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(Survey ref: 017-020)

Traffic Speed Survey Result - Bath Road, Royal Wootton Bassett (30mph Speed Limit)

❖ West of New Road

The results of the survey for Bath Road are as follows:

- The survey was carried out between 19/09/2018 and 28/09/2018.
- A total of 40579 vehicles were recorded.
- The 85th percentile was 33.5mph (the 85th percentile is the speed at or below which 85% of the traffic is travelling).
- The average speed was 29.3mph.

As with every other department, we have to target our limited resources to where they will be most effective and as such I would remind you that unless there are exceptional circumstances we will not accept another survey request for this location (or close surrounding area) within the next 12 months.

For your information the thresholds for interventions are below:

Posted Speed Limit	No further action	Community Speed Watch	Police Enforcement
20mph	20 mph to 24 mph	24.1 mph to 38.9 mph	Over 39 mph
30mph	30 mph to 35 mph	35.1 mph to 41.9 mph	Over 42 mph
40mph	40 mph to 46 mph	46.1 mph to 49.9 mph	Over 50 mph

Community Speed Watch does not operate in any speed limit above 40mph for health and safety reasons, due to the risks attached to this activity. Only trained Roads Policing Officers undertake enforcement in 50mph and higher speed limits. Please discuss this in your Community Area Transport Group (CATG) meeting.

Speed Indicator Devices (SID) cannot be calibrated to operate in 50mph and 60mph limits. The equipment is not designed to function at these speeds.

Your Community Policing Team may be able to assist with speeding issues.

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