

14. CONSULTATION ON THE M8 AND M9 TRUNK ROADS (NEWBRIDGE TO HERMISTON GAIT) (ACTIVELY MANAGED HARD SHOULDER SPEED LIMIT) REGULATIONS

The Council Executive considered a report (copies of which had been circulated) by the Head of Operational Services providing a response on Transport Scotland's consultation on the M8 and M9 trunk roads (Newbridge to Hermiston Gait) (actively managed hard shoulder and speed limit) Regulations 2021

It was recommended that the Council Executive agrees Appendix 1 as the Council's response to Transport Scotland's consultation on the M8 and M9 trunk roads (Newbridge to Hermiston Gait) (actively managed hard shoulder and speed limit).

Decision

1. To approve the terms of the report and the proposed response;
and
2. To agree that the response include concerns as expressed by the RAC and the AA and to ensure that a review period was stipulated by Transport Scotland if and when the proposal was implemented.