

Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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I have almost been hit by an electric scooter (commercial and personal) on several occasions while walking on the footpath, coming out of a store doorway, and on designated pedestrian/bike paths.

If I was hit I would have been seriously injured as the scooter was moving very quickly. I would like to see all motorised vehicles including electric bikes and scooters banned from footpaths. I don't mind push bikes even though some riders do go too quickly I think when around pedestrians which is also dangerous but there doesn't seem to be many. Electric scooters and bikes though, are everywhere, some riders have obviously had too much to drink and some are moving very quickly - as fast as a car. I really don't want to have to walk on footpaths wearing a helmet for my own safety. Please separate pedestrians and electric scooters and bikes.