

# Living Streets Aotearoa e-bulletin

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Thank you for reading through our list of walking related news. Walking is becoming more obvious as a choice to keep us fit and healthy.

Living Streets' Andy Smith and Ellen Blake met with the Automobile Association, Walking Access Commission, Ministry of Transport, NZ Transport Agency, Mayor Celia Wade-Brown, Health Promotion Agency, Wellington Regional Council, NZ Post Office, NZ Police, Phil Twyford and Minister Foss in Wellington during one week in June.

We definitely got everyone thinking about walking and Minister Foss said we had a slick presentation.

Please [join us or renew your subs for this year](#). It is you that makes the difference in our walking environment.

Following are a few links of interest to us.

Please sign [our petition to get turning vehicles to give way to people walking straight through](#).

Here are the [survey results on that subject](#). [We are willing to give way](#).

We visited the Walking Access Commission have you and seen their research? [Some on Rooding law as it applies to unformed legal roads](#)

Crowd funded [walking bridge in Rotterdam](#)

Electric scooters are [not OK on the footpath in NZ](#)

How treating [walkers better will boost the economy](#)

[Rotorua council lets anyone trade on the footpath for free](#) – We don't support that.

Auckland Queen st gets a [campaign aimed at people crossing correctly](#) but nothing about speeding cars, its a 30kph zone.

This video is about the difference speed makes. [Glass boy](#)

[Standing at work is good for you](#).

Post Office to put large [electric tractors and trailers on the footpaths, we are worried](#).