

## **STATEMENT OF REASONS**

### **Bus Stop Clearway**

#### **Blackburn Road, Rossendale**

The purpose of this proposal is to upgrade the existing bus stops on the B6257 Blackburn Road at Rawtenstall, with enforceable clearway markings and signs allowing buses to pull in safely and efficiently at the stop.

The proposal intends to promote sustainable transport for all users by including the construction of a raised platform, allowing safe boarding and alighting of passengers and ensure the bus stops are fully mobility compliant.

The proposals include the relocation of the existing bus stops to a more appropriate location.

The proposals are being pursued as part of a s278 Agreement under the Highways Act 1980 as part of a new housing development.