

## **CABINET MEMBER FOR HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT - CLLR R TONGE**

### **HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT SERVICE**

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**REFERENCE:** HT-013-12

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### **HT-013-12 - SPEED LIMIT REVIEW BATCH 11 B3101-A342 - ROWDE AND BROMHAM**

#### **Purpose of Report**

To consider the comments received following the advertisement of the Traffic Regulation Orders associated with the speed limits proposed within Batch 11 following the review of A and B class roads.

#### **Consultation**

Prior to the publication of the recommendations all the proposals were discussed with the former Wiltshire Safety Camera Partnership, as the enforcement agency at the time.

The review recommendations were provided to Parish and Town Councils in the form of a CD in December 2009 and additionally published on the Wiltshire Council website. This was followed by a period of consultation where Parish and Town Councils were given the opportunity to comment on the proposals. Where comments were received, a further review was undertaken taking the comments expressed into consideration.

During the initial consultation, both Bromham Parish Council and Rowde Parish Council commented on the review's recommendations. The majority of the comments received were resolved following the consultation period. The comments relating to the proposal between Rowde and St. Edith's Marsh were resolved via a previous Cabinet Member Decision – reference HT-038-11 Speed Limit Review – Rowde.

Copies of the proposals were distributed to Wiltshire Police and the locally elected Wiltshire Council Member.

The introduction of any Traffic Regulation Order requires a statutory process which allows comments, either in support or objection to the proposal, to be received. During this period five correspondents outlined objection, three correspondents outlined support and one letter of general comment has been received from members of the public.

#### **Options Considered**

To:

- (i) Implement the proposal as advertised.

- (ii) Retain the existing speed restrictions and delete the proposal from the implementation programme.

**Reason for Decision**

The proposals have been assessed and are in accordance with the guidance provided by the Department for Transport, Circular 01/06 Setting Local Speed Limits.

**INTENTION TO MAKE DECISION**

Following consultation with officers I give notice that I intend to make the decision set out in the attached report. If you would like to make any representations to me on this issue please do so by 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2012.

**The following supporting documents are attached:**

HT-013-12 - Speed Limit Review Batch 11 B3101-A342 Rowde and Bromham - report  
HT-013-12 - Speed Limit Review Batch 11 B3101-A342 Rowde and Bromham - Appendix 1  
HT-013-12 - Speed Limit Review Batch 11 B3101-A342 Rowde and Bromham - Appendix 2

**The following supporting documents are available from the officer named above:**

Letters of objection  
Letters of support  
Letter of general comment

Date: ...13<sup>th</sup> March, 2012.....

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