Leyton Town Centre



Waltham Forest Council was awarded £27million by Transport for London for the Mini-Holland Programme, to improve the borough's roads and town centres making them great places to live, work and travel around.

Leyton Town Centre will form part of the Mini-Holland Programme town centres scheme, which aims to create attractive streets and green spaces to encourage local people to spend more time enjoying these areas while shopping and travelling.

The Leyton Town Centre scheme refers to the area bordered by Lea Bridge Road, Church Road, High Road Leyton, Norlington Road and the A12. This is a thriving community area with around 11,200 households and, in recent years, has benefited from area wide regeneration. The area will undergo a number of

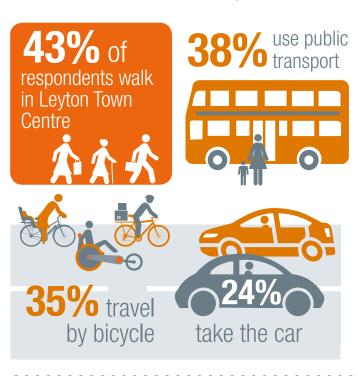
changes to improve conditions for people who walk and cycle as well as making improvements to the look and feel of the public space, bringing a wide range of benefits to residents and businesses.

Between 5 June and 26 June 2015, we conducted a perception survey to find out what local people think about the area and the type of improvements they would like to see

The survey was online as well as over 11,000 copies hand delivered to all households in the area. Over 500 people responded and provided more than 690 individual comments.

The results from the perception survey have been used to inform the design for Leyton Town Centre.

The headline results from the survey are below:



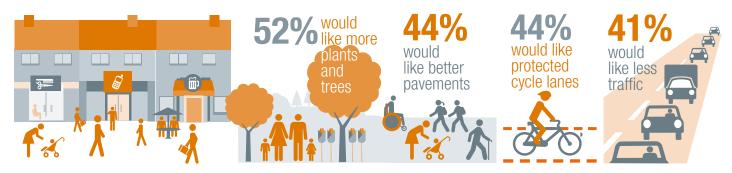
51% feel that some areas of Leyton Town Centre are unattractive

39% said it is easy to get around

44% feel that some areas don't feel safe

37% said it doesn't feel like a community

59% of respondents would like to see more attractive streets in some areas to make **Leyton Town Centre** more pleasant for walking and cycling.



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For more information on this scheme and the Mini-Holland Programme visit www.enjoywalthamforest.co.uk.





