

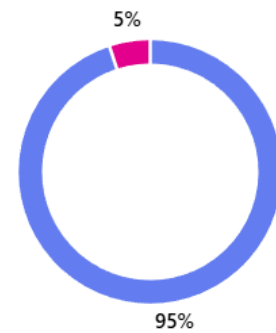


**Wistow Community Feedback – proposed 20mph speed limit
Agenda item – 02/26.09(a)**

Note: These are the results from the online survey but there is a considerable amount of support for the 20mph speed limit with comments left on the facebook post.

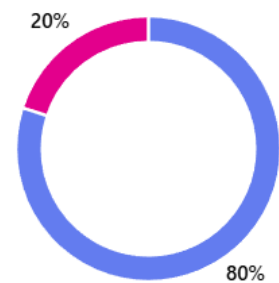
1. Do you live in Wistow?

● Yes 19
● No 1



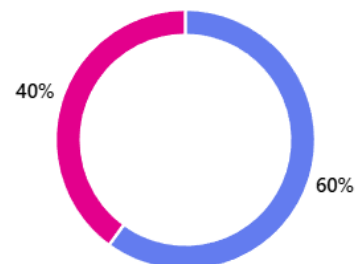
2. Have you read the information about the 20mph funding on Cambridgeshire County Council's website?

● Yes 16
● No 4



3. Do you support having a 20mph speed limit through Wistow?

● Yes 12
● No 8





4. Do you have any other comments? This box is to provide as much detail as to why you are for or against the 20mph speed limit.

15 Responses

ID ↑	Name	Responses
1	anonymous	Drivers won't adhere to it you'd be better off with speed bumps
2	anonymous	Definitely needed
3	anonymous	Wistow is currently a 30mph, with many drivers ignoring that the hope is that a 20mph limit would make enforcement easier
4	anonymous	It's not required, there is no school or hospital where 20 mph would be necessary. There is a pavement all the way through the village.
5	anonymous	Bridge St & Mill Road is a rat run which increases the likelihood of speeding associated with the increase in traffic. Whilst it is unlikely the limit can be enforced by the Police, the psychological effect on some drivers to reduce speed below 30 mph can only be a benefit. Unlike Ramsey/Bury which is a blanket zone, Wistow is an ideal area to implement a 20 mph limit. Add traffic calming and encourage residents to step up to Speedwatch or HGV watch we should see an overall improvement in the impact to the Village
6	anonymous	20 mph should be just the start of traffic deterrents through Wistow, the traffic is only going to increase with all the housing being built
7	anonymous	Applying for 20 mph through our village will not stop persistent speeders from continuing to drive at excess speeds down Manor road. People's attitudes and behaviours don't change just because a speed is reduced to 20. Most people in and around the local area do not drive 20 miles per hour in any other 20 mile per hour areas.
8	anonymous	Wistow has too much traffic transiting the village to avoid traffic on the main roads. The volume of traffic can be substantial and contributes to the deterioration of local roads. Wistow has poor pedestrian infrastructure and the through traffic poses a threat to villagers on foot. A reduction in the speed limit would be welcomed to try and reduce the risks.



9	anonymous	Cars fly through the village. Some fail to give way. We moved to Wistow from Warboys for lighter traffic. We thought with 3 cats they would be safer. However in first year of being here, 1 was hit by a car on Harris Lane resulting in emergency vet and 3 fractures to hip and pelvis. The road from Wistow to Upwood is also very bad. Oncoming vehicles regularly fail to slow down and ive had 2 incidents where my wing mirror has been whacked off with drivers failing to stop and driving off at speed.
10	anonymous	30mph is a perfectly adequate limit for the village.
11	anonymous	I walk a lot up and down mill road. The amount of speeding through the village is terrible. That do not slow for 30 so it will be interesting if this will the solution.
12	anonymous	Have never seen any details on the effectiveness of 20mph zones. Only the decrease in harm in a slower collision. Have any studies been made on reduced concentration in 20 zones (personally, I find it a very unnatural speed and have to constantly watch the speedo), or adherence to the new limit?
13	anonymous	20mph through Wistow will be a great benefit to the village
14	anonymous	Main road going through village has very few pedestrians. Most houses are far off the road. Can't see any safety issues with current 30mph limit.
15	anonymous	Long overdue



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Clerk's Report - February 2026

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Updates

- Contact has been made to the Village Hall Committee (VHC) regarding new defibrillator.
- GDPR Data Map prepared to assist with assertion 10.
- Updated portfolio responsibilities, data protection policy, meeting guidance notes and dispensation policy all uploaded to website.
- Wistow Community Flood Group (WCFG) letter sent to Cambridgeshire County Council (CCC) who are investigating the issues with the culverts and ditches.
- Harris Lane defibrillator pads have been replaced.
- Tree Risk Assessment took place 9th & 10th February 2026.
- Ready, Stead, Slow Cook event received lots of community interest and currently waiting for further details to book event.
- Successfully received funding for more trees to boost biodiversity in the community.
- Applied for community chest funding for more equipment for biodiversity.

Meetings/Training

- Meeting with Huntingdonshire Communities on 30th January 2026 regarding wellbeing, safety, and older person annual event.
- Clerk's Drop-in session with CAPALC on 11th February 2026.
- Role of Internal Auditor training on 18th February 2026.

01/02/2026 - Payment Approval

Payee	Description	Amount	Approved on	Paid on	Comment
Payroll	Salary, ENIC, Pension	TBC			
Total Energy	Electricity	£135.04			
Emma Jackson	Grass Maintenance	£365.00			