

Gainsborough Drive Pond

Lowestoft Town Council have agreed to progress works on the Gainsborough Drive Pond, working with *GT Rochester Plant Ltd*. This leaflet is to help answer any questions you might have on what works will be taking place, when they will happen and for how long.

What is happening?

The Pond at Gainsborough Drive is scheduled for dredging works. This work will include:

- *Setting up a fenced-off compound onsite*
- *Use of Heavy Plant Transport*
- *Dredging of Pond (directly loading waste into lorries)*
- *Taking the waste off site*
- *Road sweeping upon completion*

When is it happening and for how long?

Work is scheduled to start on ***Monday 17th October*** and is expected to last a minimum of ***three weeks***.



Picture right: Gainsborough Drive Pond photographed in February 2022

*Picture left: Gainsborough Drive Pond
photographed in September 2022*



Why is this happening?

The dredging works have been recommended from professional studies. It has been recommended that works are scheduled to take advantage of the current low water level before potential rainfall, and the time of year when there are less wildlife in the habitat.

Want to find out more?

Lowestoft Town Council are organising a Zoom meeting where local residents can ask questions and find out more about the works.

The online meeting is taking place on **Wednesday 12th October** at **2pm**.

If you would like to join this meeting, you are welcome to contact us for a link by emailing admin@lowestofttowncouncil.gov.uk

Alternatively, you can get in contact with us using our details at the bottom of this page if you have any further questions or queries.

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