

**CMD Transport Management – 5 September 2024 – Buscot: Buscot Wick
20mph Speed Limit Proposals**

I am fully in support of the scheme at Buscot and Buscot Wick and reflect the views of the parish council who would like to see these changes made.

The A417 is an important road used by HGVs, commuters and leisure vehicles which can all exceed the current speed limits and anything that can be done to improve safety for residents there would be welcomed. The turning out of Buscot village is a busy one, and particularly hazardous, with poor visibility in both directions - I have witnessed this myself and would urge action to help alleviate the risk here.

Equally the area marked down in Buscot Wick can often be used as a 'rat-run' for those cutting through to Lechlade and Highworth off the Snowswick Lane and residents would welcome reduced speeds there.

I know Cllr Gant is in support in reducing speeds across the county as part of the council's Vision Zero policy, and I hope that he agrees that this is another example where this action would improve safety for our residents.

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