TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION

HOR2405RC – Steyning & Bramber: A283 Steyning Bypass

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WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL (STEYNING & BRAMBER: A283 STEYNING BYPASS) (40MPH & 50MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202*

NOTICE is hereby given that West Sussex County Council proposes to introduce a permanent Order under the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to introduce:-

- (i) a 40mph speed limit on a length of the A283 Steyning Bypass from south of Jarvis Lane to High Trees roundabout junction; and
- (ii) a 50mph speed limit on a length of the A283 Steyning Bypass from east of the B2135 Horsham Road to south of Jarvis Lane.

Full details of the proposals in this Notice can be viewed on our website www.westsussex.gov.uk/tro. The website includes a response form for comments or objections.

Paper copies of documents will not be available to view in council offices or libraries. People without access to a computer who wish to view details of the scheme should telephone the West Sussex County Council Contact Centre on 01243 642105 to receive the documents by post.

Any objections or comments about the proposal must be received by 13 February 2025. These may be sent via the response form on the website, in writing to: TRO Team, West Sussex County Council, The Grange, Tower Street, Chichester, PO19 1RH; or by e-mail to: tro.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk. All correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned, quoting the reference TRO/HOR2405/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated this 23 January 2025 Director of Law & Assurance County Hall Chichester

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL (STEYNING & BRAMBER: A283 STEYNING BYPASS) (40MPH & 50MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202*

Statement Of Reasons For Proposing To Make The Order

The County Council in exercise of their powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, propose to make a permanent Order the effect of which will be to introduce:-

- (i) a 40mph speed limit on a length of the A283 Steyning Bypass from south of Jarvis Lane to High Trees roundabout junction; and
- (ii) a 50mph speed limit on a length of the A283 Steyning Bypass from east of the B2135 Horsham Road to south of Jarvis Lane.

The A283 Steyning Bypass is currently de-restricted apart from a short section north-west of High Trees roundabout junction where a 40mph speed limit has recently been introduced. This section of the A283 is a single carriageway road with a history of road traffic collisions involving 36 vehicles including 10 serious and 2 fatal injury incidents. The Parish Council applied for a speed reduction to address concerns over road safety.

The application has been assessed in accordance with the County Councils Speed Limit Policy and it is proposed to extend the 40mph speed limit north-west of High Trees roundabout junction to south of Jarvis Lane and to introduce a 50mph speed limit from south of Jarvis Lane to east of the B2135 Horsham Road. The reduced speed limit will aid pedestrians crossing the road safely including vulnerable road users from Steyning Grammar School.

This Order is proposed so as to avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road or to minimise the likelihood of any such danger arising and for facilitating the safe passage of any class of traffic (including pedestrians).

Drawing HOR2405 Steyning & Bramber – A283 Steyning Bypass proposed speed limit (20.09.2024) shows the length of road, which is the subject of the proposed order.

Director of Law & Assurance County Hall Chichester

WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL (STEYNING & BRAMBER: A283 STEYNING BYPASS) (40MPH & 50MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 202*

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 82(1) (a) and 84 (1) (a) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act"), and Part IV of Schedule 9 of the Act and of all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Act hereby make the following Order:-

- 1. This Order shall come into operation on the X Day of x 202* and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council (Steyning & Bramber: A283 Steyning Bypass) (40mph & 50mph Speed Limit) Order 202*"
- 2. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour in the length of road specified in the First Schedule to this Order.
- 3. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour in the length of road specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
- 4. Nothing in Paragraphs 2 and 3 shall apply to a vehicle being used by naval, military or air force purposes while being driven by a person for the timebeing subject to the orders of a member of the armed forces of the Crown on an occasion when
 - (a) the person driving the vehicle is a member of the special forces as defined by the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011; and
 - (b) the vehicle is being driven-
 - (i) in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving vehicles at high speeds; or
 - (ii) for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds.

FIRST SCHEDULE (40mph speed limit)

Length of road in Steyning and Bramber

A283 Steyning Bypass

From a point 95 metres south of Jarvis Lane southwards to a point 50 metres north-west of High Trees roundabout junction.

SECOND SCHEDULE (50mph speed limit)

Length of road in Steyning

A283 Steyning Bypass

From a point 55 metres east of the B2135 Horsham Road to a point 95 metres

For and on behalf of WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL

Authorised Signatory:	
NAME:	
DATE MADE:	

