

To the Highways Agency:

Due to the 3 fatalities, 1 serious, and 7 minor road traffic collisions through Winterbourne Stoke (A303) in the past 3 years, the Amesbury Area Board would like to request an urgent review of the speed limit, and other highway safety features on this particular stretch of road.

The Board fully supports the concerns and views of Winterbourne Stoke residents and the local Parish Council that the speed limit must be reduced from 40mph to 30mph as soon as possible.

The reasons are not just because of the accident record, but because this road includes a number of village amenities and houses.

Additionally, it is very significant to mention that, whenever accidents occur on this road, the level of congestion and traffic disruption caused is severe, and must be addressed.

Thank you for your urgent consideration of this very important matter.

Yours faithfully

Cllr John Smale – Chairman, Amesbury Area Board

CC. Cllr Tonge – Cabinet Member for Transport & Highways, Wiltshire Council