Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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I feel e scooters should be banned from foot paths. I have on several occasions while walking along Aerodrome Road been surprised by an e scooter passing me from behind while travelling at relatively high speeds. I am elderly (86) and a collision could result in severe injuries. At present I am able to do the shopping and cooking for my wife and I, but a broken leg or hip would result in us needing considerable assistance from the state or federal authorities. I would also suggest that consideration should be given to making helmets compulsory for riders on public roads.