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Dear Resident,

### **Proposed 20mph Zone: Brinsmead Road Area**

Leicester City Council is proposing to introduce a 20mph zone in the Brinsmead Road area. This is part of our commitment to improve road safety and encourage walking and cycling near to schools and in residential areas.

Currently, the speed limit on these streets is 30mph and it is proposed to reduce this to 20mph. Leicester City Council is proposing to install traffic calming on Brinsmead Road and Church Lane, where speed surveys have shown speeding issues and there is a record of recorded personal injury collisions. No traffic calming is proposed on other roads in the area. The proposals are shown on the maps enclosed with this letter. Further information is available over the page.

The Council would like to hear your views on these matters.

A response form is included with this letter. Please send this back in the envelope provided by **Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October** (no stamp is required). The response form can also be filled in on-line at <http://consultations.leicester.gov.uk/>

Your response will be included in a report on the proposals which goes to the City Mayor who will decide whether to go ahead with the proposed changes or not. If you live in the city and would like to talk with your Ward Councillors about this, please contact:

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Should you have any questions or require further information please contact me on (0116) 454 6918 or e-mail [michael.byrne@leicester.gov.uk](mailto:michael.byrne@leicester.gov.uk)

Yours faithfully,

Michael Byrne  
Transport Development Officer.

## Further Information - Proposed 20 mph zone for the Brinsmead Road area

1. The proposed speed limit change will affect the following streets:

Brinsmead Road	Whole Length
Cademan Close	Whole Length
Church Lane	Whole Length
Gilliver Street	Whole Length
Newmarket Street	Whole Length
Welford Court	Whole Length
Wyndale Road	Whole Length

2. The proposed speed cushions can be overridden by ambulances, fire tenders and buses. These cushions are manufactured from recycled shredded tyres.
3. It is estimated that the cost of the scheme will be around £20,000.
4. If this proposal is approved, then the change is likely to come into force in early 2025.