

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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I would encourage any sort of action be considered with regards to the use of e-bikes, e -scooters on public roads. I use the roads in and around the Robina Town Centre on a daily basis and on a number of occasions I have been both frustrated and concerned about young riders particularly boys doing wheel stands in the middle of peak hour traffic without any consideration to other road users. Unfortunately I've gotten to the point of calling 000 though it's pointless as I've got no way to identify those involved. Even if police were able to act immediately the riders are long gone. Vehicle drivers have enough to contend with without having the extra burden of anticipating the actions of these [REDACTED]. Most of them would be too young to hold a drivers license yet they are out on public roads without any consideration to other drivers. I think there needs to be some way to register these e-vehicles so if they are acting irresponsibly at least other road users have some way of identifying them to police. We seem to be moving towards an era of lawlessness where people doing the wrong thing, which can be both dangerous and stupid, face no consequences for their actions.