

Railway bridge gets spruce up and new lights

GOLBORNE Road bridge has been given a makeover, using a design chosen by local people.

The bridge, in North Kensington, has been transformed from a tired-looking iron railway bridge into an attractive local landmark.

Its owner, Network Rail, teamed up with Kensington and Chelsea Council and local designers Urban Eye and Brownbaby, after residents flagged up that the century-old landmark needed some TLC.



■ BRIGHT CROSSING: Golborne Road Bridge all lit up after its facelift to a design chosen by local people

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The work included cleaning repainting and repairing the bridge as well as installing new lighting and new security grilles.

The Mayor of Kensington and Chelsea, Councillor Charles Williams, switched on the new lights at a ceremony on Monday,

last week.

Miles Watson from Urban Eye said: "We are delighted by the outcome and hope that the partnership model we initiated on this project might be effectively replicated on bridges in other London boroughs."