

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

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### **Submitter Comments:**

E-Bikes firstly. The idea of an e-bike is great IF it is used as it intended, an aid for hills, distance etc. The bikes that don't pedal at all and go really fast are basically unregistered motorbikes ridden by children. My husband and I have had multiple dangerous situations walking on designated paths, with these bikes. The mostly young males have taken to wearing full face helmets so that they can't be identified. They need to be limited ONLY to bike lanes on the side of road, be banned from footpaths of any kind and the size and speed heavily limited. E-scooters, there really isn't anything good to be said about these, they go too fast, they are unstable and because of their maneuverability they create a lot of danger for pedestrians. This is a harder suggestion, ideally get rid of them completely, if that is not possible then they also need to be limited to bike lanes on the side of the road and kept off footpaths completely.