

REPORT

To: PLANNING AND ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE		Subject: THE NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL (B7066 WEST MAIN STREET, HARTHILL) (30 MPH SPEED LIMIT EXTENSION) ORDER
From: EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES		
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1. Purpose of Report

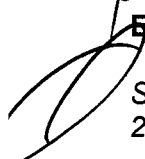
The Committee are asked to approve the introduction of a Traffic Regulation Order to extend the existing 30 mph speed limit on B7066 West Main Street, Harthill from a point 75 metres west of the centre line of Breslin Terrace northeastwards to the boundary between North Lanarkshire and West Lothian, 180 metres east of the extended line of the east kerb of B718 Westcraigs Road, a distance of 1760 metres.

2. Report

- 2.1 This section of the B7066 runs from a primarily rural area and continues through a residential area of Harthill.
- 2.2 With a view to enhancing pedestrian safety, the extension of the existing 30 mph speed limit is intended to reduce vehicular speeds over the frontage of the residential properties which are currently fronted by a 40 mph speed limit.
- 2.3 There are two existing speed limit Traffic Regulation Orders within this area which have to be amended which are The Strathclyde Regional Council (Restricted Roads) (Transitional) Order 1985 and The County of Lanark (40mph Speed Limit) (No. 2) Order 1973.
- 2.4 The Council has advertised its proposals to introduce the Order by public advertisement, to which no objections were received. In addition, the Chief Constable, the local Councillor and various public and other bodies were consulted and offered no objection to the proposal.

3. Recommendation

That the Committee approve the introduction of the extension of the existing 30 mph speed limit restriction on B7066 West Main Street, Harthill.

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