

Statement of Reasons

Telford & Wrekin Council (Church Hill, Dawley Road and New Works Lane, Telford) (30MPH, 40MPH and 50MPH Speed Limit and Revocations) Order 2022

Proposals

The issue of safety and speed of traffic along the roads leading into New Works from each direction (New Works Lane & Church Hill) has been raised by the Parish Council. As part of a review of the area, we propose to introduce a reduction to the speed limit from being de-restricted to a 30mph speed limit. In addition to revoke and redefine the existing speed limits of both 40mph and 50mph on Dawley Road to also include a 55 metres section of New Works Lane.

Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984

The speed limit Order is being made as it appears to the highway authority that it is expedient to make it –

- for avoiding danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or for preventing the likelihood of any such danger arising, or
- for facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians), or
- for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs

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