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The Police role

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Recommendation 7

Welsh Government should work with the Police and Crime Commissioners, the Police and GoSafe to agree how the enforcement regime should be adapted to the widespread application of 20mph speed limits.
Police Enforcement / Education in live Phase 1 settlements

We are carrying out enforcement in all of the 8 phase 1 settlements which includes engagement prior to enforcement as part of the wider enforcement strategy. Making use of:

- CSW
- Fire service
- Schools/local authority links
- Gosafe assets and partnerships.

All activities are monitored and evaluated by TfW analysts.
20mph - Trial police education initiatives
September 2023 onwards

Both Gosafe and Police will continue to support Welsh Government around enforcement and education.

Challenges:
• Size and scope of delivering education across all Local Authorities
• Staffing and commitments that already exist within each organisation.
• Finances placing a limit to what can realistically be achieved, still making a real impact.

What will exist is the framework of partners with which to deliver the options that have been explored in the Phase One roll out.
Recommendation 11

Government should design and conduct an effective communications and promotion strategy, in conjunction with local authorities, to raise public awareness that the national default speed limit for restricted roads is reducing to 20mph and to promote compliance with it.