

Dear Sir,        6/7/12

*I have noticed your intentions of installing speed restrictions to Wallington Road High Grange Billingham- between Marshhouse Ave & Longfellow Road.*

*I object to this traffic calming- most likely instigated by a minority of residents.*

*I presume some sort of survey has been carried out by yourselves & you have independent evidence of this speeding, I have resided in Wallington Rd since 1973 there has ONE road incident involving ONE vehicle due to excessive speed in 1976 there were no injuries.*

*I have spoken extensively to other residents on the road & not one has requested traffic calming measures, personally I think they are counter-productive as they generate speeding between the restrictive humps---- heavy braking & acceleration.*

*Degeneration of these raised humps is rapid they break up very quickly from ice damage- require constant maintenance & soon will have our road looking run down.*

*I don't deny that I have in past witnessed speeding very very occasionally but then that's indicative of every estate in the country!!! Speed humps in this road are not warranted & will be an unnecessary expense on our council tax---- far better impose a 20 MPH limit on estate spine roads.*

*Finally I would be very interested to know just how many requests have been received by your department regarding traffic calming in Wallington Road ?*

*Regards  
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