

Speed Limit Review 2026

| File/ref. | Area         | Location                                    | Description                                                       | Source of request              | Email to members                     | Meeting Notes                                                                                                                                                                  | Visit with Police | Notes from Police Scotland meeting                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | Progress |
|-----------|--------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| 1         | Berwickshire | Fogo Nursery                                | Consider 40mph over approx 400m                                   | Gavinton, Fogo and Polworth CC | 20/10/2025                           | Doesn't meet criteria, seek PS opinion.Approx 10 frontages including nursery. No casualty profile. No footway. Average speed 26.7mph.                                          | 06/08/2026        | Supportive of 40mph due to narrow roads, nursery.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  | yes      |
| 2         | Eildon       | Easter Langlee to Lowood                    | Reduce NSL to 40mph                                               | member of public               | 20/10/2025                           | Consider for consistency, although criteria not met. 1 frontage. Busy footway. Short section between existing 30 and 40mph limits. A serious, 3 slight. Average speed 38-47mph | 11/08/2026        | Supportive of 40mph due to well used footway. Will ensure consistency and less confusion than current arrangement                                                                                                                                                                                                  | yes      |
| 3         | Cheviot      | C33 Swinside Townhead                       | Consider for 20mph speed limit over approx 650m                   | Local business                 | 20/10/2025                           | Doesn't meet criteria, seek PS opinion. Approx 10 frontages. No casualty profile. No footway. Average speed 20-30mph                                                           | 11/08/2026        | Not supportive of new speed limit. Speeds already low, very localised traffic flow.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | no       |
| 4         | Cheviot      | B6461 Houndridge                            | Consider reduction in speed limit                                 | Councillor Weatherston         | 20/10/2025                           | Not close to criteria - no more action                                                                                                                                         | n/a               | n/a                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | no       |
| 5         | Tweeddale    | Skirling                                    | Consider extension of speed 20mph limit to create village gateway | Skirling CC                    | 20/10/2025                           | Shortlist                                                                                                                                                                      | n/a               | Supportive of slight alterations to allow clear village entry point                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | yes      |
| 6         | Eildon       | B709 Hopehouse                              | Consider 40mph over 500m                                          | member of public               | 20/10/2025                           | Doesn't meet criteria, seek PS opinion. 4 frontages, holiday park access. No footway. No casualty profile. Average speed 22-32mph                                              | 06/08/2026        | Not supportive of new speed limit. Speeds not concerning, lack of development                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | no       |
| 7         | Berwickshire | Lamberton Shiels                            | Consider 40mph to meet Lamberton. 1000m distance                  | MP                             | 20/10/2025                           | Consider for consistency, although criteria not met. Approx 12 frontages. No casualty profile. No footway. Average speed 30-40mph                                              | 06/08/2026        | Supportive of 40mph limit to be consistent with Lamberton to south                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | yes      |
| 8         | Eildon       | Midlem                                      | Consider small extension of speed limit to include all properties | Councillor Thornton Nicol      | 20/10/2025                           | Shortlist                                                                                                                                                                      | n/a               | Supportive of minor change to include 3 newer properties                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | yes      |
| 9         | Eildon       | Yarrowfeus                                  | Consider extension of 40mph speed limit. 200m                     | member of public               | 20/10/2025                           | Doesn't meet criteria but is close to a school, seek PS opinion. No frontages. New path used by school. No footway. No casualty profile. Average speed 40.5mph                 | 11/08/2026        | Not supportive of extension. Path used by school is within existing 40mph limit and average speeds are not of concern. Already benefits from school warning signs on approach and dragons teeth markings at the entry to 40mph limit. Consideration can be given to 3 x countdown signs on approach to 40mph limit | no       |
| 10        | Eildon       | Pyatshaw                                    | New speed limit                                                   | Local resident                 |                                      | Shortlist                                                                                                                                                                      | 06/08/2026        | Supportive of new limit due to adequate frontages and road layouts narrow with blind bends                                                                                                                                                                                                                         | yes      |
| 11        | Tweeddale    | A72 Walkerburn to Innerleithen              | 40 or 50 buffer                                                   | Councillor Tatler              | requested in response to 20/10 email | Not close to criteria - considerable community pressure, seek PS opinion. No frtontages                                                                                        | 06/08/2026        | Not supportive. No development                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | no       |
| 12        | Tweeddale    | A701 Whim to Old Smithy (north of Lamancha) | Consider 40mph over 750m                                          | Councillor Thomas              | requested in response to 20/10 email | Doesn't meet criteria, seek PS opinion. Approx 4 frontages. No footway. 2 slight, 1 serious. Average 42-49mph                                                                  | 06/08/2026        | Not supportive. No justification in lowering limit                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | no       |
| 13        | Tweeddale    | Meldons Road                                | 40mph quiet road                                                  |                                |                                      | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                             | n/a               | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | no       |
| 14        | Tweeddale    | B712                                        | 40mph quiet road                                                  |                                |                                      | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                             | n/a               | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | no       |
| 15        | Tweeddale    | Macbiehill                                  | Consider 40mph quiet road                                         |                                | 20/10/2025                           | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                             | n/a               | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | no       |
| 16        | Tweeddale    | Edderston Farm Road/Manor Sware             | Consider 40mph quiet road                                         |                                |                                      | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                             | n/a               | Consider as walking/cycling friendly route - no speed limit change                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | no       |