

STATEMENT OF REASONS

HS2 TRANCHE 3: PRESTON ROAD, GAWCOTT PRIORITY NARROWING

It is proposed to introduce a priority narrowing (Build out) on Preston Road, Gawcott.

The table below identifies proposed priority narrowing for the road named and the reason for proposing the changes.

Table 1- Road extents and proposed priority narrowing for Preston Road, Gawcott

Road Name (and extents)	Proposal	Reason for Proposal
Preston Road, Gawcott (near side of east bound traffic, Infront of house no 7)	Priority narrowing (Build out)	To create a priority narrowing by reducing carriageway width and requiring drivers entering the village to yield to exiting traffic, encouraging a reduction in speed in the village and overall improvement of safety.