



safetrack[®] LM

Project: MERTHYR TYDFIL, WALES
Client: MERTHYR TYDFIL COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL
Main Contractor: METHYR TYDFIL DLO

products in action

Following the introduction of twenty-five new bus stops in Merthyr Tydfil, in the heart of South Wales, the local council were looking for an effective system for the associated line markings which could be installed by their own operatives.

As the material had to be applied not only to asphalt but also to concrete and granite, the products Merthyr Tydfil County Borough Council had previously used could not achieve suitable adhesion.

To solve this problem the Council turned to the cold plastic, MMA resin based Safetrack LM Durable system. Not only does this achieve a high bond strength to a wide range of substrates, ensuring a prolonged service life, but also requires no specialist skills or equipment for its application, enabling the Council's Direct Labour Organisation to install the system themselves.

The system is cold applied and so the Council's workforce were not subjected to the health and safety risks associated with the "hot trades" required with traditional line markings. This combined with the materials fast cure meant the new bus stops could remain in use during the application of the Safetrack LM resulting in no disruption to the town's bus service.



With the lines now in place, the material's strong adhesion and durability will ensure a long service life enabling the Council to avoid the regular costs of reinstatement associated with thermoplastic materials and the disruption this creates to the town's transport network.



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