

## Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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E-bikes in my area of Palm Beach are a massive issue. Most adults are ok, but kids under age are doubling up (sometimes tripling) and hooning around at all hours. High school kids are riding them to school, parking them on site - shouldn't be allowed AT ALL; parking on the street or at a bike rack okay but schools need to say no. Then they leave to pick up their primary aged siblings in peak hour... come on. Something has to be done. I think they're a great thing, but riders along the pavement don't communicate, expect pedestrians to move across - a friend of mine had one come out of nowhere, scare her albeit surely not deliberately, and ride off. She lost her balance and face planted into the pavement, broke her arm and collarbone. No idea who it was to play the blame game but can't work now because of it.