

## **Speed Reduction – A322 Lightwater By-pass, C5 Guildford Road, Lightwater, Surrey.**

### **Speed Limit Reduction from 70mph to 40mph on the A322.**

On both Northwest bound and Southwest bound carriageways, from a point approximately 33m northwest of the junction with the roundabout known as the Gordon Boys Roundabout at the junction of the A322 Lightwater By-Pass, the B311 Red Road, the A322 Guildford Road and the A319 Bagshot Road to a point approximately 40m northwest of the junction of A322 with C5 Guildford Road. A distance of approximately 320m.

### **Speed Limit Reduction from 70mph to 60mph on the A322.**

On the Northwest bound carriageway, from a point approximately 40m northwest of the junction of A322 with C5 Guildford Road to a point approximately 326m southeast of the M3 junction 3 interchange with the A322. A distance of approximately 1.9km.

On the Southeast bound carriageway, from a point approximately 250m southeast of the junction with the M3 junction 3 interchange with the A322, to a point approximately 40m northwest of the junction of A322 with C5 Guildford Road. A distance of approximately 2.0km.

### **Speed Limit Reduction from 70mph to 40mph on the C5 Guildford Road.**

From the junction of C5 Guildford Road with A322 to a point approximately 80m northwest of the junction of C5 Guildford Road with A322. A distance of approximately 80m.

## **Statement of Reasons**

It is proposed to reduce the existing De-restricted 70mph speed limit to 40mph and 60mph speed limits within the sections of highway detailed above.

Surrey County Council engineers raised concerns about various collisions, vehicle speeds and safety concerns within the A322 Lightwater by-pass. Analysis of Killed and Seriously Injured (KSI) collision data has been undertaken and includes 4 collisions involving fatalities in the 10 years analysed within the section of A322 Lightwater by-pass listed above. A speed limit assessment has been carried out on the A322 Lightwater by-pass following the processes set out in Surrey County Council's Policy for Setting Local Speed Limits. A reduction of the speed limit on A322 Lightwater by-pass complies with the policy and is supported by Surrey Police and the Local Member for the reductions to 40mph and 60mph.