## TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION

## MDS2402MM - Aldingbourne: B2116 Henfield Road

#### 25/4/24 - 16/5/24

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# West Sussex County Council (Albourne and Woodmancote: Henfield Road (B2116)) (40 MPH Speed Limit) and (Consolidation) Order 2024

NOTICE is hereby given that West Sussex County Council proposes to make a permanent Traffic regulation Order under the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to introduce a 40 MPH speed limit on Henfield Road (B2116) from a point 120m west of its junction with The Street in Albourne, westwards to a point 350m east of its junction with Wineham Lane in Woodmancote.

The Order also consolidates the existing 30 MPH speed limit on Henfield Road (B2116) in Albourne for housekeeping purposes.

Full details of the proposals in this notice can be viewed on the Traffic Regulation Order page of the <u>West Sussex County Council website</u>. The website includes a response form for any comments or objections.

People without access to a computer who wish to view details of the scheme should telephone the West Sussex County Council Contact Centre on 01243 642105 to receive the documents by post.

Any comments or objections about the proposal must be received before 16 May 2024. These may be submitted via the response form on the website mentioned above, by email to tro.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk or in writing to TRO Team, West Sussex County Council, The Grange, Tower Street, Chichester, PO19 1RH. For legal reasons, only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered. Please quote reference MDS2402-MM in all correspondence.

Dated this 25th day of April 2024. Director of Law & Assurance, County Hall, Chichester.

# West Sussex County Council (Albourne and Woodmancote: Henfield Road (B2116)) (40 MPH Speed Limit) and (Consolidation) Order 2024

#### Statement of Reasons for Proposing to Make the Order

West Sussex County Council proposes to make a permanent Traffic Regulation Order that will introduce a 40 MPH speed limit on Henfield Road (B2116) from a point 120m west of its junction with The Street in Albourne, westwards to a point 350m east of its junction with Wineham Lane in Woodmancote.

Albourne Parish Council applied for a review of the speed limit on Henfield Road, after raising concerns about traffic speeds and road safety. The road has no footways and is used by a mix of vulnerable road users, with public footpaths joining it from adjacent countryside. The road has several side junctions, bends and gradient changes and recent housing developments locally have significantly increased traffic. Assessed against the latest West Sussex County Council Speed Limit Policy, these factors combined with an assessment of current average traffic speeds and collision history indicate that the road is suitable for a 40 MPH speed limit.

The new order is therefore proposed to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the affected lengths of road.

In addition to the new 40 MPH speed Limit, the Order also consolidates the existing 30 MPH Speed Limit for ease of record keeping. This part of the Order makes no change to extent of the current 30 MPH speed limit.

The attached drawing, numbered MDS2402 shows the length of road affected by the proposed order.

Director of Law & Assurance 12 April 2024 MDS2402-MM

# WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL (ALBOURNE AND WOODMANCOTE: HENFIELD ROAD (B2116)) (40 MPH SPEED LIMIT) AND (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2024

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Section 84 (1) a of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act"), 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:-

- This Order shall come into operation on the \*\*\*\*\* day of \*\*\*\*\*\* and may be cited as
  "West Sussex County Council (Albourne and Woodmancote: Henfield Road (B2116)) (40
  MPH Speed Limit) and (Consolidation) Order 2024"
- 2. The Order Specified in the First Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.
- 3. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour in the length of road specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
- 4. 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 Third Schedule to this Order.
- 5. Nothing in Paragraphs 3 or 4 shall apply to a vehicle being used by naval, military or air force purposes while being driven by a person for the timebeing 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 Order to be Revoked

Order Title	Part of Order to be Revoked
West Sussex County Council (Albourne: B2116 Henfield Road) (30 MPH Speed Limit) Order 2009	The Whole Order

# SECOND SCHEDULE 30 MPH Speed Limit

Road in Albourne	Length of Restriction
Henfield Road (B2116)	From its junction with London Road (B2118) westwards to a point 120 metres west of its junction with The Street

#### THIRD SCHEDULE 40 MPH Speed Limit

Road in Albourne and Woodmancote	Length of Restriction
Henfield Road (B2116)	From a point 120 metres west of its junction
	with The Street, westwards to a point 350
	metres east of its junction with Wineham Lane

#### For and on behalf of WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Authorised Signatory:	
NAME:	
DATE MADE:	
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