## INQUIRY INTO USE OF E-SCOOTERS, E-BIKES AND RELATED MOBILITY OPTIONS

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## E-Bikes.

They are becoming a form of transport for many and I can see the benefits when used for the right purpose. We see more and more E-Bikes in Cronulla being used as high speed objects that will injure or possibly kill someone oneday soon. Children with really no road skills or appreciaion of rule are flying by people everyday with near misses occuring, someone will be hurt. Perants are manipulating these bikes to produce speeds that are way beyong 25KMH. Its amazing that you can buy a bike or scooter than has speeds of 25km and more with no legal rquirement, license is mind blowing, these are a electrified version of a motorbike and yet if someone powers down the street with a petrol engine added to the bike they will be pulled up by police. Guess what the electric bike is far quicker than the old school petrol bike and more dangerous as you can not hear them coming from behind. We also see parent doubling their children sometimes two or three on the bike at high speeds on the road and NO helments, this is a tragedy waiting to happen and I will sorry for all involved and especailly the person driving the Vehicle or the person who is walking.

I hope you understand my message, these are a major issue with no regulations, people/s will be hurt and its hapening now.