

Case study // LNW Lindal tunnel vegetation clearance works

CLIENT

Network Rail

CONTRACT VALUE

£35k

DATE COMPLETE

September 2016

THE CHALLENGE

Leaf fall on the line near Lindal tunnel was increasingly causing problems for the train operating companies (TOCs)

WHAT WE DID

Network Rail contracted us to carry out extensive vegetation management works, which included the removal of all vegetation from the cutting on the tunnel approach and from around the tunnel portal. We also worked with bat specialists to find the best solution to work round the presence of bat roosts on site. They supervised all works in the affected areas.

THE RESULT

The overall project generated around 400 tonnes of timber which Network Rail agreed for Stobart to remove and process through our biomass plant, which was a better solution to leaving on site.

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