

## Why are we doing this?

**Reducing the speed limit to 20 mph will mean:**

- There are likely to be fewer accidents.
- People are more likely to cycle and walk.
- Anyone involved in a collision is less likely to be seriously injured. You are far less likely to be seriously injured if struck by a vehicle travelling at 20 mph than at 30 mph.

## What happens next?

We plan to start the new speed limit in Spring 2013.

### Have your say

If you have any questions or comments please contact:

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**[www.sheffield.gov.uk/20mph](http://www.sheffield.gov.uk/20mph)**

If you wish to object, please put this in writing to:

Transport, Traffic & Parking Services  
2-10 Carbrook Hall Road  
Sheffield S9 2DB

**Formal objections must be received by  
Friday 7 December 2012**

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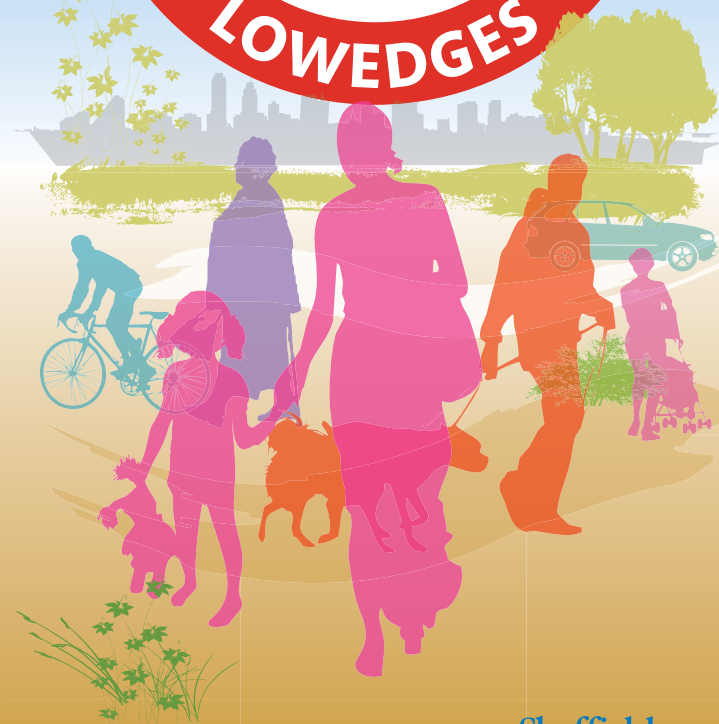
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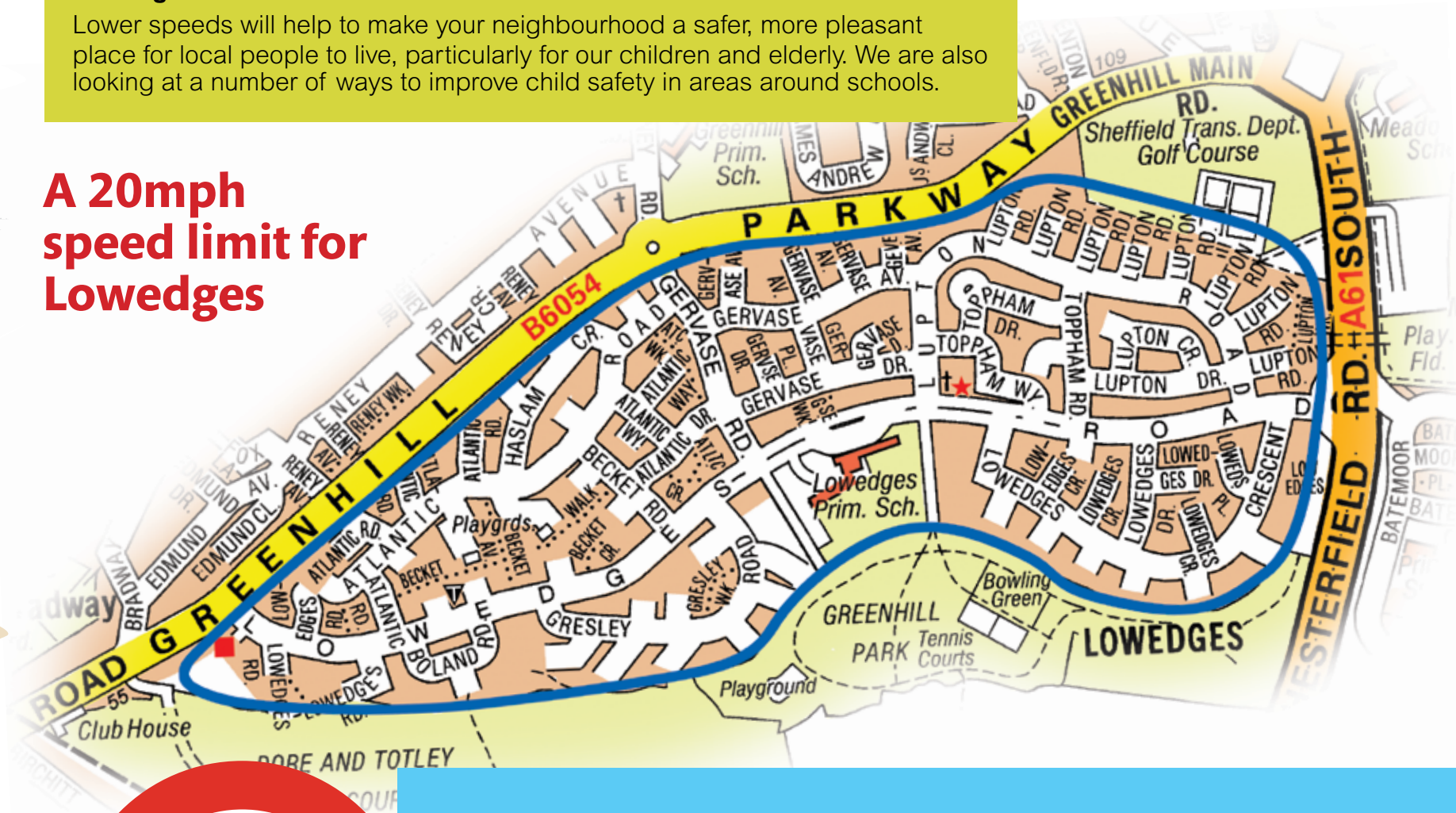
We really want to reduce the number of accidents on our roads in Sheffield.

To help us do this we want to reduce the speed limit to **20mph** from 30mph in **Lowedges**.

Lower speeds will help to make your neighbourhood a safer, more pleasant place for local people to live, particularly for our children and elderly. We are also looking at a number of ways to improve child safety in areas around schools.

The boundary of the Lowedges 20mph speed limit is outlined in blue on the map below.

## A 20mph speed limit for Lowedges



## What will the new 20mph areas look like?

The entrance to the new area will have speed limit signs to let drivers know the new speed limit. The area will also have small signs mounted on lamp posts to remind drivers of the new lower limit. There will be no traffic calming measures such as road humps, as we don't have the funding available for these.