

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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e-mobility scooters, bikes and skateboards have become dangerous not only on our pathways but also major and minor roads. Riders doing the wrong thing don't face any consequences. The police do not stop them from speeding or non-compliance of helmets. Riders on Goodwin Terrace Burleigh Heads are constantly exceeding the speed limit on the road and on the path down from the headland. They do not stop at the pedestrian crossing used by many young families. Enforce the speed limit rules. Enforce helmet rules. Enforce age limits on the children riding these scooters/bikes to school. Many are younger than 12. It will be a driver coming into contact with one of these riders who will face the consequences. Like a grass fire, if you don't stamp it out it will escalate. Youth crime can start here, no consequences, no respect for the law.