Lea Bridge Road and Bakers Arms, Leyton

Factfile

Spend: £3million

Dates: Street works started in May 2013

Shopfront works started in September 2013

Works finished April 2014

The largest of the nine areas selected for a share of the £9million investment, Lea Bridge Road and Bakers Arms has seen a huge amount of money invested to improve shopfronts and streets in the local area. Through the scheme, the junction where these two main roads meet was redesigned to create a new public space and improve traffic routes. Tree planting, resurfacing works and wider pavements to house new market stalls, now also make the area much more pleasant for visitors. Running alongside these works, a shopfront scheme helped transform the look and feel of the area, adding some colour to Leyton.

The works included:

- 33 new shopfronts facades, plus works to improve the properties above each shop or business.
- A new design for the junction of Lea Bridge Road and Bakers Arm, creating a public space, a new countdown crossing, and more trees.



