

PUBLIC NOTICE

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL PROPOSE TO EXTEND THE 30MPH SPEED LIMIT ON HIGH STREET, THURLEIGH

Reason for Proposal:

Bedford Borough Council proposes to extend the 30mph speed limit in High Street in accordance with the planning requirement for the new development.

Effect of the Order:

1. To reduce the speed limit from 40mph to 30mph on the following length of road:

Α	High Street (C26), Thurleigh
(i)	From the end of the existing 30mph speed limit (approx. 262 metres east of
8 82	its junction with Keysoe Road), for a distance of approx. 89.5 metres in a
	south-easterly direction.

2. To introduce a 40mph speed limit on the following length of road:

Α	High Street / Cross End (C26), Thurleigh	
(i)	(i) From the end of the proposed new 30mph speed limit (approx. 351.5 me	
	east of its junction with Keysoe Road), for a distance of approx. 982.5 metres	
	in an easterly direction.	

3. To revoke the following Order:

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (30MPH AND 40MPH SPEED LIMITS)
 (THE PARISH OF THURLEIGH, BEDFORD) ORDER 2018

Relevant proposal documents may be examined during normal office hours at Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street, Bedford, MK42 9AP. They will also be available for viewing on the council's website at www.bedford.gov.uk/proposedtro. The documents will be placed on deposit until 6 weeks after the Order is made or until it is decided not to continue with the proposal. For further information, please contact Andrew Prigmore at Bedford Borough Council on 01234 276691.

<u>Comments supporting or objecting to the proposal</u> should be put in an email, stating the grounds on which they are made, and sent no later than 23rd May 2024 to highway.consultations@bedford.gov.uk.

Order Title if made will be:

1. Bedford Borough Council (30mph and 40mph Speed Limits) (The Parish Of Thurleigh, Bedford) Order 20**.

Dated: 25th April 2024

Borough Hall, Cauldwell Street

Bedford, MK42 9AP

Craig Austin
Director of Environment



BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (30MPH AND 40MPH SPEED LIMITS) (THE PARISH OF THURLEIGH, BEDFORD) ORDER 2024

BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL ("the Council") in exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 82(2), 83(2), 84(1) and 84(2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended ("the Act") and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act, hereby make the following Order:-

- 1) This Order may be cited as the "Bedford Borough Council (30mph and 40mph Speed Limits) (The Parish Of Thurleigh, Bedford) Order 2024" and shall come into force on 29th July 2024.
- 2) As from the date upon which this Order comes into force any length of road specified in Schedule A and Schedule B to this Order shall cease to be a restricted road for the purposes of Section 81 of the Act.
- 3) No person shall drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 30 miles per hour on any length of road specified in Schedule A to this Order, nor exceeding 40 miles per hour on any length of road specified in Schedule B to this Order.
- 4) As from the date upon which this Order comes into force the speed limits imposed by this Order shall supersede any previous speed limits on any length of road specified in Schedule A and Schedule B to this Order, and any part of any previous speed limit Order shall hereby be revoked insofar as it applies to any length of road specified in Schedule A and Schedule B to this Order.
- 5) No speed limit imposed by this Order applies to vehicles falling within Regulation 3(4) of the Road Traffic Exemptions (Special Forces) (Variation and Amendment) Regulations 2011 when used in accordance with Regulation 3(5) of those Regulations.

SCHEDULE A

A 30mph speed limit shall apply over the length of the following road:-

Α	High Street (C26), Thurleigh
(i)	From the end of the existing 30mph speed limit (approx. 262m metres east of
	its junction with Keysoe Road), for a distance of approx. 89.5 metres in a
	south-easterly direction.

SCHEDULE B

A 40mph speed limit shall apply over the length of the following road:-

A High Street / Cross End (C26), Thurleigh (i) From the end of the proposed new 30mph speed limit (approx. 351.5m metres east of its junction with Keysoe Road), for a distance of approx. 982.5 metres in an easterly direction.

THE COMMON SEAL of the BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL

was hereunto affixed this 25th day of July 2024 in the presence of:

Wai K. Tsang
Solicitor
Legal Services
Bedford Borough Council

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Authorised Signatory



AUTHORITY FOR EXECUTION				
COUNCIL/COMMITTEE	MINUTE No.	DATE		
DELEGATED POWER	By whom executed ENVIRONMENT	23/07/2024		
	OFFICERS INITIALS	DATE		
ORIGINATED AND CHECKED BY	GM	23/07/2024		
APPROVED BY	AP	23/07/2024		



BEDFORD BOROUGH COUNCIL (30MPH AND 40MPH SPEED LIMITS) (THE PARISH OF THURLEIGH, BEDFORD) ORDER 2024

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Bedford Borough Council proposes to extend the 30mph speed limit in High Street in accordance with the planning requirement for the new development.

