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## **Metro Count Speed Survey Result – The Packway – Larkhill (30 mph Speed Limit)**

The Results of the survey for the area of The Packway are provided below.

The survey was carried out between 03/05/2011 and 12/05/2011. A total of 49750 vehicles were checked. The 85<sup>th</sup> percentile was 35.8mph (the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile is the speed at which 85% of the traffic is travelling at or below).

As with every other department, we have to target our limited resources to where they will be most effective and as such I would remind you that unless there are exception circumstances we will not except another count request for this location or close surrounding area for another 12 months. For your information the thresholds for interventions are below;

In a 30mph speed limit the following criteria will be applied:

30 to 34.9mph 85<sup>th</sup> percentile = No Further Action (NFA)

35 to 38.9 mph 85<sup>th</sup> percentile = eligible for Community Speed Watch

39 to 42 mph 85<sup>th</sup> percentile = eligible for the Speed Indicator Device (SID) programme

Community Speed Watch does not operate in any speed limit above 40mph.

Any other results in higher speed limits will be discussed on their individual basis and merit.

Yours sincerely

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