

# ULTIMATE EXPERIENCE

ULTIFASTPATH AT HASTINGS DRIVE, BARWELL, LEICESTERSHIRE  
THE ONE PASS, FOOTPATH SURFACING SOLUTION

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**Product** ULTIFASTPATH

**Client** LEICESTERSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

**Main Contractor** LAFARGE TARMAC CONTRACTING

**Location** HASTINGS DRIVE, BARWELL, LEICESTERSHIRE

**Completion** FEBRUARY 2013

*“The material selection was preferred as it allowed access to be maintained to properties due to its single layer application and this also shortened the duration on site.”*

Phil Bickley, Senior Engineer SW,  
Leicestershire County Council.

# ULTIFASTPATH

When Leicestershire County Council was faced with replacing a failed footway to a housing estate in Barwell, they looked to us to come up with a solution.

## THE CHALLENGE

The site was on a busy housing estate with various access issues and wide footways where cars were parked on the road and footpath. This was the driver for the authority to include dropped kerb access replacements and extensions. During the contract the client was reluctant to restrict access to the properties for long durations and overnight as this posed trip hazards to pedestrians.

## OUR SOLUTION

Lafarge Tarmac Contracting had been working in partnership with Leicestershire County Council since 2008, and through this collaborative working relationship we suggested the use of Ultifastpath as an alternative to conventional footway construction in order to minimise disruption and time taken on site.

## RESULTS AND BENEFITS

ULTIFASTPATH is a proprietary 10mm asphalt surface course that can be laid in a single layer up to 70mm thick. This significantly speeds up installation, reduces disruption and also results in a significantly more durable surface that is highly resistant to deformation from vehicle loads.

For this contract we installed the material in a single layer of 50mm, therefore reducing the program by 2 days and used 100t less material than if offering a conventional solution.



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