Quarry Farm,
Quarry Road,
Romiley.
8 August 2020.

Stockport MBC Higways Dept.

Dear Sir or Madam,

We the undersigned residents of Quarry Road and Quarry Rise, Romiley, respectfully request that the Highways Department of Stockport MBC consider;

- I) The installing of a third road traffic calming measure (road hump, aka Sleeping Policeman) at the point where the un-adopted part of Quarry Road meets the adopted part.
- ii) The implementation of a 10 mph speed restriction along the adopted part of Quarry Road.

The reasons for the requests are as follows:

Quarry Road is described as a bridleway and is indeed a single track country lane with no pavements and is used by horse riders, dog walkers, pedestrians, cyclists in addition to the vehicular traffic. The adopted stretch is approximately 150 metres in length and has two existing speed humps approximately half way down, and, at the bottom of Quarry Road near its junction with Holehouse Fold.

The request for a third hump is at the top of the adopted stretch and just at the point of a bend in the road, which, would be so situated so that it can be easily seen by vehicular traffic travelling both up and down Quarry Road. At present this is a bend with restricted views

travelling both ways and given it is a single track road any vehicle travelling more than slowly either way becomes a distinct safety hazard for vehicles travelling in the opposite direction and more importantly for any persons or animals using Quarry Road. You will know that the road is used by children walking to and from school and for children using the Marina Swimming Pool on Holehouse Fold. Also you will be aware that the Agricultural and Rural Centre (ARC) is located on Quarry Road and has both children and adults attending who have Special Educational Needs (please see note attached from Mrs Paula Forth, Director of ARC).

Given the nature and usage of Quarry Road especially by children and animals the implementation of a designated 10 mph speed restriction is also an obvious request and one which should ensure safety for such users. The fact that this adopted part of Quarry Road is only 150 metres in length would mean seconds of a delay for vehicular traffic whilst affording other road users a significant safety blanket.

We ask Stockport MBC look favourably on these requests.

Graham Fox.



Traffic calming

Wed, Aug 5, 2020 at 3:56 PM

Dear Sirs,

The Agricultural and Rural Centre is a Not-For-Profit Community Interest Company that enables children and adults with Special Educational Needs, disabilities, Mental health issues and those who are vulnerable in our community, to work with our animals and on the land.

The main access to the centre is via Quarry Road, a small country road with humps as traffic calming measures to ensure that pedestrians can walk on this road safely. The road is not wide enough to include a pedestrian kerb and therefore pedestrians rely on the humps for traffic calming. The road currently meets the requirements as set out in "Traffic Calming Local Transport Note 1/07 March 2007"(Gov.uk) Section 2.7 Vulnerable road users.

For this reason, the governing body of The Agricultural and Rural Centre would request that the road has a third Hump and other road calming measures are put in force, such as speed limits, for the safety of our participants.

Yours Sincerely

Mrs P M Forth (BA Hons, Postgrad DipHE HR(Chartered), QTS, Postgrad NASEN) Director

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