# WARWICKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

## HIGHWAYS ACT 1980, SECTIONS 65 AND 66

## A426 LEICESTER ROAD, RUGBY - PROPOSED CONVERSION OF FOOTWAY TO SHARED USE FOOTWAY / CYCLE TRACK

### 1. STATEMENT OF REASONS

- 1.1 Warwickshire County Council is proposing, pursuant to sections 65 and 66 of the Highways Act 1980, to convert parts of existing footways on the A426 Leicester Road, Rugby (as described in the Schedule below) into a shared use footway/cycle track for use by pedestrians and cyclists.
- **1.2** The shared use footway/cycle track is being introduced to facilitate a new dual Toucan crossing on the A426 Leicester Road, to the north of the roundabout junction with Boughton Road, Rugby.
- **1.3** The scheme will involve widening the existing footway to approximately 3 metres, as shown on the 'A426 Footway Conversion' drawing and set out below.

### SCHEDULE

### A426 Leicester Road, Rugby

- 1. Approximately 80 metres of footway on the eastern side of A426 Leicester Road / Boughton Road between the existing Toucan crossing on Boughton Road and a planned new Toucan crossing on the A426 Leicester Road to the north of the A426 Leicester Road / Boughton Road roundabout.
- 2. Approximately 10 metres of footway on the western side of the A426 Leicester Road at the eastern end of the closed off spur of Brownsover Lane.

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