

**TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION**

**CHS9035RC – Lavant A286 Speed Limit**

**30/1/20 – 20/2/20**

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(LAVANT: A286 LAVANT ROAD)**  
**(40MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2020**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that West Sussex County Council proposes to introduce a permanent Order under the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to introduce a 40mph speed limit on a length of the A286 Lavant Road from a point 80 metres north of The Drive, north to the junction with Raughmere Drive.

Full details of the proposal in this Notice can be viewed on our website [www.westsussex.gov.uk/tro](http://www.westsussex.gov.uk/tro). The website includes a response form for comments or objections.

The documents may be inspected at West Sussex County Council, County Hall, Chichester, and at the Chichester Public Library, Tower Street Chichester during normal library opening hours.

Any objections or comments about the proposal must be received by 20<sup>TH</sup> February 2020. These may be sent via the response form on the website, in writing to: TRO Team, West Sussex County Council, The Grange, Tower Street, Chichester, PO19 1RH; or by e-mail to: [tro.team@westsussex.gov.uk](mailto:tro.team@westsussex.gov.uk). Library staff will NOT be in a position to answer questions on the proposal and all correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned, quoting reference no. TRO/CHS9035/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated this 30<sup>TH</sup> January 2020

Director of Law & Assurance  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
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**Statement Of Reasons For Proposing To Make The Order**

The County Council in exercise of their powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, propose to make a permanent Order the effect of which will be to introduce a 40mph speed limit on a length of the A286 Lavant Road from a point 80 metres north of The Drive, north to the junction with Raughmere Drive.

The section of the A286 Lavant Road running north from Chichester to Mid Lavant is subject to the National Speed Limit. Lavant Parish Council had included in their Neighbourhood Development Plan a desire to reduce the speed limit. As part of the planning permission on land to the west of Maddoxwood Cottage a contribution was secured to enable investigation into a speed limit reduction.

Speed data obtained shows average traffic speeds are in accordance with the Speed Limit Policy for a 40mph speed limit. It is considered that the characteristics of the route having some entry/exit points, including the access to the Maddowood development, the petrol station, convenience store and hospice shop, make it suitable for a 40mph speed limit. The 40mph speed limit will apply on the 620 metre length of Lavant Road from the extent of the 30mph north of The Drive to Raughmere Drive.

This Order is proposed so as to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road or to prevent the likelihood of any such danger arising, and for facilitating the passage on the road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians)

Drawing CHS9035 Lavant proposed speed limits (17.12.19) shows the length of road, which is the subject of the proposed order.

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County Hall  
Chichester

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**(40MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2020**

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 82 and 84 (1) (a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act"), and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Act and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby make the following Order: -

1. This Order shall come into operation on the x day of x 2020 and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council (Lavant: A286 Lavant Road) (40mph Speed Limit) Order 2020"
2. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour in the length of road specified in the First Schedule to this Order
3. Nothing in Paragraph 2 shall apply to a vehicle being used by naval, military or air force purposes while being driven by a person for the time being subject to the orders of a member of the armed forces of the Crown on an occasion when –
  - (a) the person driving the vehicle is a member of the special forces as defined by the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011; and
  - (b) the vehicle is being driven-
    - (i) in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving vehicles at high speeds; or
    - (ii) for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds.

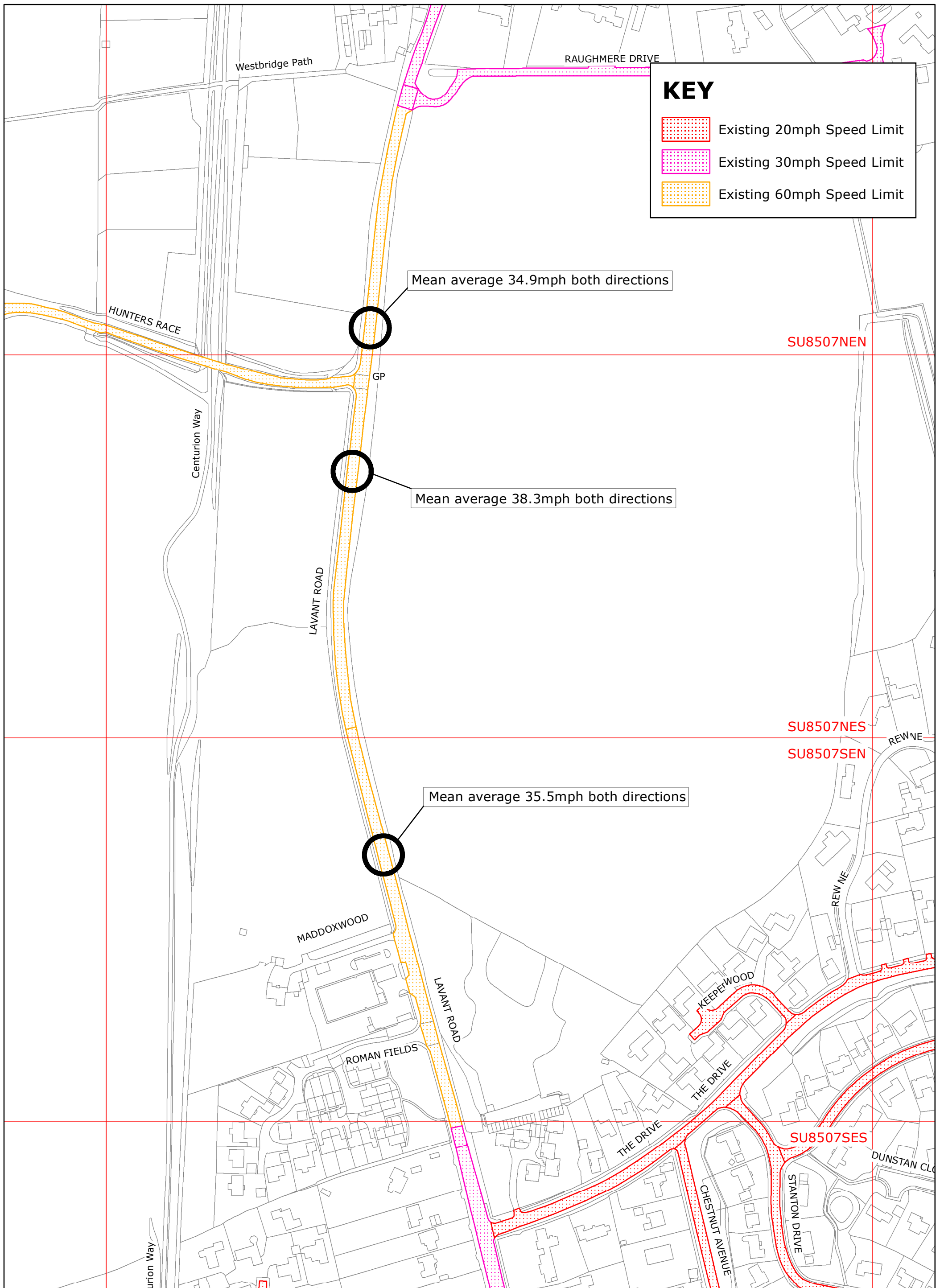
**FIRST SCHEDULE**  
**(40mph Speed Limit)**

Length of road in Lavant

A286 Lavant Road

From a point 80 metres north-east of Old Place Lane to the Claypit Lane roundabout junction

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COUNTY COUNCIL was	)
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Authorised Signatory	)



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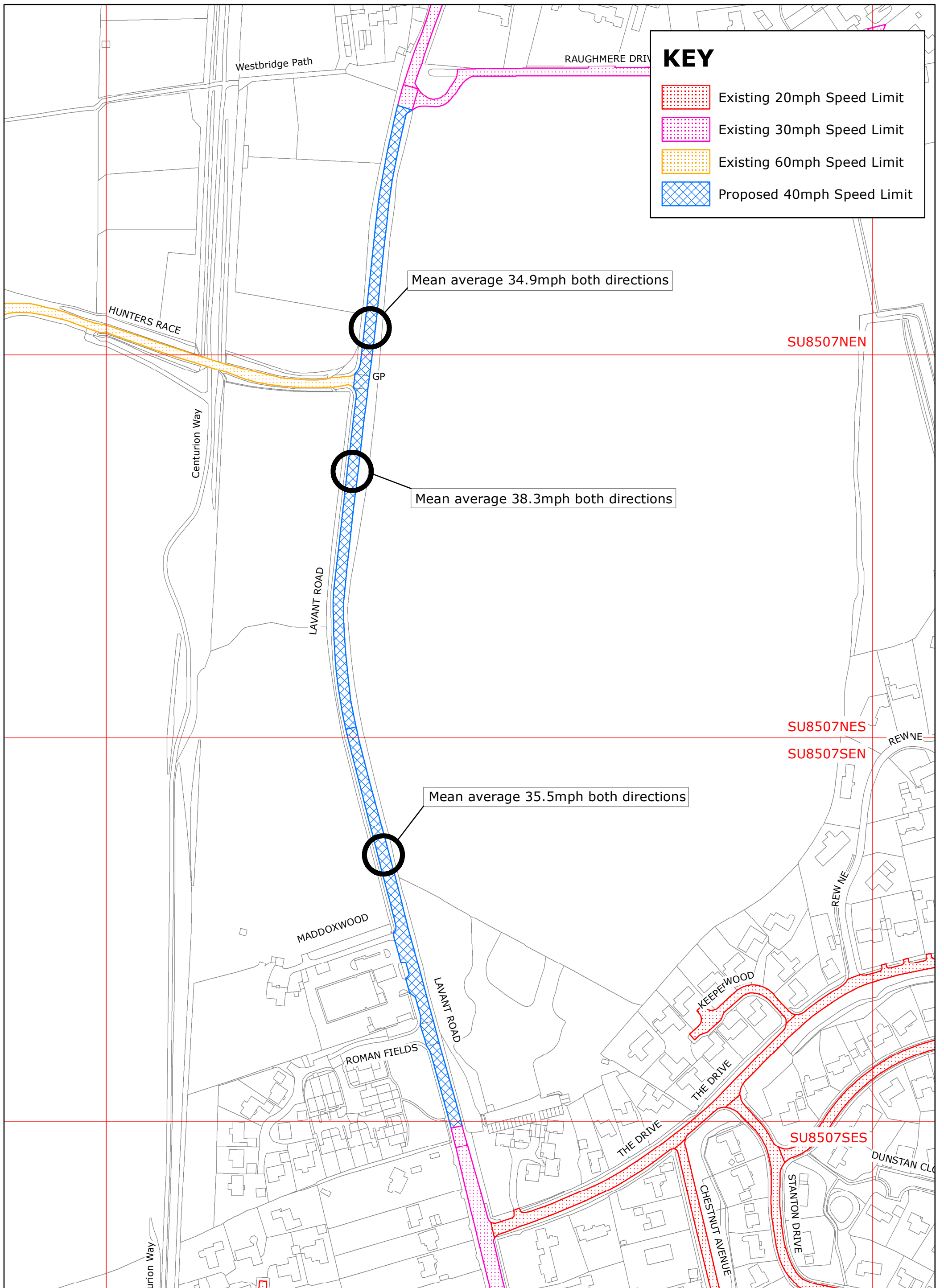
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