
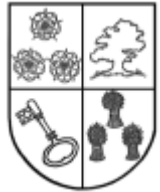


# Barton-under-Needwood Parish Council

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## **Statement on Traffic Calming Measures 01-06-18**

A shortened version of the exhibition will be available in the Library, Holland Sports Club and in the village hall foyer this weekend.

Work will be starting at Barton Gate soon. The residents have received the letter copied below:

“Dear Sir or Madam,

Staffordshire County Council is proposing to undertake highway works as part of new traffic mitigation measures to improve safety and reduce vehicle speeds on the above roads.

To summarise, the extents of the works will include improvements to the green area outside the Little India restaurant to create a central feature for the Barton Gate area. This will also include relocating the ornate Barton-under-Needwood sign from its current location to this new landscaped green.

In addition we will be looking to reduce the amount of street clutter which has accumulated over time to provide a more sympathetic and concise approach to the current traffic management in the area:

- Improved ‘fence panel’ gateway features with ‘Dragons Teeth’ road markings,
- The use of verge master posts to provide clear definition of carriageway alignment,
- Existing ‘Give Way’ sign to be relocated to a more prominent and visible location,
- Central hatch marking on Barton Gate to visually reduce carriageway width to promote the existing 40 mph speed limit.

This forms part of a series of measures at various locations around the village which are all aimed at reducing the volume and speed of through traffic while also promoting the village as a place to visit.

The works are due to commence week commencing on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2018 and will continue for approximately 4 weeks. It is anticipated that due to the nature of these works some disruption will be inevitable; however we will endeavour to keep this to a minimum and work in conjunction with individual needs where possible.

Yours faithfully,

Ignacio Gonzalez (Staffordshire County Council, Amey Consulting)

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