London Borough of Merton Tree Strategy Performance Reporting





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July August September 2023

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Tree Strategy 2023-2029 | Merton Council

Tree Strategy Progress July 2023

Tree Policy Code	Tree Policies	Policy Actions	Update
TR	Tree Research (TR 1 – TR2)	TR2 Continued analysis of council owned tree	TR2 Agency tree inspectors increased Ezytreev Inspection records of highways tree assets now 70% complete records
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