

**KIRKLEES COUNCIL  
HIGHWAYS ACT 1980 – SECTION 90 A-F  
ROAD HUMPS - SMITHIES MOOR RISE, BATLEY**

**Statement of reasons**

The traffic calming proposals for Smithies Moor Rise are proposed to address concerns raised by Local Ward Councillors and local residents regarding vehicle speeds and rat-running to avoid the traffic signals at Leeds Road.

It is believed the scheme will help resolve the issues of inappropriate speed and rat-running by drivers using this route and benefit all road users travelling through the area.