

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

**CHI8027RC – Rake: B2070 London Road**

**23/10/25 – 13/11/25**

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(ROGATE: B2070 LONDON ROAD)**  
**(30MPH & 40MPH SPEED LIMIT) (CONSOLIDATION) 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 a length of the B2070 London Road Rogate on the eastern approach to Rake village

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 13 November 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 reference no. TRO/CHI8027/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated 23 October 2025  
Executive Director of Law Assurance & Insight  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(ROGATE: B2070 LONDON ROAD)**  
**(30MPH & 40MPH SPEED LIMIT) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2025**

**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 B2070 London Road Rogate on the eastern approach to Rake village.

The speed limit on the B2070 London Road through Rake village was reduced to 30mph as part of a Community Highways Scheme in 2022. The eastern extent of the 30mph speed limit is east of Langley Lane and east of this point the national speed limit still applies.

As an additional element to the Community Highways Scheme it is proposed to introduce a 40mph speed limit to create a buffer to help reduce traffic speeds before reaching the 30mph speed limit within Rake. Rake C.E Primary School and crossing point are only a few metres east of Langley Lane and the 40mph buffer aims to improve safety at this location.

The reduction in speed limit will slow cars before reaching the 30mph speed limit in Rake and improve safety for all road users. It will also allow more time for cars exiting junctions on this section of the B2070. Improvements to traffic signage will help make drivers aware of the changes in speed limit.

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 No.5497-WSCC-101-B2070-DR-03 Rake 40mph Speed Limit Buffer shows the length of road, which is the subject of the proposed order.

Executive Director of Law Assurance & Insight  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(ROGATE: B2070 LONDON ROAD)**  
**(30MPH & 40MPH SPEED LIMIT) (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 202\***

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 202\* and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council (Rogate: B2070 London Road) (30mph & 40mph Speed Limit) (Consolidation) Order 202\*"
2. The Orders in the First Schedule to this Order shall be revoked.
3. 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.
4. 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.
5. Nothing in Paragraph 3 and 4 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**  
**Order to be revoked**

Extent of revocation

West Sussex County Council  
(Rogate: B2070 London Road)  
(30mph Speed Limit) Order 2022

The entire Order

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

Length of road in Rogate

B2070 London Road

From a point 37 metres north-east of the entrance to Marchwood Lodge north-eastwards to a point 30 metres east of Langley Lane

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

Lengths of road in Rogate

B2070 London Road

(i) eastbound – from a point 30 metres east of Langley Lane eastwards for a distance of 455metres.

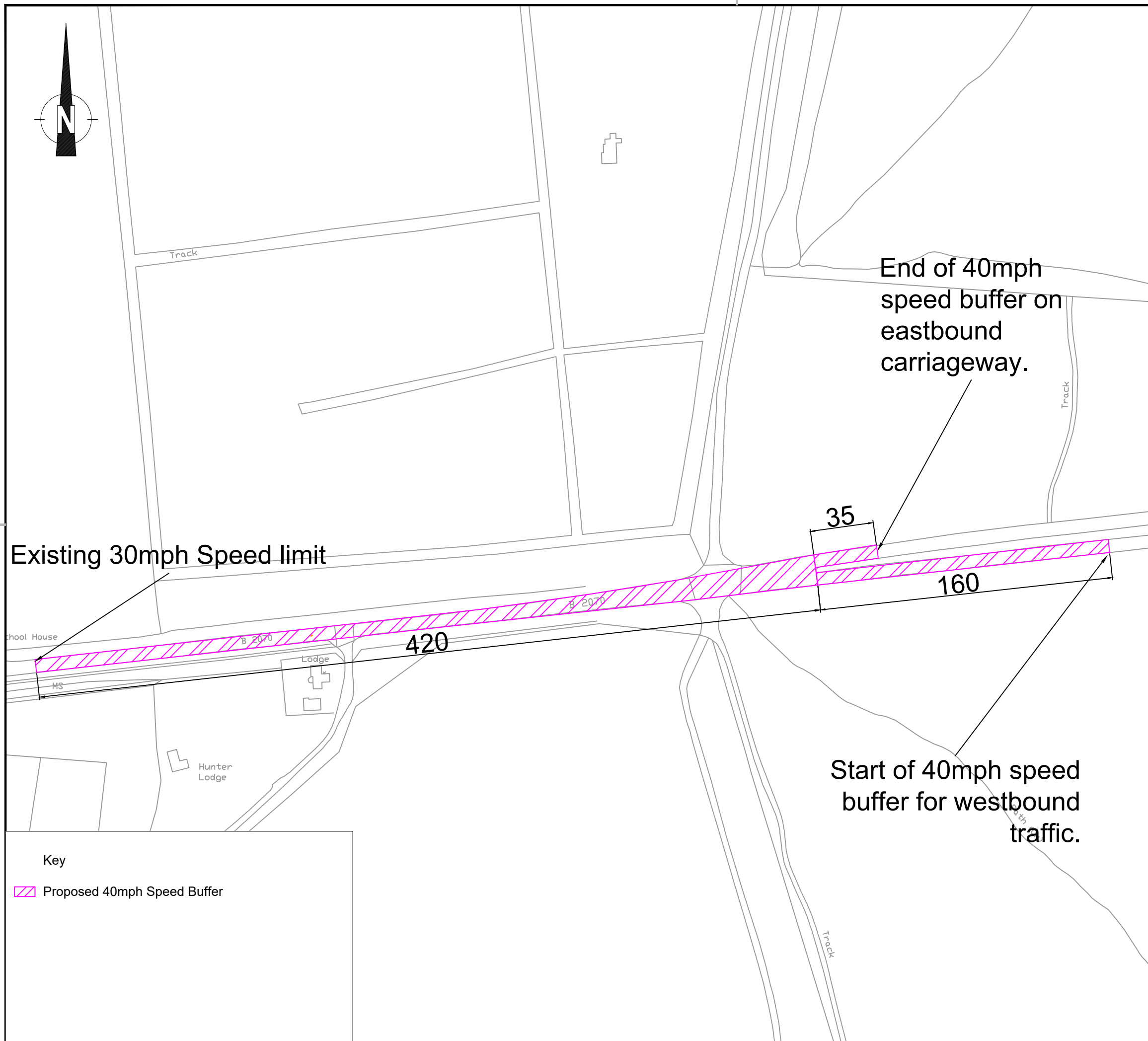
(ii) westbound – from a point 30 metres east of Langley Lane eastwards for a distance of 580 metres.

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

*Authorised Signatory:*

*NAME:*

*DATE MADE:*



## NOTES

1. ALL DIMENSIONS ARE IN METERS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED
2. ANY DISCREPANCIES SHOULD BE REPORTED TO WSCC ENGINEER/PROJECT MANAGER IMMEDIATELY FOR CLARIFICATION AND APPROVAL.
3. PRINT IN COLOUR
4. LOCATION IS EAST OF RAKE VILLAGE.

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Coommunity Highway Scheme  
5497 - B2070 Rake Speed Limit

Drawing Title  
Rake 40mph Speed Limit Buffer  
- TRO Application

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