

SUFFOLK COUNTY COUNCIL
SIZEWELL C
(A12 MAIN ROAD, MARELSFORD & LITTLE GLEHAM)
(50MPH & 30MPH SPEED LIMIT)
ORDER 2026

In anticipation of the additional traffic that will be introduced on the highway network during the construction of Sizewell C, some changes to the existing highway will be necessary. Speed limit reductions are considered to be essential in terms of managing risks that could arise due to the presence of construction traffic on the highway. The proposed change from the existing Speed Limits to the proposals mentioned in this Order, are intended to improve the safety of all road users and also minimise the impact on communities through which the traffic will travel.

STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING TO MAKE THE ORDER

The Order is required in the interests of road safety and for the following reasons:

- (i) To avoid danger to persons or other traffic using the road or any other road or to prevent the likelihood of any such danger arising;
- (ii) To facilitate the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians);
- (iii) To preserve or improve the amenities of the area through which the road runs; or