

**NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL  
ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984  
(B1331 NETHERTON ROAD BEDLINGTON 50 MPH SPEED RESTRICTION)  
ORDER 2023 (TROM\_296)**

Northumberland County Council, in exercise of their powers under Sections 81 to 84 and Part III and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 ("the Act") and all other enabling powers, and after consultation with the Chief Officer of Police in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9 of the Act, hereby make the following Order:

1.     (1)     This Order shall come into operation on the 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023 and may be cited as "Northumberland County Council (B1331 Netherton Road Bedlington 50 MPH Speed Restriction) Order 2023."  
  
          (2)     The restrictions imposed by this Order shall be in addition to and not in derogation from any restriction or requirement imposed by any regulation made or having effect as if made under the Act or by or under any other enactment.  
  
          (3)     Except where otherwise stated, any reference in this Order to a numbered article or schedule is a reference to the article or schedule bearing that number in this Order.
2.     Save as provided in Articles 3 and 4, this Order shall render it unlawful for a person to drive a vehicle at a speed in excess of 50 mph on those lengths of highway detailed in The Schedule to this Order.
3.     Nothing in Articles 1 and 2 shall make it unlawful for a person to drive in excess of 50 mph on those lengths of highway specified in The Schedule to this Order, if it is being used for police, fire and rescue or ambulance purposes.
5.     Nothing in Articles 1 and 2 shall make it unlawful for a person to drive in excess of 50 mph on those lengths of highway specified in The Schedule to this Order, if the vehicle is used by a member of the special forces and is being driven in response, or for practice in responding, to a national security emergency by a person who has been trained in driving vehicles at high speeds or for the purpose of training a person in driving vehicles at high speeds.

**THE COMMON SEAL of NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY COUNCIL**

**was hereunto affixed this 24<sup>th</sup> day of October 2023 in the presence of:-**



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Duly Authorised Officer



Seal Number: 26003

## THE SCHEDULE

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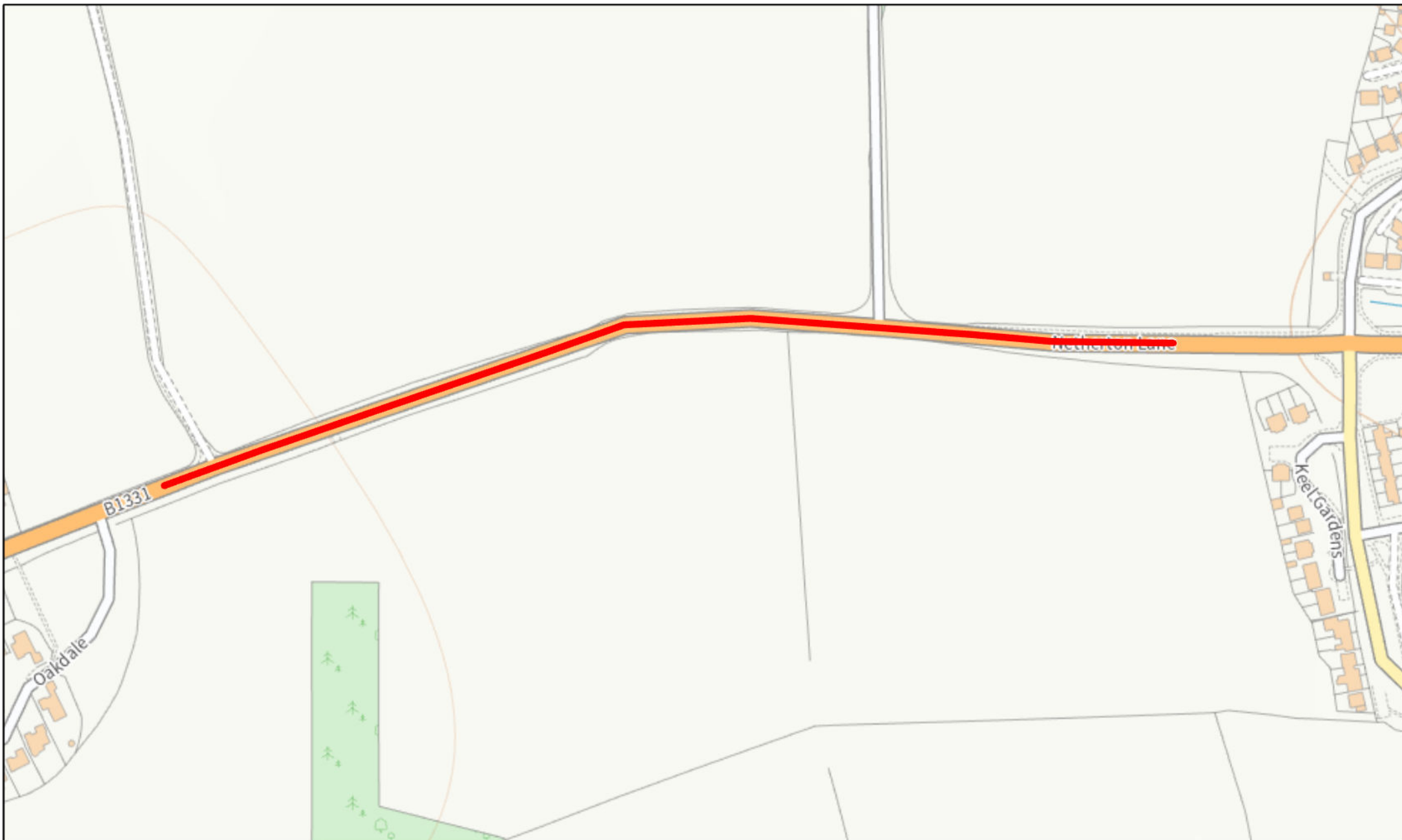
**50 MPH speed restriction on the following length of highway  
(and for reference only, detailed on the attached plan)**

<b>USRN</b>	<b>Street</b>	<b>Town</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Grid Reference</b>
42050127	NETHERTON ROAD THROUGH VILLAGE	NEDDERTON VILLAGE	At a point 46 metres north east of its junction with Oakdale to its junction with Blue House Farm Road	423725, 582069 to 424163, 582166
42005573	NETHERTON ROAD	BEDLINGTON	At its junction with Blue House Farm Road to a point 179 metres east of its junction with Blue House Farm Road	424163, 582166 to 424341, 582156

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**STATEMENT OF THE COUNCIL'S REASONS FOR  
MAKING THE ORDER**


The Order has been considered necessary where speed reduction measures would improve road safety by encouraging slower vehicular speeds.



  
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<b>Title:</b> Proposed 50 MPH Speed Limit B1331 Nedderton to Bedlington		
<b>Drn:</b> JB	<b>Date:</b> August 2023	<b>Scale:</b> NTS

**Key:**  
 Extent of Proposed 50 MPH Speed Limit