

**To: The Cathaoirleach and Each Member of the Municipal District of
Adare-Rathkeale**

Report on Kilcornan Traffic Calming

The Council has recently met with the Regional Safety Engineer from Transport Infrastructure Ireland (TII) at the above location who reports as follows.

‘Our discussions centred on the immediate area around Kilcornan School and the Community Centre. There is very little collision history recorded here, but I can see that there is a possible case for giving the area around school and playing field an “urban” treatment with footpaths and street lighting. This may highlight to drivers that the area is a centre of activity where slower speeds are appropriate.

However, in order for this treatment to be effective it would need to go hand in hand with a rationalisation of the speed limit in Kilcornan, restricting the speed limited length to the location around the school where there is the most pedestrian activity, and where the proposed treatment would reinforce for drivers the urban feel and sense of place.’

A national review of speed limits is in progress and the results of same in relation to Kilcornan are awaited.

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