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## **BLIDWORTH AREA - PROPOSED 7.5 TONNES ENVIRONMENTAL WEIGHT LIMIT (TRO 3401) - STAGE 2 CONSULTATION**

Via East Midlands Ltd is working on behalf of Nottinghamshire County Council to deliver highway services.

Nottinghamshire County Council is proposing to introduce a 7.5 tonne environmental weight limit to replace the existing 18 tonne weight limit in the Blidworth area, to reduce the impact of large vehicles in the area.

The weight limit is intended to stop heavy goods vehicles from driving through Blidworth, Rainworth and Ravenshead but would still allow HGVs who need access within the villages.

All of the roads within the area bounded by (but not including) The A60 Road (from Leapool Roundabout to A617 Fountaindale Way West); The A60 Road (from A617 Fountaindale Way West to the Rainworth Bypass Roundabout); The B6020 Road (from the Rainworth Bypass Roundabout to A617 Fountaindale Way East); The A617 Road (from A617 Fountaindale Way East to Lockwell Hill Roundabout); and The A614 Road (from the Lockwell Hill Roundabout to Leapool Roundabout).

Further to the Stage 1 consultation letter of 26th February 2025 the next stage of the consultation is to publicly advertise the scheme. The notice will be published in the Nottingham Post and Mansfield and Ashfield Chad and notices will be fixed on site. A plan showing the proposals is attached (Drawing Number H/SLW/4952/01) along with a copy of the site notice.

Any objections to the proposals, specifying the grounds on which they are made, should be sent in writing to before 27th August 2025 using the e-mail or postal address at the bottom of the letter.

Please be advised that all comments regarding this scheme, made during the stage one consultation period, still remain valid throughout this stage two consultation period.

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