

NORTH SOMERSET DISTRICT COUNCIL

(MARSH LANE EASTON-IN-GORDANO)
(40MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2020

The District Council of North Somerset (hereinafter referred to as “the Council”) in exercise of its powers under Sections 84(1) and (2) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended (hereinafter referred to as “the Act of 1984”) and of all other enabling powers, after consultation with the chief officer of police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 to the Act of 1984, hereby makes the following Order:-

1. This Order shall come into operation on the **3rd August 2020** and may be cited as the North Somerset District Council (Marsh Lane, Easton-in-Gordano) (40mph Speed Limit) Order 2020.
2. No person shall drive any motor vehicle at a speed exceeding 40 miles per hour on the length of road specified in the Schedule to this Order.
3. 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 when used in accordance with regulation 3 (5) of those regulations.

Given under the Common Seal of North Somerset Council on the 30th day of July 2020.

The COMMON SEAL of)
the DISTRICT COUNCIL)
of NORTH SOMERSET)
was hereunto affixed in)
the presence of:-)

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

SCHEDULE

Marsh Lane	From a point approximately 75metres east of its junction with Gordano Way in a south-easterly direction for a distance measured along the said length of road of approximately 750metres to a point approximately 70metres west of its junction with Church Road.
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STATEMENT OF REASONS

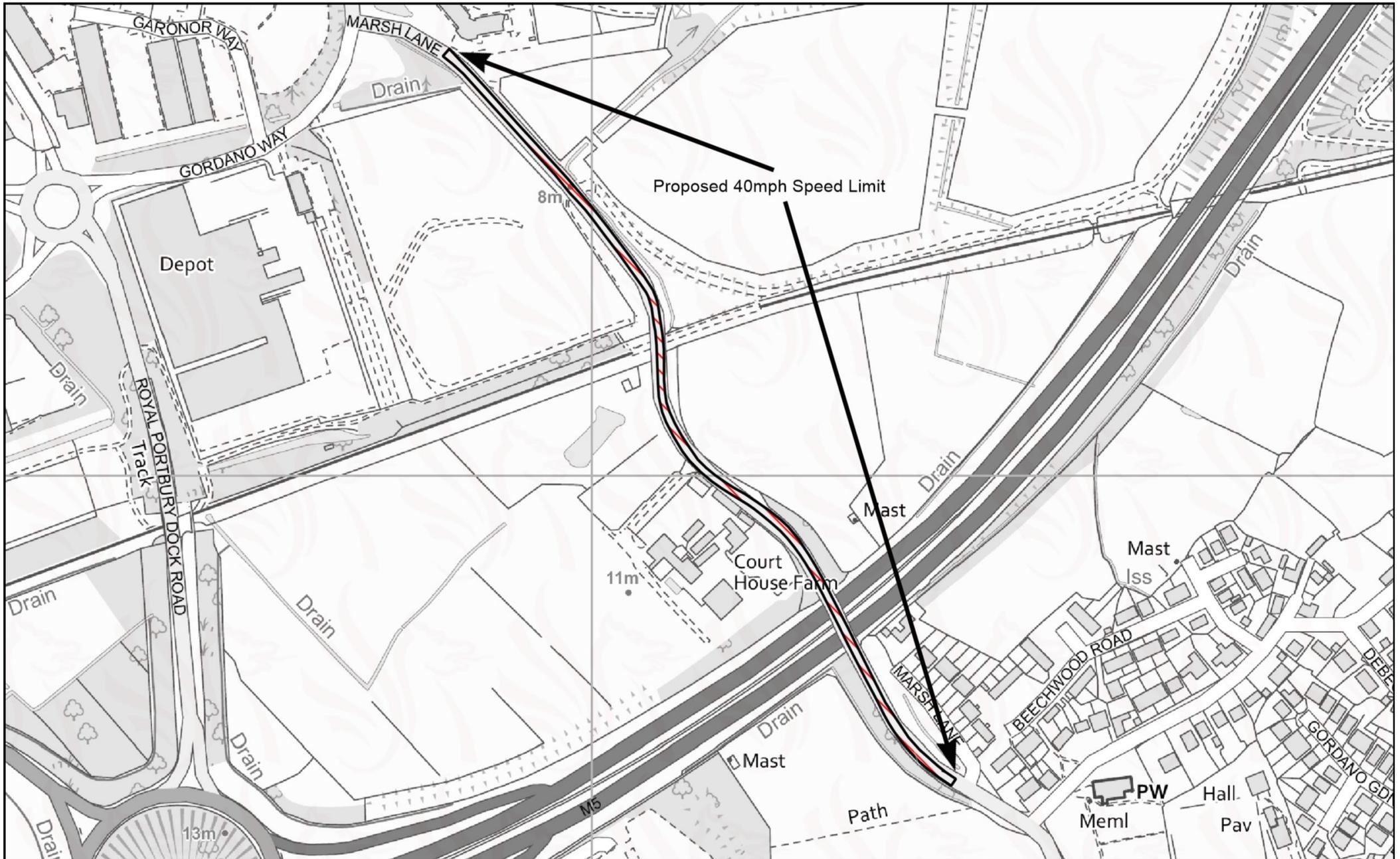
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Planning approval was granted on the 7 October 2016 for the installation of a part-time traffic signal control crossing arrangement on Marsh Lane between cargo storage area Plot 25 and 26 (16/P/1938/F). As part of the package of works it is proposed to introduce a 40mph Speed Limit on Marsh Lane

This is being proposed to increase highway safety along Marsh Lane which will include the approaches to the proposed new part-time traffic signals.

Speed readings have been taken at 2 locations along Marsh Lane and the results show that both the mean and 85th percentile speed along the route are below 40 mph. It can therefore be concluded that the majority of drivers travel at speeds below the “preferred limit” and therefore, a reduction in speed limit to 40mph would appear to be appropriate.

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Extent of Proposed 40mph Speed Limit - Marsh Lane Easton-in-Gordano

Scale: 1:4096

Date: 22 October 2019

