

# **TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION**

**HOR8011RC – Lower Beeding: B2110, B2115 & Church Lane**

**7/8/25 – 29/8/25**

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(LOWER BEEDING: B2110, B2115 & CHURCH LANE)**  
**(30MPH & 40MPH 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 40mph speed limit on lengths of the B2110 Handcross Road east of Howards Nursery, B2110 Leechpond Hill south of the sewage works, B2115 Sandygate Lane west of Trinity Field and B2115 Warninglid Lane south of Handcross Road.

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 29 August 2025. 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/HOR8011/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated 7<sup>th</sup> August 2025  
Executive Director Law, Assurance & Insight  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(LOWER BEEDING: B2110, B2115 & CHURCH LANE)**  
**(30MPH & 40MPH 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 40mph speed limit on lengths of the B2110 Handcross Road east of Howards Nursery, B2110 Leechpond Hill south of the sewage works, B2115 Sandygate Lane west of Trinity Field and B2115 Warninglid Lane south of Handcross Road.

The roads in Lower Beeding village centre have a 30mph speed limit but on the approaches to the village the roads are subject to either a 50mph speed limit or are de-restricted and subject to the National Speed Limit. The Parish Council applied for a Community Highways Scheme due to concerns about traffic speeds and safety.

It is proposed to introduce 40mph buffer speed limits on the 'B' roads approaching the village from the east west and south. The lower speed limits aim to create a safer environment for all road users including pedestrians walking along these roads.

This Order is proposed so as to avoid 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 HOR8011 Lower Beeding – Handcross Road, Leechpond Hill, Sandygate Lane & Warninglid Lane proposed speed limit (10.07.2025) shows the lengths of roads, which are the subject of the proposed order.

Director of Law & Assurance  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
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**(30MPH & 40MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202\***

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 82(1) (a) 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 (Lower Beeding: B2110, B2115 & Church Lane) (30mph & 40mph Speed Limit) Order 202\*"
2. This Order shall supersede any previous speed limit Order relating to the lengths of roads specified in the Schedules to this Order
3. The Orders in the First Schedule to this Order are hereby revoked.
4. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour in 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 40 miles per hour in 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**

Extent of revocation

West Sussex County Council (Cowfold and Lower Beeding: Various Roads) (40 mph Speed Limit) (And Speed Limit Consolidation) Order 2002

The entire Order

West Sussex County Council (Lower Beeding: B2110 & B2115) (30mph Speed Limit) Order 2017

The entire Order

**SECOND SCHEDULE**  
**(30mph speed limit)**

Lengths of roads in Lower Beeding

B2110 Handcross Road	From a point 233 metres north-east of its junction with Church Lane south-westwards for a distance of 589 metres
B2110 Leechpond Hill	From its junction with B2110 Handcross Road southwards for a distance of 307 metres
B2115 Sandygate Lane	From its junction with B2110 Handcross Road westwards for a distance of 160 metres
Church Lane	From its junction with B2110 Handcross Road northwards for a distance of 20 metres

**THIRD SCHEDULE**  
**(40mph speed limit)**

Lengths of roads in Lower Beeding

B2110 Handcross Road	From a point 233 metres north-east of its junction with Church Lane to a point 100 metres north-east of B2115 Warninglid Lane
B2110 Leechpond Hill	From its junction with A281 Brighton Road to a point 307 metres south of its junction with B2110 Handcross Road
B2115 Sandygate Lane	From a point 350 metres north-east of A281 Brighton Road to a point 160 metres west of its junction with B2115 Handcross Road
B2115 Warninglid Lane	From its junction with B2110 Handcross Road south-eastwards for a distance of 250 metres

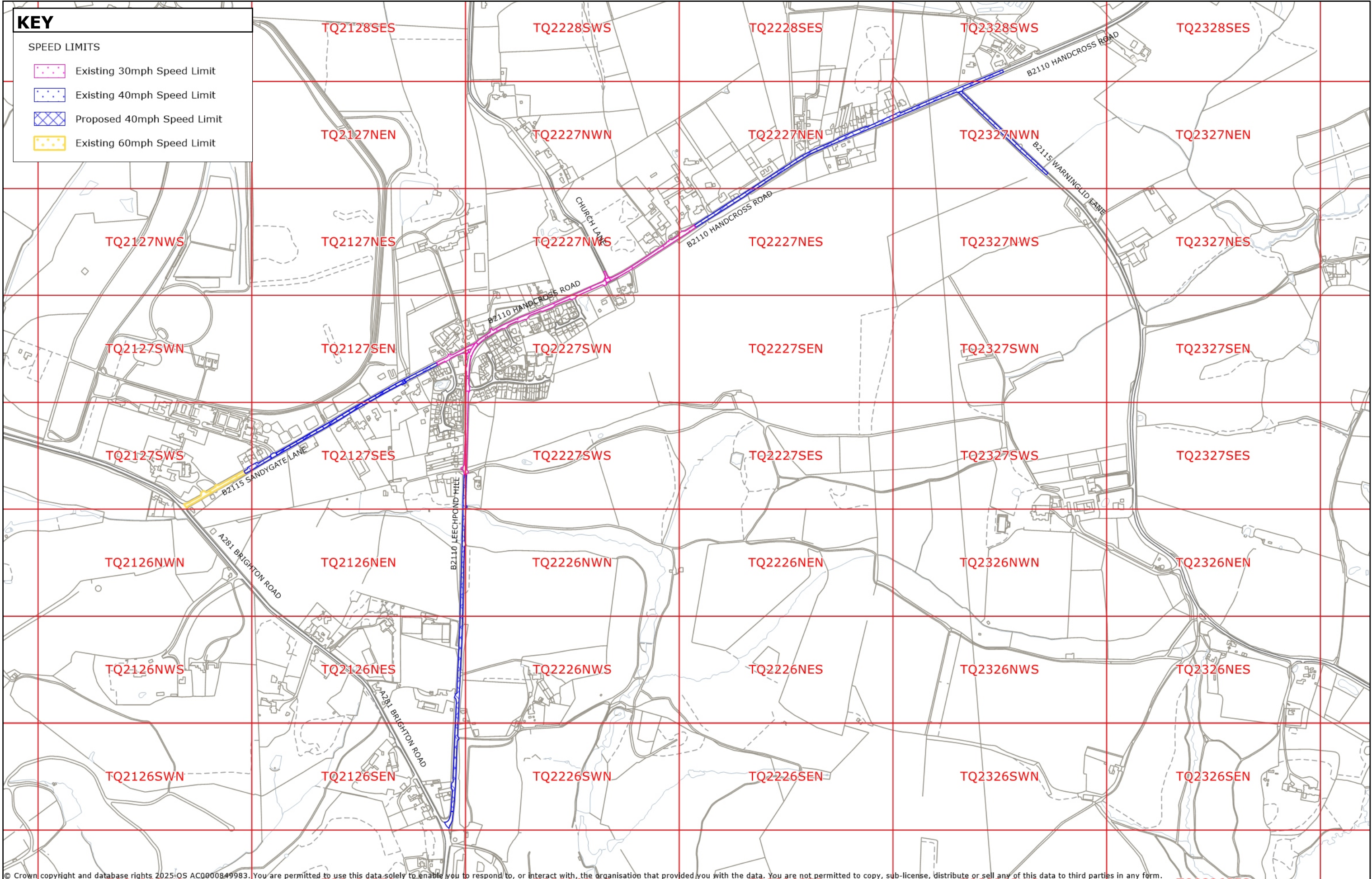
**For and on behalf of WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**

*Authorised Signatory:*

*NAME:*

*DATE MADE:*





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