

**The Essex County Council (B1008 Sandon Hill, Ford End, Great Waltham)
(40mph Speed Limit) Order 202***

STATEMENT OF REASONS

Ford End is one of two villages within the Parish of Great Waltham, Chelmsford. The village is bisected by the B1008 which, until the construction of the A131 in 2008, formed the main link as the A130 between Chelmsford and the A120 towards Stansted. At the public meeting held at Ford End Village Hall on Monday 22nd August 2016 Essex Highways were asked to investigate further requests received from the Parish Council and the residents.

Great Waltham Parish Council formed a separate Ford End Traffic Committee, and they supported the introduction a 40mph buffer speed limit on the approaches to Ford End. As such in 2019/20 a 40mph buffer was implemented on the northern approach to Ford End. The Parish Council would now like a 40mph buffer on the southern approach.