

The map NH Health Map provided by National Highways confirms that deaths from respiratory diseases in the parish of Hatfield Peverel is significantly worse than England average and given that National Highways acknowledge through their own modelling that air quality will worsen the position is clearly unacceptable. Furthermore it has been concluded that traffic along Main Road in Boreham will increase yet along the Street Hatfield Peverel they reach the decision that it will reduce. As Main Road and the Street are the same road B1139 it is puzzling how NH could have reached this conclusion.

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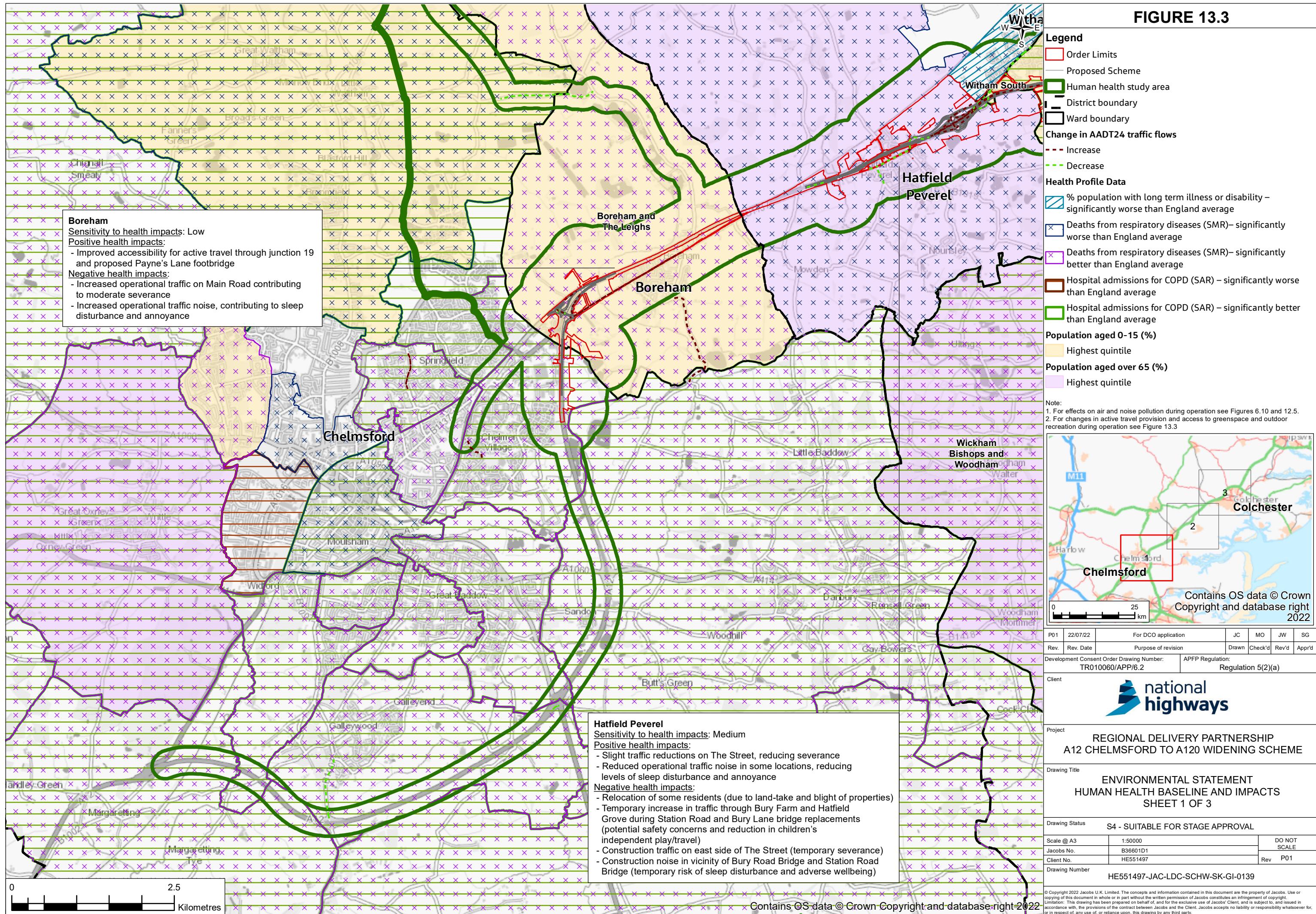


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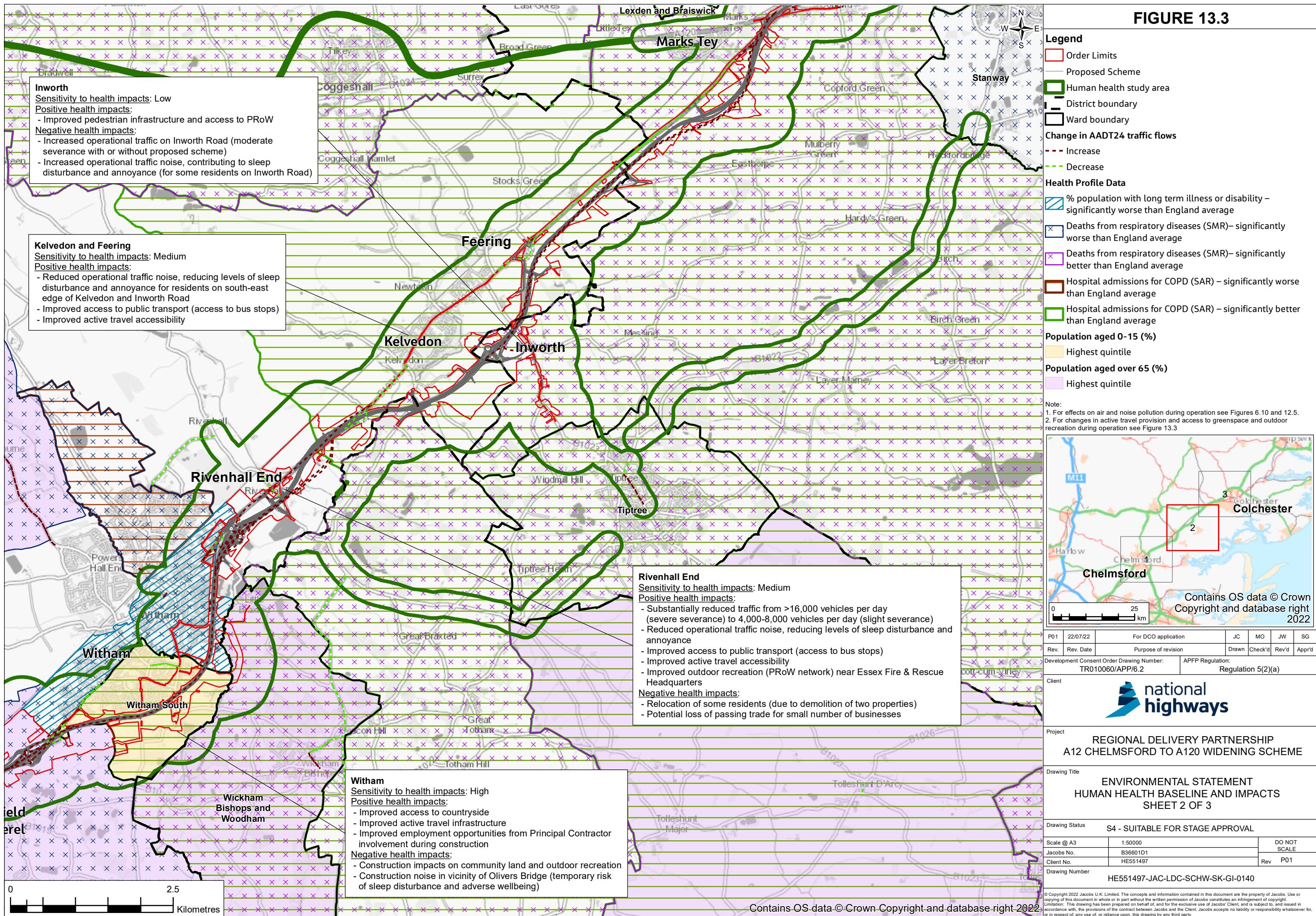
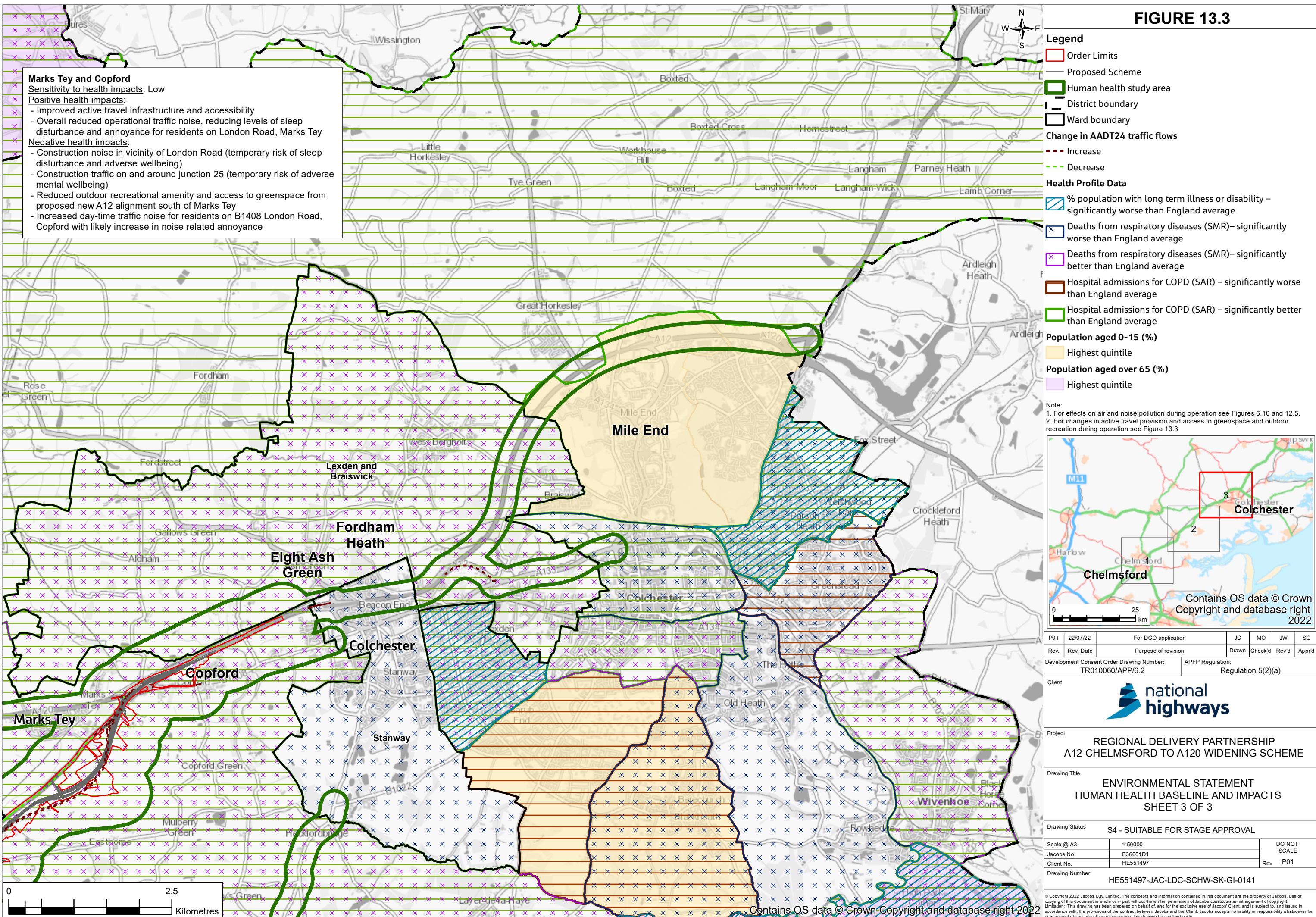


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The National Highways Environmental Statement Human Health Baseline and Impacts Sheet 1 of 3 implies a positive health impact in Hatfield Peverel, but this must be considered against the modelling outcomes for Air Quality, which indicates a deterioration of Air Quality at all sensitive receptors including locations along The Street Hatfield Peverel as a result of the scheme, if approved. Read in isolation the Impacts Sheet might lead the reader to wrongly conclude that Air Quality is going to improve when the true overall outcome is a worsening of Air Quality in Hatfield Peverel.