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Consultation on proposed reduction of speed limit in Lindfield parish to 20mph

Our village streets are very busy with cars and pedestrians. At school times, five days a week there are more than 2,000 children from three schools moving around the village either on foot or in cars. At other times of the week, our vibrant High Street and a variety of community events running at King Edward Hall, our churches and nurseries bring people of all ages to our limited pavements and roads.

With calmer traffic, crossing the road becomes less hazardous. People feel safer walking, wheeling and cycling. There are improvements to road safety and air quality as well as reduced congestion, collisions, injuries, carbon emissions and noise pollution. Many West Sussex villages already have 20mph limits, or are in the process of applying for them.

Vehicles driven at 20mph give pedestrians much higher survival chances compared with collisions at 30mph

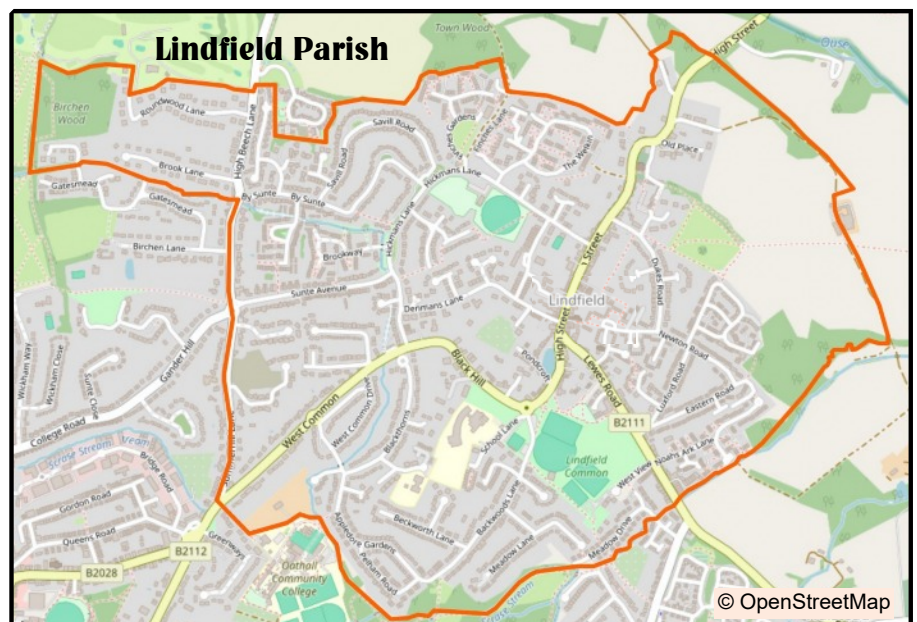
Lindfield Parish Council is preparing a Community Highways Scheme application for a 20mph speed limit on all roads in Lindfield. Applications are handled by West Sussex County Council and must be in by the summer.

Opinions from West Sussex residents of any age are very important for these schemes to be adopted so please fill in the questions overleaf or online via the QR code. Online responses are easier for us to process but if you prefer to submit this paper copy you can return it to the council offices (address above).

Come and meet us at our stand in the High Street on Sat 28th Feb where councillors will be on hand to discuss the application and collect your forms. Please complete your responses by the end of March.

Add your voice to the thousand who have already told us they would like to see a reduction in the speed of vehicles travelling through Lindfield.

Thank you!



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LPC will handle responses in line with our data protection policy shown on the council website

Please provide your name and address

First name

Last name

Street address

City/Town/Village

County

Postcode

What is your main connection to Lindfield?

- ☐ I live in Lindfield
☐ I work in Lindfield
☐ Education
☐ Visitor

Other

Your age group?

- ☐ Under 18
☐ 18 - 67
☐ Above 67

How did you hear about this consultation?

- ☐ From this leaflet
☐ Word of mouth
☐ Social media
☐ Lindfield Life magazine
☐ Council noticeboard
☐ Shop window

Other

In a typical week how do you move around the village?

- ☐ On foot
☐ Bicycle
☐ Car
☐ Public transport

Other

If road traffic was calmer would you make more of your local trips by active travel (walking & wheeling)?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

Do you think the volume of traffic detracts from the quality of life in the village?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

How concerned are you about vehicle **speeds** in Lindfield?

- ☐ Very concerned
☐ Quite concerned
☐ Slightly concerned
☐ Not at all concerned

How concerned are you about traffic **safety** in Lindfield?

- ☐ Very concerned
☐ Quite concerned
☐ Slightly concerned
☐ Not at all concerned

Which of the following do you think would improve road **safety** in Lindfield?

- ☐ Adding obstructions - like speed bumps, chicanes, width pinch points etc
☐ Banning HGVs
☐ Adding pedestrian crossings
☐ Having a 20mph speed limit

If introduced, what impact do you think a 20mph limit would have on road **safety** in Lindfield.

- ☐ Significantly improve safety
☐ Slightly improve safety
☐ No change
☐ Slightly worsen safety
☐ Significantly worsen safety

Do you support the proposal that the speed limit in Lindfield Parish should be 20mph?

- ☐ Yes
☐ No

Please give your reasons why you do or do not support the 20mph speed limit proposal

To join our 20mph email newsletter list and receive occasional updates on this proposal please use the QR code overleaf, or this link: <http://eepurl.com/ilcSMo>