

Project Update Talbot Road/Seymour Road

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Works have now started on the latest phase of Trafford Council's programme of constructing cyclops junctions along the A56 Chester Road and Talbot Road. The junction improvements will see the creation of a safe continuous cycling and walking link through to the centre of Trafford, opening the area up for active travel, improving safety and taking cars off the road.

This phase will see the junctions of Talbot Rd/Chester Rd and Talbot Rd/Seymour Rd undergoing major reconfiguration into cycle friendly links and cyclops junctions, including smart signals to cut down on unnecessary waiting. Talbot Road is a very busy road and well used by local cyclists, these works will make it easier and safer to use and hopefully make active travel more appealing to less confident members of the community.

Works are programmed to be completed by Christmas 2025.

Progress

December 2024

Works started on the 11th November and paused for the Christmas shut-down on 20th December.

The first area to be constructed is the cycleway to the southern footpath between the end of the recently completed work at White City Way junction, towards Seymour Road. To date we have installed the new footpath kerb and laid the initial bitmac surface. This enabled us to re-open the footpath for pedestrians over Christmas.

We've also installed some of the new cycleway islands but these works have had to be halted until the underground services have been diverted.

January 2025

Works recommenced on Monday 6th January with the excavation of the trench for the newly diverted electricity cables. There will also be some more work on the cycleway islands and start the reconfiguration of the junction of Boyer St.







