



ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS, COLD ASHTON) (20 MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202(-)

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Background

A 20mph speed limit had been requested by the parish council, with the support from the local ward member, in January 2013. Following investigations, it had been determined that a 20mph speed limit would be suitable on roads throughout the village.

A 'Quiet Lanes' scheme had also been introduced in 2014 to enhance the local character by encouraging lower speeds and for traffic to remain on major roads.

Purpose of Scheme

The purpose of the scheme is to reduce traffic speeds on roads throughout Cold Ashton village, which will improve road safety for both road users and pedestrians within the area.

Proposed Scheme

The proposed scheme is to reduce the existing 30mph speed limit and that part of the existing national speed limit (60mph) to a 20mph speed limit. The roads affected by the proposal are part of the High Street, part of Hyde's Lane, part of The Lynches and part of Slough Lane.

Drawing Reference

Drawing number T407-057-02 REV B shows the existing speed limit and drawing number T407-057-03 REV B shows the proposed 20mph speed limit.