

**NON-KEY DECISION TAKEN BY A CABINET MEMBER UNDER DELEGATED AUTHORITY**

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**Title of report:** Proposed change of 20mph to 30mph – Bushey Road (Grand Drive to Martin Way)- Statutory consultation result

**Reason for exemption (if any) – N/A**

**Decision maker**

Councillor Stephen Alambritis, Cabinet Member for Transport

**Date of Decision**

Wednesday 09 November 2022

**Date report made available to Decision maker**

21<sup>st</sup> October 2022

**Decision**

Bushey Road to be subject to 30mph speed limit between Grand Drive and Martin way

**Reason for decision**

The dual carriageway section of Bushey Road provides a transition from the A3 entering Merton; from 40 to 30 to 20mph. Feedback from residents on the doorstep during the 2022 local elections called for part of the road to return to 30mph. this section of dual carriageway has a ‘movement function’ and no homes or shops are directly accessed from this stretch of the road. Like Croydon Road in Mitcham, as an entry point to the borough which is also 30mph, I believe that due to the characteristics and function of Bushey Road, the speed limit should revert to 30mph between Grand Drive and Martin way.

**Alternative options considered and why rejected**

To retain the existing 20mph speed limit. Rejected because of the above reason for decision.

**Documents relied on in addition to officer report**

N/A

**Declarations of Interest**

N/A

**Signature**

**Publication of this decision and call in provision**

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