

**DEPUTY LEADER AND CABINET MEMBER FOR HIGHWAYS, STREETSCENE AND BROADBAND**

**HIGHWAYS AND TRANSPORT SERVICE**

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**REFERENCE:** **APPROVED HSB-012-13**

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## **PROPOSED 20 MPH 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 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.

## **DECISION MADE**

I approve that:

- (i) The proposal for the 20 mph speed restriction be implemented as advertised.
- (ii) The objector be informed accordingly.

**This decision was published on 06/11/13 and will come into force on 14/11/13**

**The following supporting documents are attached:**

HSB-012-13 - Report  
Appendix 1 – Comments Received/Officer Comment  
Appendix 2 – Proposal as Advertised – Westwood

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

Letters of comment

Date: 1<sup>st</sup> November 2013

Cllr John Thomson

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