

Ashwick Parish Council

MEETING Date: ...Possible 14th July 2021.....

<p>Agenda Item: Insert wording to appear on the agenda. Remember to make it clear what you are asking your fellow Councillors to do. "To consider..." " To note..." "To review..." "To resolve..."</p>	<p>To consider the relocation of village 30 mph traffic speed limit along Galley Batch Lane</p>
<p>Background Information: Insert as much information as possible so that councillors have the detail that they need in order to make an informed decisions</p>	<p>This area is principally used by numerous dog walkers and hikers and recently, I believe there has been near miss incidences. As you may be aware, the existing end of limit sign is in the locality amongst existing dwellings and it seems prudent to relocate beyond these residences.</p>
<p>Background Documents: Insert names of documents to be sent out with the meeting papers.</p>	<p>Please refer to the attached pdf "Oakhill Somerset Proposed Traffic Sign June 2021"</p>
<p>Costs: Insert detail of any costs associated with the decision that you are asking the council to make</p>	<p>Unknown</p>
<p>Recommendation Insert the resolution that you are seeking ie; "to resolve to..." "to note that ..."</p>	<p>To resolve to relocate on Health and Safety issues.</p>

See next page for further information.

Additional Information

Traffic Management at Somerset Highways have been contacted, and have stated the following: -

“You mention this has been previously agreed; would you be able to forward any correspondence that may have taken place about this please or if you know who the Parish Council spoke with and I can look at this for you.

As it stands currently, any request for a new speed limit or to amend the extents of the existing speed limit, must be evidence based, which includes looking at speeds and collision history and paid for by the Parish Council. The request would also need to have the support of the Police. As part of the process, it would require a Traffic Regulation Order or TRO which forms part of a public consultation. The cost to do this would also depend on the nature of the works involved, so likely to be between £5,000 - £10,000. Speed readings in order to gather evidence would be in the region of £250”