

Norwich City Council
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County Councillor A Adams
Chair, Norwich Highways Agency
Committee

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Your reference

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Dear Councillor Adams

Newmarket Road – Review of Speed Limit

The City Council's Planning Applications Committee determined the planning application for the development of the Civil Service Sports Ground on Wentworth Green.

The Committee agreed, in accordance with the wishes of local residents, to request that the Highways Agency Committee to consider reducing the 40mph speed limit on Newmarket Road to 30 mph to alleviate the fear of accidents and collisions at the junction with Sunningdale. Members noted that there had been 3 accidents in the past 3 years which had occurred outside peak hours which would suggest that these were a consequence of driving too fast and close to the vehicle in front.

I am therefore asking that the Norwich Highways Agency Committee will give consideration to this request.

Yours sincerely

Councillor David Bradford
Chair, Planning Applications Committee

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