Proposed traffic calming measures – Cronks Hill/Somerset Road, Redhill

Statement of Reasons

The following traffic calming measures are proposed on Cronks Hill/Somerset Road, in the vicinity of the junction with Cronks Hill Road, Redhill:

1)The construction of a flat top road table on Cronks Hill, 20 metres North-West of the bell mouth of the junction with Cronks Hill Road. The aim of which is to reduce vehicle speeds on the approach to this junction.

2) The construction of a flat top road table on Somerset Road, placed at a distance of 20 metres South-East of the bell mouth of the junction with Cronks Hill Road. Likewise, to reduce the speed of vehicles on approach to this junction.

The scheme is in response to a request from the divisional County Councillor. A decision was taken by the Highways Engagement Commissioning Manager under delegated authority in August 2024 to progress with this scheme.

The local County Councillor has promoted the scheme following concerns expressed by residents about traffic speeds on Cronks Hill and Somerset Road at the junction with Cronks Hill Road. A large number of children use these roads to access local schools and the nursery in Somerset Road.