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Subject: Necton Neighbourhood Plan

## Dear Sir/Madam

Thank you for consulting National Highways on the abovementioned Neighbourhood Plan.

National Highways is a strategic highway company under the provisions of the Infrastructure Act 2015 and is the highway authority, traffic authority and street authority for the Strategic Road Network (SRN).

It has been noted that once adopted, the Neighbourhood Plan will become a material consideration in the determination of planning applications. Where relevant, National Highways will be a statutory consultee on future planning applications within the area and will assess the impact on the SRN of a planning application accordingly.

We have considered the ongoing works to be completed by National Highways and the proposed change of speed limit which we understand to be subject to further consultation with National Highways and relevant parties.

Notwithstanding the above comments, we have reviewed the document and note the details of set out within the draft document are unlikely to have a severe impact on the operation of the trunk road and we offer **No further Comment**.

Kind regards,

## **Philip Porter**

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