

# Widdowson Group provides comprehensive garage services



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The Widdowson Group has an established garage division at its headquarters in Glenfield, Leicester. The company offers its garage services externally and is a recognised commercial vehicle centre of excellence.

Originally developed to look after its own extensive fleet of over 120 vehicles extending from panic vans to 44 tonne artics and almost 200 trailers, Widdowson's garage division is adaptable to looking after fleets of all sizes.

The garage was refurbished at the cost of a quarter of a million pounds just four years ago. It has space inside for 10 lorries made up of four pits and six hard standing service areas.

It opens at 10.30pm each Sunday and remains open until 10.30pm every Friday. With these opening hours and its 365 day a year nationwide breakdown service, Widdowson's garage division has extensive facilities to keep its own and other company's vehicles running smoothly.



### A range of services available

Widdowson offers a range of different garage services including: Full vehicle servicing, full trailer servicing, a new Tecalemit brake roller tester and MOT preparation/presentation.

The company's fully trained team of vehicle mechanics and technicians can provide quick turnarounds on vehicles, when necessary carrying out a complete inspection and service in just one working day.

### Providing a comprehensive fleet care service for Benson Box

Benson Box, part of the Benson Group has been producing packaging products for over 85 years in Leicestershire. To deliver the products, Benson Box has its own fleet of vehicles and trailers. The Widdowson Group has been providing comprehensive garage services to 20 of these trucks and trailers for a number of years.

David Hurst, Fleet Maintenance Coordinator of Benson Group explains, "Widdowson look after the vehicles out of our Leicester depot and also assist with others around the country if we can't find a local supplier.

"The main benefit of working with Widdowson is that the company is very flexible, nothing we ask poses a problem for them to solve 24 hours of the day, 7 days a week.

"We have been sending trucks to them for around 10 years and they take care of everything for us from general servicing to accident recovery and repair. They also handle any problems on the road.

"All our warehouse operatives and lorry drivers have Widdowson's telephone number. So if there's a problem we call them and they can be relied on to keep our vehicles rolling."

**For enquiries about Widdowson garage services, please contact Ian Purkiss at the Widdowson Group on 0116 232 2777.**

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