Dear Resident/Business,

The purpose of this newsletter is to inform you of the outcome of the formal consultation carried out in September 2008, and to inform you of the Council’s decision for the proposed Cecil Road area 20mph speed limit. Representations were received from residents regarding the proposals, of which majority were in favour of the proposals. The representations received along with officer’s recommendations were presented in a report to the Street Management Advisory Committee and the Cabinet Member on the 4 November 2008. Following this meeting, the Cabinet Member has agreed to proceed with the implementation of proposals as shown on the plan overleaf Drg No. Z73/199/01A.

The Cabinet Member’s decisions are as follow:

- To proceed with the making of the Traffic Management Order for the implementation of the proposed Cecil Road area 20mph speed limit as detailed in Drawing Z73-199-01A.
- Following implementation, the measures will be reviewed after a reasonable time.

What Happens Next?
The final made TMO, which allows the proposals to be implemented and administered, will be published in the London Gazette and the local newspaper shortly. Notices will also be placed on lamp columns in the affected area.

A plan identifying the area affected by the proposal and the Council’s ‘Statement of Reasons’ can be inspected at Wimbledon Library and at Merton Civic Centre, London Road, Morden, Surrey during the Council’s working hours, Monday to Friday, between 9am and 5pm.

I regret that I am unable to give you an exact date for the implementation of the measures but I can inform you that these measures will be completed before March 2009. A letter detailing the construction programme will be sent to all residents who will be directly affected by the implementation of the works prior to it commencing. It will also be necessary to suspend some parking bays during the implementation of these works. Prior notices would be erected on posts within the vicinity of the affected parking bays.

Finally we would like to thank you for your participation in the consultation process and for your feedback. If you require any further information, please contact Edward Quartey, on telephone number 020 8545 3835 or email him at edward.quartey@merton.gov.uk. Alternatively, this information can be viewed on Merton Council’s website, www.merton.gov.uk/cecilroad20mph.

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