

ANGUS COUNCIL

ROADS COMMITTEE - 7 MARCH 2002

ANGUS COUNCIL TRAFFIC ORDERS 2001

REPORT BY THE DIRECTOR OF LAW AND ADMINISTRATION

ABSTRACT

This Report relates to the preparation of Traffic Orders introducing a 20mph speed limit in the Gallowshade area of Forfar and varying speed limits at various locations in Angus in the interest of public and traffic safety.

1. RECOMMENDATION

The Committee are requested to:-

- (i) recommend to the Council the making of the Angus Council (Gallowshade Area, Forfar) (20mph Zone) Order 2001; and
- (ii) recommend to the Council the making of the Angus Council (Variation of Speed Limits) Order 2001.

2. INTRODUCTION

The undernoted Traffic Regulation Orders have been processed as detailed below and the making of the Orders is now recommended.

(a) Angus Council (Gallowshade Area, Forfar) (20mph Zone) Order 2001

Reference is made to Article 12 of the minute of meeting of the Roads Committee held on 23 August 2001 authorising the preparation of an Order to introduce a 20mph speed limit zone in the Gallowshade area of Forfar where current traffic procedures are deemed inappropriate and the overall accident record is of concern.

(b) Angus Council (Variation of Speed Limits) Order 2001

Reference is made to Article 12(b) of the minute of meeting of the Roads Committee held on 9 March 2001 and to Article 13 of the minute of meeting of the Roads Committee held on 23 August 2001 authorising the reduction of speed limits as follows:-

- from 60mph to 40mph in a section of the Dundee Road, Forfar;
- from 40mph to 30mph in the village of Inchbare; and
- from 60mph to 30mph in a section of Huntingfaulds Road, Tealing.

3. CONSULATION AND PUBLICATION

The proposed Orders were duly advertised and no objections were received.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications arising from this Report.

5. HUMAN RIGHTS IMPLICATIONS

There are no human rights implications arising from this Report.

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Note: The background papers, as defined by Section 50D of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 (other than any containing confidential or exempt information) which were relied on to any material extent in preparing the above Report are contained in the files TA/1/161 and TA/1/151.