

**TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION**

**CHI-2402-RC Midhurst: Old Town Area**

**6/6/24 – 27/6/24**

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(MIDHURST & WEST LAVINGTON: CHICHESTER ROAD, SOUTH STREET & VARIOUS**  
**ROADS)**  
**(20MPH & 30MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202\***

**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 20mph speed limit on lengths of Chichester Road, Church Hill, Duck Lane, Edinburgh Square, Grange Road, Knockhundred Row, Market Square, Red Lion Street, St Annes Hill, Selham Road, Sheep Lane, South Street, West Street, The Wharf and Wool Lane.

Full details of the proposals 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.

Paper copies of documents will not be available to view in council offices or libraries. 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 objections or comments about the proposal must be received by 27 June 2024. 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.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk](mailto:tro.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk). All correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned, quoting the reference TRO/CHI2402/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated this 6 June 2024

Director of Law & Assurance  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(MIDHURST & WEST LAVINGTON: CHICHESTER ROAD, SOUTH STREET & VARIOUS**  
**ROADS)**  
**(20MPH & 30MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202\***

**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 20mph speed limit on lengths of Chichester Road, Church Hill, Duck Lane, Edinburgh Square, Grange Road, Knockhundred Row, Market Square, Red Lion Street, St Annes Hill, Selham Road, Sheep Lane, South Street, West Street, The Wharf and Wool Lane.

A Speed Reduction community highway scheme is being progressed to introduce a 20mph speed limit in Midhurst village east of the A286. The 20mph speed limit will apply on roads within the old town area.

The scheme consists of 20mph signage and 20mph roundel markings, including some resurfacing on Selham Road at its junction with Chichester Road to allow for the application of a 20mph roundel marking.

This is to with a view to improving road safety for all road users, reducing air and noise pollution and improving the overall environment.

This Order is proposed so as to reduce danger to persons or other traffic using the road or to minimise the likelihood of any such danger arising and for facilitating the safe passage of any class of traffic (including pedestrians).

Drawing CHI2402: Midhurst & West Lavington Proposed Speed Limit (23.05.2024) shows the lengths of roads, which are the subject of the proposed order.

Director of Law & Assurance  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(MIDHURST & WEST LAVINGTON: CHICHESTER ROAD, SOUTH STREET &**  
**VARIOUS ROADS) (20MPH & 30MPH SPEED LIMIT)**  
**ORDER 202\***

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 82 (2), 83 (2) 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 202\* and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council (Midhurst & West Lavington: Chichester Road, South Street & Various Roads) (20mph & 30mph Speed Limit) Order 202\*"
2. The Orders in the First Schedule to this Order are hereby revoked.
3. The lengths of restricted roads in the Second Schedule to this Order shall cease to be restricted roads for the purpose of Section 82 of the Act.
4. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 20 miles per hour on the lengths of roads specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
5. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour on the lengths of roads specified in the Third Schedule to this Order.
6. Nothing in Paragraphs 4 and 5 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**  
**Orders to be revoked**

	<u>Extent of revocation</u>
The County Council of West Sussex (Midhurst: New Road (A286)) (30 MPH Speed Limit) (and 40 MPH Speed Limit) (Consolidation) Order 2003	Second Schedule Item 1
West Sussex County Council (Midhurst and West Lavington: Various Roads) (30 MPH 40 MPH and 50 MPH Speed Limit) Order 2005	Second Schedule Item 2

**SECOND SCHEDULE**  
**(20mph speed limit)**

Lengths of roads in Midhurst & West Lavington

Chichester Road	From its junction with Selham Road southwards for a distance of 54 metres.
Church Hill	The entire length
Duck Lane	From a point 40 metres east of its junction with A283 Rumbolds Hill for the remainder of its length
Edinburgh Square	The entire length
Grange Road	From a point 15 metres east of its junction with A283 Rumbolds Hill for the remainder of its length
Knockhundred Row	From a point 30 metres east of its junction with A283 Rumbolds Hill for the remainder of its length
Market Square	The entire length
Red Lion Street	The entire length
St Annes Hill	The entire length
Selham Road	From its junction with Chichester Road eastwards for a distance of 30 metres.
Sheep Lane	The entire length
South Street	The entire length
West Street	From a point 12 metres east of its junction with A286 Rumbolds Hill for the remainder of its length
The Wharf	The entire length
Wool Lane	The entire length

**THIRD SCHEDULE**  
**(30mph Speed Limit)**

A286 Chichester Road	From its junction with Chichester Road southwards for a distance of 52 metres
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Chichester Road

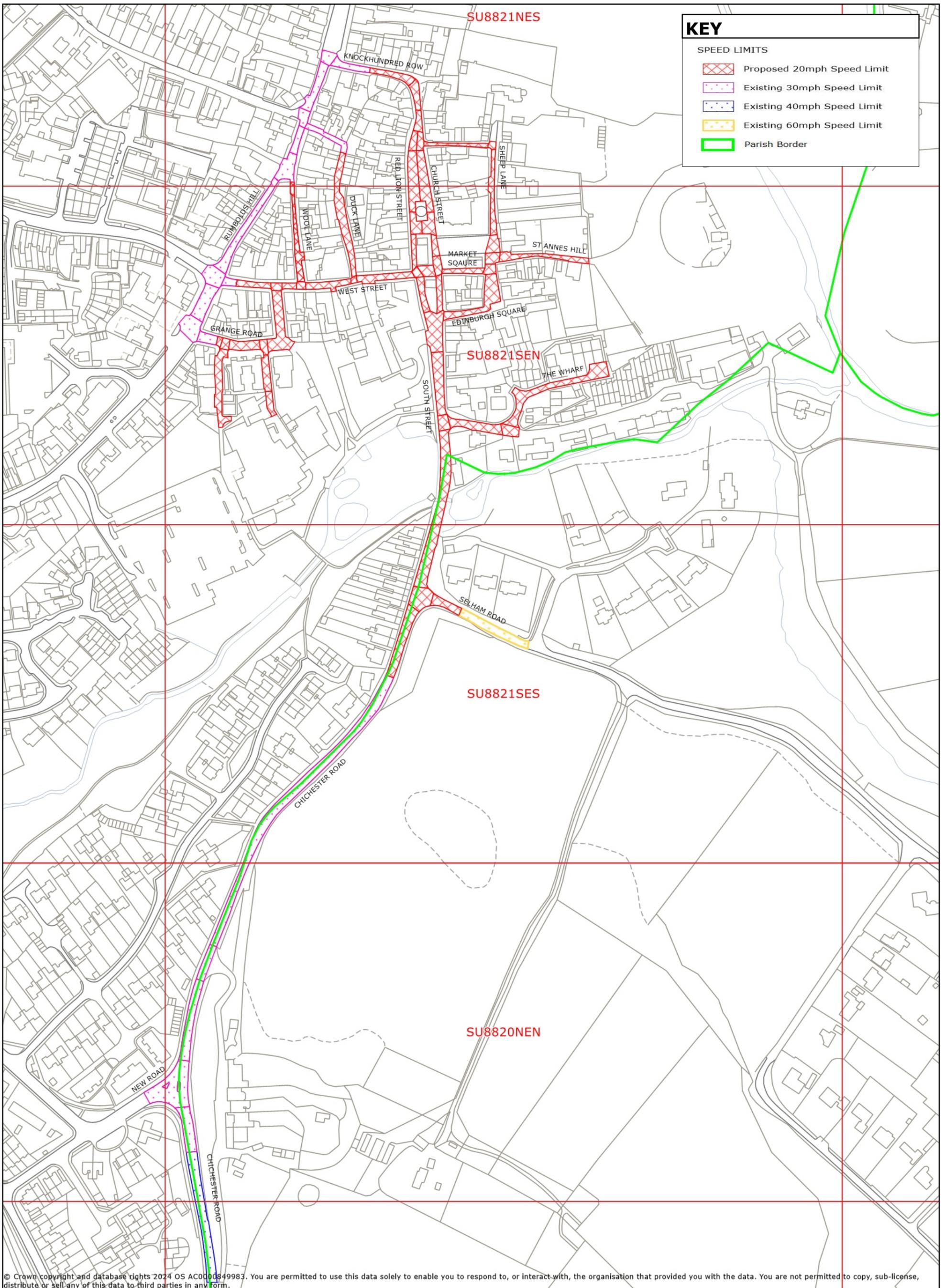
From a point 54 metres south  
of its junction with Selham  
Road to its junction with A286  
Chichester Road

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

*Authorised Signatory:*

*NAME:*

*DATE MADE:*



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CHICHESTER DISTRICT: MIDHURST & WEST LAVINGTON  
 PROPOSED SPEED LIMIT (23.05.2024)



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