## SOLIHULL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

The Metropolitan Borough of Solihull (Various Road, Solihull) (20mph Maximum Speed Limit) Order 2022

The Metropolitan Borough of Solihull (Various Road, Solihull)
(30mph Maximum Speed Limit) Order 2022

The Metropolitan Borough of Solihull (Various Road, Solihull)
(40mph Maximum Speed Limit) Order 2022

## Statement of Reasons

In accordance with Department for Transport guidance, it is expected that the Council as the Local Highway Authority keep speed limits under review with changing circumstances, and gives consideration to the introduction of more 20 mph limits and zones, over time, in urban areas and built-up village streets that are primarily residential.

A speed limit review of the Borough was undertaken during 2021. The study identified roads where the existing speed limits may be inappropriate and where lower speed limits would be more suitable. This has resulted in the three above named proposed Traffic Regulation Orders, which have the aim of achieving safe and appropriate driving speeds, preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the roads run and to avoid the danger to persons or other traffic using the roads or any other roads, or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising.

The proposal to amend the speed limits on these roads was approved at the Cabinet Member for Environment & Highways Decision Session on 3 June 2021.

It is recommended that the existing speed limits be revoked and speed limits introduced as shown on drawing no.'s 8956/1 - 7, 8960/1 - 6 & 8964/1-4.

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