

# Living Streets Aotearoa



## Submission from Living Streets Aotearoa to NZTA on reduced speed for SH58 Haywards Hill

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### Submission

Living Streets Aotearoa supports the proposal to reduce speed on SH58 Haywards Hill from the SH2 turnoff to 80 km hour and also supports Porirua City Council reducing the connector roads to 60 km hour.

Speed is a significant factor in the outcome of road trauma crashes and lowering speeds will improve this. Haywards Hill Road is a road crash black spot and urgently needs to be made safer. In addition to the lowered speeds we would like to see safe walk routes along this entire road with a priority on the Pauatahanui side.

### About Living Streets

Living Streets Aotearoa is New Zealand's national walking and pedestrian organisation, providing a positive voice for people on foot and working to promote walking friendly planning and development around the country. Our vision is "More people choosing to walk more often and enjoying public places".

The objectives of Living Streets Aotearoa are:

- to promote walking as a healthy, environmentally-friendly and universal means of transport and recreation
- to promote the social and economic benefits of pedestrian-friendly communities
- to work for improved access and conditions for walkers, pedestrians and runners including walking surfaces, traffic flows, speed and safety
- to advocate for greater representation of pedestrian concerns in national, regional and urban land use and transport planning.

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