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REFERENCE: HSB-012-13

PROPOSED 20MPH SPEED RESTRICTION - WESTWOOD

Purpose of Report

To consider the points of objection received following the advertisement of the Traffic Regulation Order (TRO) associated with the permanent 20 mph speed limit in Westwood.

Consultation

As part of the formal statutory process, copies of the proposals were distributed to Wiltshire Police, the locally elected Wiltshire Council Member and Westwood Parish Council.

The formal advertisement of the Traffic Regulation Order for Westwood took place between 16 August and 9 September 2013. The advertisement took the form of press notices, together with site notices, displayed at regular locations within the area of the proposal restriction. On conclusion of the advertisement period a single letter of objection was received along with nine letters of support.

Options Considered

To:

(i)   Implement the proposals as advertised.

(ii)   Remove the experimental 20 mph restriction and reinstate the previous 30 mph speed speed limit.

Reason for Decision

Following the expiry of the Westwood 20 mph limit experimental order, a decision is required on whether or not to make the restriction permanent or reinstate the previous 30 mph limit.

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 31 October 2013.

The following supporting documents are attached:

HSB-012-13 Intention - proposed 20mph speed limit restriction - westwood
HSB-012-13 App1
HSB-012-13 App 2
HSB-012-13 - Report

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

Letters of comment

Date: ……………………………….   ………………………………………

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