

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Stockton Road, Long Itchington

As part of the mitigation measures for the HS2 project across the County, a total of 25 differing and widely range schemes have been put forward to be funded by HS2. These 25 schemes have been investigated by the County Councils own Traffic and Road Safety Team and have put each scheme forward to the HS2 Board, who have agreed to the schemes and are willing to pay for each.

The scheme through Long Itchington is to extend the 30mph speed limit from the west side of the current 40mph for 429 metres east.

Extending the current speed limit should have the effect of slowing motorists when approaching the village therefore reducing possibility injuries to motorists and pedestrians, and thus improving road safety.