FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL
SECTION 23 OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984

PROPOSED PEDESTRIAN CROSSING ON THE A550 HAWARDEN ROAD, HOPE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Flintshire County Council, in exercise of its powers under Section 23 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 and all other enabling powers proposes:-

a) The installation of a Puffin Pedestrian Crossing at the location as described in the Schedule to this Notice.

Reason for Proposal:

Flintshire County Council have been successful in obtaining funding to implement a permanent crossing facility.

The Authority has identified the A550 Hawarden Road, Hope as a location suitable for a Puffin crossing facility.

The crossing is proposed at this location to provide a safe and controlled crossing facility for pedestrians travelling between nearby residential areas, local shops and the local high school. Existing crossing opportunities are limited and pedestrians, including school children, parents, elderly residents and those with mobility impairments, are currently required to cross a busy section of carriageway without the benefit of a dedicated crossing facility.

The proposal is therefore intended to:

Improve pedestrian safety by providing a controlled crossing point.
Facilitate safer access to local shops, community facilities and the school.
Encourage walking as a sustainable mode of transport.
Reduce conflicts between pedestrians and vehicles.
Improve accessibility for all users, including those with disabilities, mobility impairments and parents with pushchairs.
Support the safe movement of children travelling to and from school.

The Puffin Crossing has been selected as the most appropriate form of crossing facility for the location, providing pedestrian detection technology that can adjust crossing times to suit pedestrian demand and enhance safety.

It is therefore considered that the installation of the Puffin Crossing will contribute positively to road safety, accessibility, and community connectivity, and that the proposal should be implemented in the interests of all highway users.

The usual prohibition of vehicles stopping, waiting, loading and unloading on the carriageway within the areas marked by Zig Zag lines on either side of the crossing will apply.

A copy of this Notice and a plan showing the road affected by the proposal, may be inspected during normal opening hours at Buckley Connects Centre, Buckley Library, The Precinct, Buckley, Flintshire, CH7 2EF. The documents will also be available to viewed on our website at www.Flintshire.gov.uk > Resident > Roads, Streets and Travel > Traffic Regulation Orders or you can request a copy of the documents by emailing transportstrategyconsultation@flintshire.gov.uk or by calling 01352701234.

Objections to the proposal, together with the grounds on which they are made, should be sent in writing to the undersigned by Friday 11th December 2026 or by emailing transportstrategyconsultation@flintshire.gov.uk quoting reference SS/TRO/JB/A550/Puffin

SCHEDULE

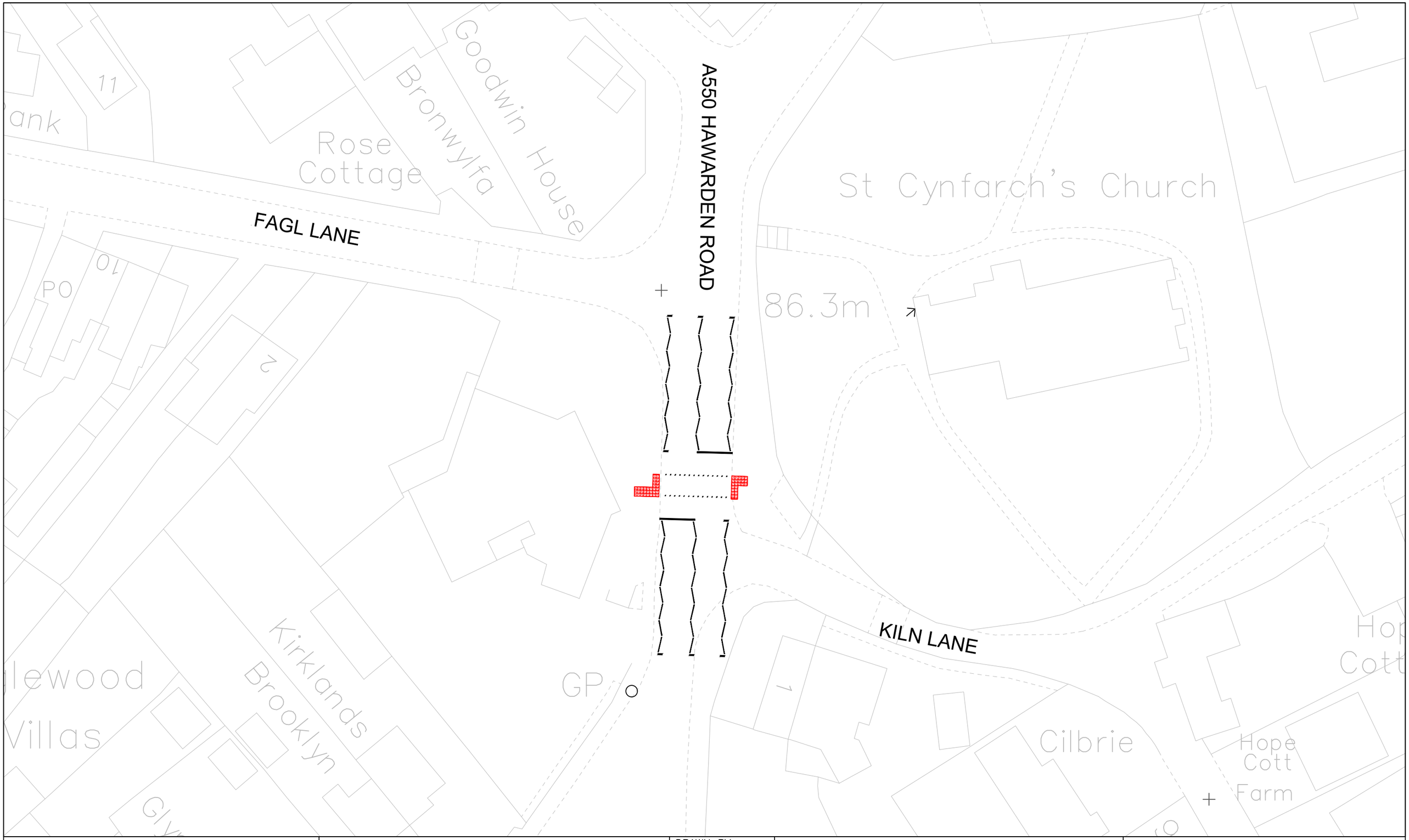
New Puffin Pedestrian Crossing to be installed.

A550, Hawarden Road, Hope – between Fagl Lane and Kiln Lane junctions.

Dated this Friday 20th day of November 2026



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Streetscene

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