

Speed Limit Order - MODIFICATION

Copp Lane, Great Eccleston

Statement of Reasons

These proposals are being pursued as part of a Section 278 agreement under the Highways Act 1980. The proposals are being funded fully by the developer and are linked to the new housing development for 24 new dwellings in Elswick and 345 new dwellings in Great Eccleston and the associated planning conditions.

Following receipt of feedback after the formal consultation period carried out between 2nd April and 1st May 2025, it is proposed to modify the Speed Limit Order by further reducing the extent of the 40mph speed limit and revert a small section of highway outside of Copp Parish Church Of St Anne and Great Eccleston Copp Church of England Primary School to 30mph by virtue of street lighting.

The reduction in the speed limit will provide additional protection for all road users and pedestrians, whilst continuing to meet the core purpose of the proposals and address local concerns.