

Statement of Reasons

As part of Gateshead Regeneration Partnership, a new housing led regeneration programme has been approved through a planning application. As part of this development it is proposed to include a raised flat top table to act as a traffic calming feature to aid in Road Safety and pedestrian access through the development.

Gateshead Council as Highway Authority propose to construct the raised table on Collingdon Road 137 meters south of its junction with Collingdon Green in discharge of its duty under Section 122 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, "to secure the expeditious, convenient and safe movement of vehicular and other traffic (including pedestrians)", in accordance with the provisions of Section 1(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 namely:-

- (c) for facilitating the passage on the road or any other road of any class of traffic (including pedestrians);
- (f) for preserving or improving the amenities of the area through which the road runs.