

**From:** Freedom of Information Requests

**Sent:** 30 July 2025 16:24

**To:**

**Subject:** FOI Response -

Dear Sir/Madam,

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request dated 16 July 2025 for information about Doncaster Road (A18). Please find below City of Doncaster Council's responses to the questions you have raised.

**1. Speed Limit History & Changes**

a. What year was the current 40mph speed limit introduced on Doncaster Road (A18) between Dunsville and Hatfield Chace?

Response: This information is not held due to consolidation of all Traffic Regulation Orders in 2011, however the A18 is listed in the CITY OF DONCASTER COUNCIL (VARIOUS ROADS DONCASTER) SPEED LIMITS (CONSOLIDATION) ORDER 2011.

b. Please provide a full list of all speed limit changes that have occurred along Doncaster Road / A18 within Doncaster borough, including:

- o Specific locations affected
- o Date the change was implemented
- o Previous and new speed limits

Response: The following roads were reduced to 20mph from 30mph at their junctions with the A18 on 29th March 2023:

- Broadway
- Mile End Ave
- Coppice Ave
- Danum Road
- Ash Hill Road

**2. Speed Limit Reviews and Safety Assessments**

a. Have any speed limit reviews, road safety audits, or traffic risk assessments been carried out since January 2020 on the A18 between Dunsville and Hatfield Chace?

Response: None conducted.

**3. Developments and Their Traffic Impact**

a. Have any transport impact assessments or risk assessments been carried out by the council, or submitted by developers, in connection with the following housing developments built between Dunsville and Hatfield on Doncaster Road (A18):

- o Barratt Homes
- o Linden Homes
- o David Wilson Homes
- o Avant Homes

b. If so, please provide copies of those assessments and any related traffic or infrastructure recommendations.

Response: This information is exempt from disclosure under Section 21 of the Freedom of information Act. Section 21 exempts information from the right of access if that information is reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means. In this case the information is available on our website here: [View planning applications - City of Doncaster Council](#).

#### 4. Incident: Prison Transport Collision (November 2024)

a. Please provide any internal documents, emails, reports, meeting notes, or communications relating to the prison transport vehicle collision in November 2024, in which two elderly pedestrians were struck on Doncaster Road (A18) in Hatfield.

b. Has this incident triggered or contributed to any further reviews or decisions regarding:

- o Road safety measures
- o Speed limit changes
- o Pedestrian improvements or signage

Response: Road traffic collision data is the responsibility of South Yorkshire Police. Any ongoing police investigation must be concluded before CDC are able to make an informed decision.

#### 5. Future Plans

a. Are there any planned or proposed speed limit reviews, traffic calming, or safety improvements scheduled for this section of the A18?

b. If so, please provide timelines and copies of relevant plans or proposals.

Response: It is intended to review the speed limit on Doncaster Road, although at present we are unable to provide a timeline of when this assessment will be carried out.

I hope that this information is useful to you.

The City of Doncaster Council estimates that it has cost £49 to respond to this request for information.

#### **Reviewing any decisions made:**

If you are not happy with this reply you can ask us to review our response. To do this write to us within 40 working days of receiving your response at the address below or email [FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk](mailto:FOIAppeals@doncaster.gov.uk)

If you do not agree with the review decision you can apply to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision about our compliance or otherwise with the Freedom of Information legislation. Contact details for the ICO are: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk) Telephone 0303 123 1113.

Yours faithfully,

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