

KENT COUNTY COUNCIL - RECORD OF DECISION

DECISION TAKEN BY

Bryan Sweetland Cabinet Member for Environment Highways
and Waste

DECISION NO.

12/01927

Unrestricted/Exempt (delete as required) - If exempt please specify the relevant paragraph(s) of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)

Subject:

Speeding up the Traffic Regulation Order Process

Decision:

As Cabinet Member for Environment, Highways & Waste, I agree to delegate authority to the Director of Highways and Transportation to consider objections to Traffic Regulation Orders when five or fewer objections have been received and the local County Councillor is in full support of the proposal.

Traffic Regulation Orders with more than five objections or when the local County Councillor is not in full support of the proposal will still be reported to the local Joint Transportation Board (JTB) for a recommendation to be made to the Cabinet Member for Environment, Highways & Waste.

Any Interest Declared when the Decision was Taken

None

Reason(s) for decision, including response to any Cabinet Committee recommendations, and any alternatives considered

To reduce the time taken for a decision to be made on TRO's when minimal objections are received and the local County Councillor is in full support of the proposals. This will enable the County Council to react quicker to potential safety issues and speed up the delivery of schemes especially those being delivered for Members out of their Member Highway Fund.

The EHW Cabinet Committee recommended on 20th September 2012 that the Cabinet Member gives delegated authority to the Director of Highways & Transportation to consider objections to Traffic Regulation Orders when five or fewer objections have been received and the local County Councillor is in full support of the proposal.

Background Documents: EHW Cabinet Committee Report 20-09-2012 ItemB4

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