



LITTLE CORNARD PARISH COUNCIL

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Dear James,

Many thanks for sharing Melanie Hall's response of 15/4/25 to our recent letter asking for consideration to be made in response to the villagers' concerns regarding the 60mph speed limit through most of Little Cornard.

We note the observation of no reference to the marked area and the Suffolk County Council (SCC) speed limit policy.

We have adjusted the maps accordingly and would like to put forward the following based on points one, two and four below, in bold.

Rural situation – villages - Speed limit – 30 mph

- **A clear village character with 20 or more houses (on one or both sides of road)**
- **If fewer than 20 houses, extra allowance should be made for key buildings such as a church, shop or school**
- Where the character of a village falls outside this definition, discretion should be used in deciding the appropriate speed limit
- **A normal minimum length for a new speed limit would be 600 metres**
- This may be reduced to 400 metres where the density of development over this shorter length exceeds 20 houses and, in exceptional circumstances, it could be reduced to 300 metres

The marked areas on the maps are as follows:

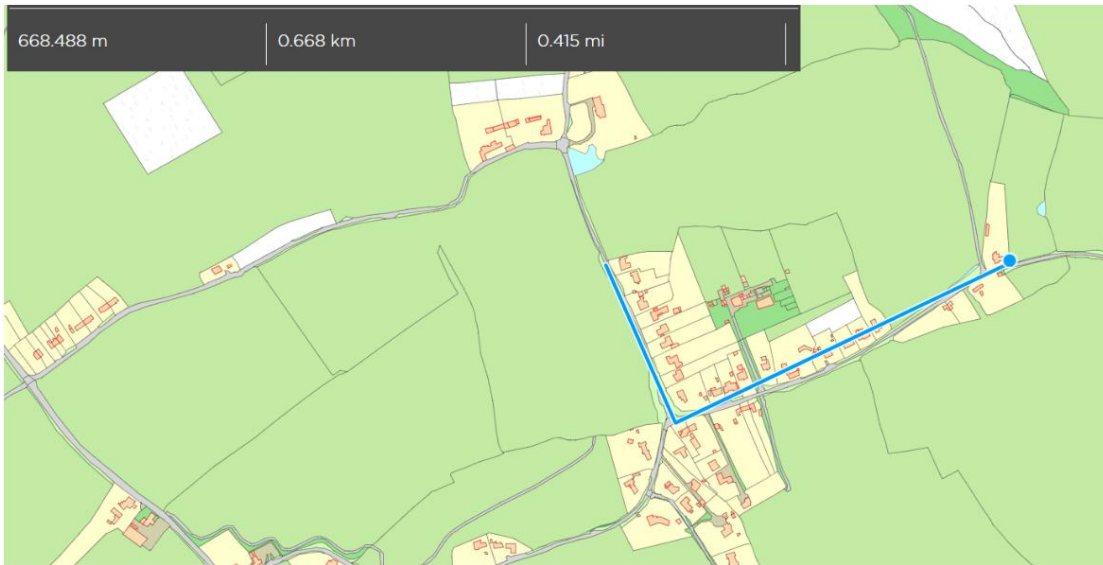
Workhouse Green Hamlet, specifically Upper Road from TL9001237590 to TL9050237603 where there are 20 or more houses (on one or both sides of the road). There are 33 houses between these grid references.



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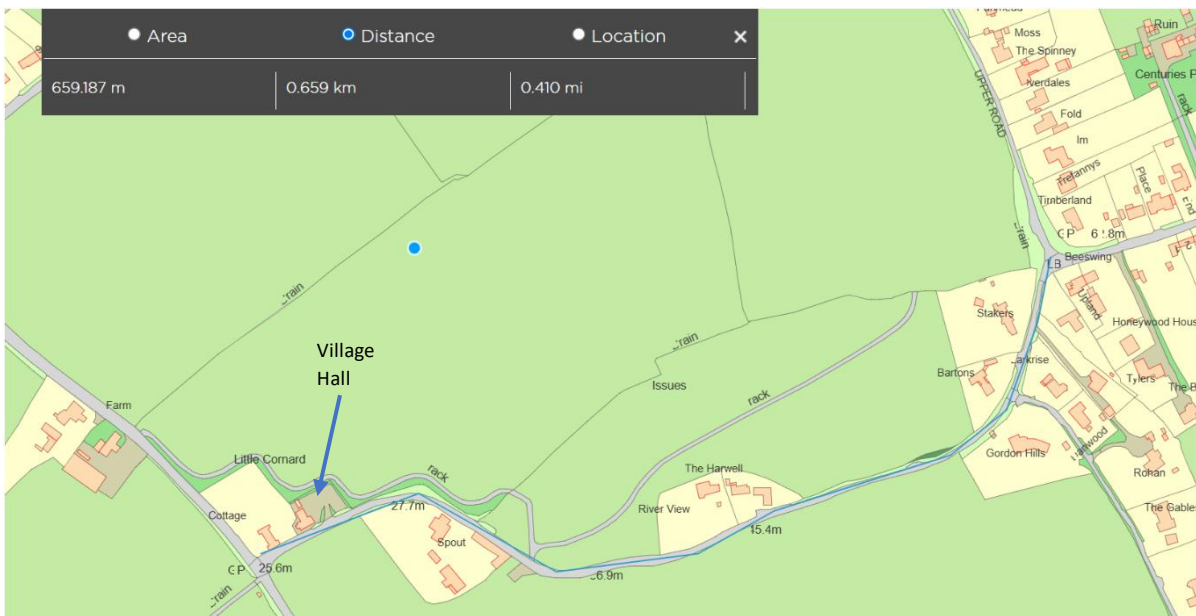
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Workhouse Green Hamlet, Upper Road from TL9001237590 to TL9050237603

Spout Lane from TL9009737397 to TL8957037176 where there are fewer than 20 houses, we ask that extra allowance is made for the location of a key village building, the Village Hall and the bus stop on the B1508 opposite Spout Lane.



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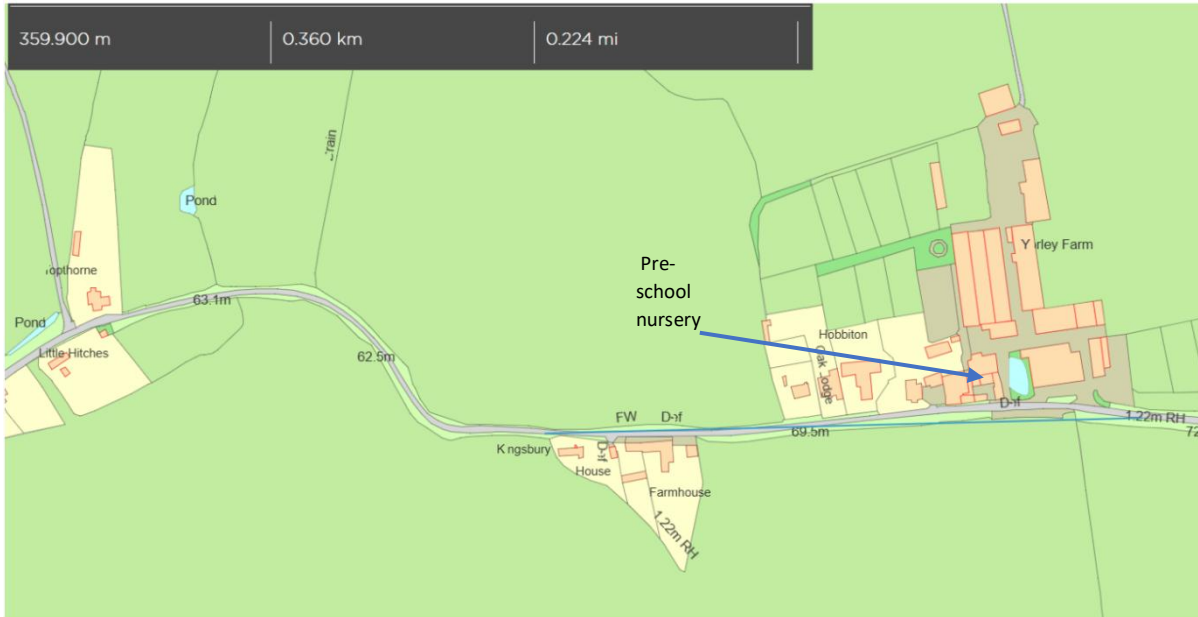
Upper Road from TL9076937545 to TL9112437572 – the pre-school nursery



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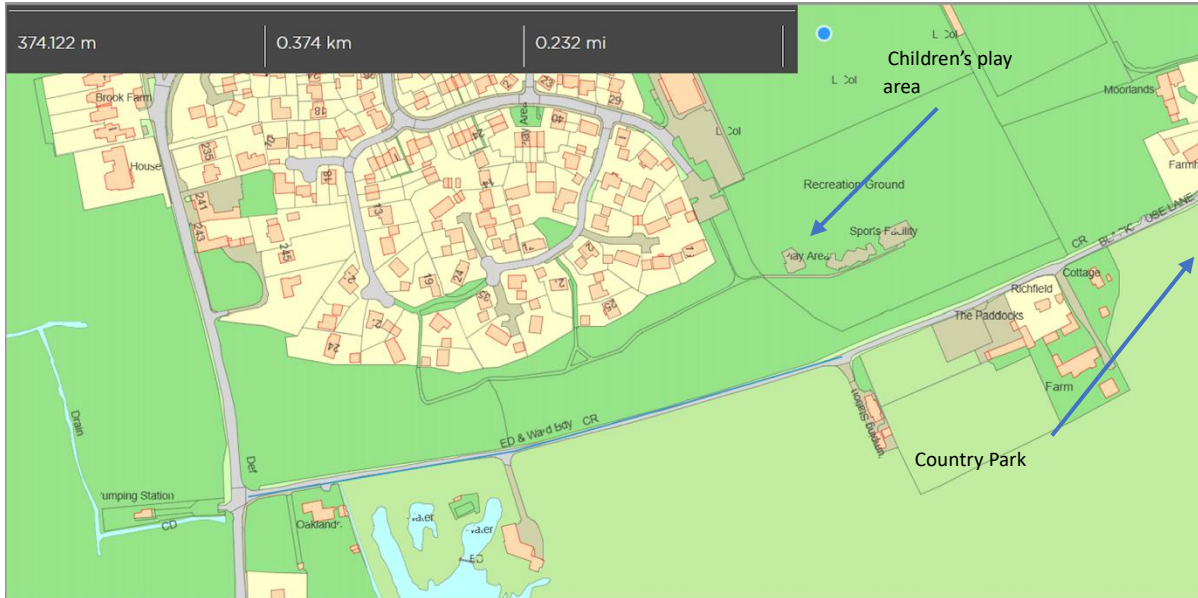


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Blackhouse Lane from TL8857739200 to TL8893839289 (beyond which is Great Cornard Parish) where there are fewer than 20 houses, we ask that extra allowance is made for the location of the Country Park, children's play area and equestrian activity as key amenities for the village and wider community.



Blackhouse Lane from TL8857739200 to TL8893839289

We look forward to hearing your response.

Kind regards,

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