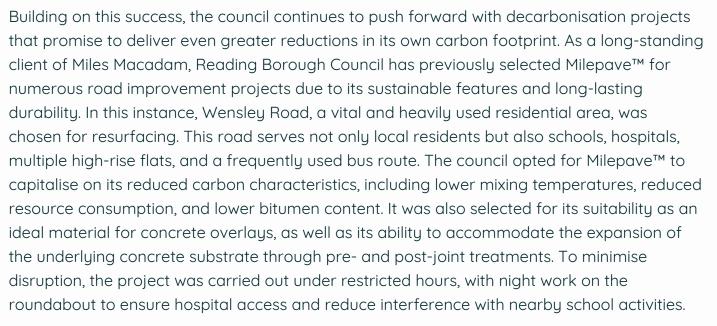


# WENSLEY ROAD, READING

## **MILEPAVE**<sup>™</sup>

Reading Borough Council has led the way in carbon reduction, achieving a 54% drop in emissions since 2005. The borough now boasts the lowest per capita emissions in Berkshire, below both the South East and UK averages.



### Delivered Programme of Work:

- Sector 6,241m<sup>2</sup> of Milepave™ Concrete Overlay
- ♣ 3,606m² of Milepave™ on flexible existing surface
- S3.14 tCO₂e total emissions

#### **Environmental Savings:**

- Savings of 106.74 tonnes in aggregates and 15 tonnes in straight run bitumen over conventional materials
- 33.14 tCO<sub>2</sub>e saving over using a conventional warm mix material and a non-carbon neutral surfacing contractor
- Increased performance and subsequent lower whole life carbon costs

### **Financial Saving:**

Designed system to last longer, address specific issues and ensure lower whole life cost



Praising the success of the resurfacing scheme, two councillors from Reading Borough Council expressed their delight, emphasising the transformative impact the project has had on improving carbon emissions and enhancing the overall quality of their highway network in the borough.

"Wensley Road is a key route in the local area, and we're pleased with the results of the resurfacing work here from Miles Macadam. It yet again demonstrates our commitment to reducing carbon use as we move towards our carbon neutral target." Clir John Ennis, Reading's Lead Councillor for Climate Strategy and Transport

"We are always keen to introduce efficiencies and innovation that will make our resurfacing programme better value, higher standard, longer lasting and more environmentally friendly for residents, and this project with Miles Macadam has met those criteria, delivering big improvements with minimal disruption."

Karen Rowland, Lead Councillor for Environmental Services and Community Safety