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# Press Release

## THE WESTWAY PROJECT

September 2000 saw the official unveiling of the Westway Project pilot scheme, an architectural lighting and painting contract to brighten a section of the underside of the Westway Flyover in North Kensington, West London. The purpose of the project was to significantly improve the environment for the local community underneath the flyover, which carries the A40(M) through the densely populated urban area and across a number of important local routes including Portebello Road, site of Portebello Market.

The work was conceived and promoted by the community led Westway Project team, whose chief aim is to improve the environment alongside and underneath the flyover by cleaning and brightening the structure and improving lighting at night. The aims of the Westway Project team appealed to Maunsell's Group Chief Executive, Peter Head OBE FREng, who committed Maunsell's maintenance and repair specialists to the scheme. In addition to direct financial support, bolstered by a Government Pairing Scheme award, Maunsell provided advice and liaison with the Highways Agency, specified light-reflective paint systems for the concrete soffit and electrical installation for the lighting and supervised the works. Maunsell was the original designer of the Westway and supervised its construction during the 1960s.

The work is also being funded by the Highways Agency and local sponsors.

The Westway Project team are already planning the second part of the trial at Malton Road, and have several art-based projects running in the background.

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