbray-distributor-road-scheme/construction-updates-and-road-works>

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**The diversion route for this closure is via the A607 to the A1.**

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## NEMMDR - Melton Mowbray Distributor Road UPDATE May 2024

### Care for our local workforce and their families “Make it Visible” campaign 2024

The NEMMDR project welcomed the Lighthouse charity to site to meet the team and offer advice and support.

With over 70% of the projects workforce local to Melton Mowbray this initiative reaches out to our site team and their families and provides a vital lifeline if they are in need of help and support.



The Lighthouse Construction Industry Charity is the only charity that provides emotional, physical and financial wellbeing support to construction workers and their families.

The visit was supported and attended by our supply chain partners Force One who have aligned with the charity to provide much needed funding.

**Force One’s managing director, Declan Burke, said:** *“We are very proud to support the Lighthouse construction charity and to promote the variety of key resources they provide to individuals and their families in the industry. It was great to be on site in Melton Mowbray with the Galliford Try project delivery team and the Lighthouse charity. The MMDR project will be the first to hire the truck and kick start Force One’s financial support to the Lighthouse Construction Industry Charity, by making a donation each the time vehicle is hired out”*



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## Progress and upcoming works

### Summary of work progressed or completed in April 2024.



Culvert installation works across scheme progressing.



Piling works at River Eye progressing .



Scalford Brook bridge Structure progressing.



Earthworks and utility works progressing across scheme.

### Summary of planned and ongoing work for May 2024

- Archaeological works, earthworks, drainage and service diversions works across scheme ongoing.
- A606 Burton Rd and A606 Nottingham Rd offline new roundabout construction works ongoing.
- Bridge structures and culverts ongoing across scheme.

Updated scheme photographs and drone footage is available for you to view on this link [MMDR on Kuula](#)



### Road Closure Update: B676 Saxby Road.

We are pleased to inform you that the temporary road closure on the B676 Saxby Road located at Lag Lane junction has been completed earlier than anticipated. Saxby Rd is now reopen for use.

Thank you for your cooperation during this closure.

### Temporary two way traffic lights safety alert.

Please be aware we have had several incidents regarding drivers running red lights and one accident reported. Fortunately on this occasion no one was seriously injured. The delivery of the project requires temporary two way traffic lights across the scheme . For your own safety and that of our workforce please adhere to traffic light systems when operational.



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