

Report to Harlton Village Meeting 2023

Summary of Speedwatch:

- Only 7 sessions in period from April 22 to March 23, all in morning rush hour – 8am to 9am
- 14 vehicles recorded above 35mph out of total of 300 vehicles over the 7 x 1 hour sessions
- Average number of vehicles was 43 per hour
- On average 4.7% of vehicles were above the 35mph tolerance level
- By comparison, when Speedwatch started in 2011, the equivalent figures were 12% of vehicles speeding out of 60 cars per hour
- (Max number of vehicles recorded in a Speedwatch 1 hour session was 243 - during A14 upgrade when Harlton was used as a rat-run)

Comments on the figures:

- Traffic volumes have not fully recovered after Covid presumably as a result of people working from home
- Speedwatch has been reasonably successful. Speeding is down from 1 in 8 vehicles speeding to 1 in 20 now

WE NEED MORE SPEEDWATCH VOLUNTEERS – contact 01223 264033 or j.watson2006@btinternet.com