

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

September 2025

The new road surface has been laid to the initial phase of the project between White City Way and Seymour Grove.

Work has continued at Chester Road junction and is now substantially complete. We have also been working on the new islands on the northern footway and once finished we can start the road and footway surfacing for this phase.

Work has been completed in Seymour Grove and Elsinore Road and we have also completed the work on the rain-garden in the western side of the Chester Road/Talbot Road junction.

We have started on the final phase of this scheme – the construction of the new cycleway islands on the southern footway, east of Seymour Grove.

October 2025

Now that the surfacing work on Talbot Road is complete the new pedestrian crossing near Boyer Street can be commissioned.

We will also carry out some works out of phase make the area safe and prepare for the Manchester Marathon on 12th October

We should also complete all the remaining kerbing works to the footway/cycleway by the end of October/early November which will allow for the completion of all road and footway surfacing – a major milestone of this scheme.

