

**TRAFFIC REGULATION ORDER (TRO) CONSULTATION**  
**CHI2416RC – Sidlesham: B2145 & B2201 Speed Limit**  
**5/6/25 – 26/6/25**

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(SIDLESHAM: B2145 & B2201)**  
**(30MPH & 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 reduce the speed limit on lengths of the B2145 & B2201 at Sidlesham Common to 30mph.

Full details of the proposals in this Notice can be viewed on our website [www.westsussex.gov.uk/tro](http://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 26 June 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](mailto:tro.consultation@westsussex.gov.uk). All correspondence should be addressed to the undersigned, quoting the reference TRO/CHI2416/RC. Only correspondence including a full name and address will be considered.

Dated 5<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Director of Law & Assurance  
County Hall  
Chichester

**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
**(SIDLESHAM: B2145 & B2201)**  
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**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 reduce the speed limit on lengths of the B2145 & B2201 at Sidlesham Common to 30mph.

The two main access roads to Selsey, the B2201 and B2145, merge at Sidlesham Common and are currently subject to a 40mph speed limit. The B2145 carries significant volumes of commuter, commercial and tourist traffic, and is the only route in and out of Selsey, the most densely populated area on the Peninsula. South of Lockgate Road the B2145 is subject to a 30mph speed limit. This results in cars accelerating out of Sidlesham towards the B2201. The Parish Council have applied on behalf of the local community for a reduction of the speed limit from 40mph to 30mph due to concerns about road safety and speed of traffic.

The application has been assessed in accordance with the West Sussex Speed Limit Policy. A 30mph speed limit is considered appropriate in this location due to the road layout and characteristics.

The presence of vulnerable road users has been acknowledged, there is a narrow footway connecting the small cluster of properties on the west side of the B2201, with a short break at the junction where pedestrians must walk in the road.

Road traffic collision data at this location shows there have been a number of collisions at this junction and the reduced speed limit seeks to reduce vehicular speeds from each direction.

It is intended to implement the new speed limit with yellow backed signage and roundels to reinforce the reduced speed limit.

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 CHI2416: Sidlesham – B2145 & B2201 Proposed Speed Limit shows the lengths of roads, which are the subject of the proposed Order.

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**WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**  
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**(30MPH & 50MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2025**

West Sussex County Council in exercise of their powers under Sections 82 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 2025 and may be cited as "West Sussex County Council (Sidlesham: B2145 & B2201) (30mph & 50mph Speed Limit) Order 2025"
2. The Order in the First Schedule to this Order is hereby revoked.
3. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour on the length of road specified in the Second Schedule to this Order.
4. No person shall cause or permit any vehicle to proceed at a speed exceeding 50 miles per hour on the length of road specified in the Third Schedule to this Order.
5. Nothing in Paragraphs 3 and 4 shall apply to a vehicle being used by naval, military or air force purposes while being driven by a person for the time being 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**  
**Order to be revoked**

**Extent of revocation**

West Sussex County Council (Sidlesham:  
Various Roads) (30MPH, 40MPH & 50MPH  
Speed Limit) Order 2015

Entire THIRD &  
FOURTH SCHEDULES

**SECOND SCHEDULE**  
**(30mph speed limit)**

Lengths of roads in Sidlesham

B2145

From a point 85 metres north of its junction with Lockgate Road northwards to a point 85 metres north-east of the junction with Brimfast Lane.

B2201

From the B2145 northwards  
to a point 45 metres north of  
its junction with Jury Lane

**THIRD SCHEDULE**  
**(50mph speed limit)**

Length of road in Sidlesham

B2145

From a point 85 metres  
north-east of the junction  
with Brimfast Lane  
northwards for a distance of  
1.15km

**For and on behalf of WEST SUSSEX COUNTY COUNCIL**


*Authorised Signatory:*

*NAME:*

*DATE MADE:*

**KEY**

SPEED LIMITS



Proposed 30mph Speed Limit

