

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Officer Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Adrian Gray
Title:	The Hampshire and Wiltshire (A342, Faberstown) (50 Miles Per Hour Speed Limit) Order 2015
Reference:	

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That a Traffic Order be implemented under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to impose a 50 mph speed limit on that currently de-restricted length of A342 Weyhill to Ludgershall road at Faberstown between a point 176 metres east of its junction with Graspan Road and a point 780 metres south-east of the County boundary between Wiltshire and Hampshire.

2. Reasons for the decision:

- 2.1. As a result of the countywide A & B Roads speed limit review, a number of sections of road have been identified as having an excessively high collision rate occurring along their length.

Given the varied nature of each road it is therefore proposed to reduce the speed on each road as necessary, in order to reduce the accident rate and increase overall safety.

Traffic speed surveys undertaken within the proposed 50 mph limit along the A342 Weyhill to Ludgershall road recorded mean average speeds ranging between 43.9 and 44.9 mph, which support the proposal to reduce that part of the national speed limit section to 50 mph at the county boundary with Wiltshire.

The proposals are shown on drawing number EC/CJ005907/28/01.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. None

4. Previous Orders

- 4.1. None.

5. Conflicts of interest:

5.1. None.

6. Dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service:

6.1. None.

7. Supporting information:

7.1. File Reference: C710

Approved by:

Date:

Adrian Gray

21/11/2014

Adrian Gray, Head of Highways (Traffic Management)

On behalf of the Director of Economy, Transport and Environment