

To:

- Ministry of Transportation of Ontario
- Durham Region - Traffic and Transportation Division
- Township of Brock Council

Subject: Road Safety Petition - Request to Remove Passing Zone, Reduce Speed Limits, and Install Enhanced Signage near Ball Ave East - Beaverton, Ontario L0K 1A0

This petition is open to all residents of Ball Ave East and others who use the turning point onto Ball Ave East from Highway 48. If you believe the passing zone and current speed limit near the turn pose a risk to your safety or the safety of others, we encourage you to sign below to support this road safety petition for our community.

We, the undersigned residents and concerned community members, respectfully request immediate traffic safety improvements near the turning point onto Ball Ave East in Beaverton, Ontario L0K 1A0, where multiple safety risks currently exist.

Our Requests (as part of this Petition):

Remove the passing zone on Highway 48 near the turning point onto Ball Ave East, where visibility is limited and vehicles often attempt to overtake at high speeds while others are slowing down to turn.

Reduce the speed limit on Highway 48 near the turning point onto Ball Ave East from 80 km/h to 60 km/h, to improve safety for vehicles entering and exiting Ball Ave East.

Install enhanced signage near the turning point onto Ball Ave East, including "Reduced Speed Ahead," "No Passing," and school bus warning signs, to better alert drivers and encourage slower, safer driving in this high-risk area.

Our Concerns (as outlined in this Petition):

High-speed traffic and the existing passing zone on Highway 48 make it extremely dangerous to turn onto Ball Ave E. Vehicles often attempt to overtake at high speeds, even when drivers are slowing down to turn.

A school bus stop is located along this stretch of Highway 48, meaning children are regularly waiting near or crossing close to fast-moving traffic. This is especially dangerous in an area with a passing zone, where drivers may not anticipate a stopped vehicle or pedestrians. Protecting children should be a priority-we should not wait for a devastating incident to recognize the risk.

The existing signage is insufficient to slow traffic or warn drivers adequately about the turning point and




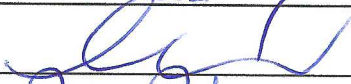












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The passing zone directly beside a residential turnoff creates a hazardous conflict point where vehicles accelerating to pass may not see or yield to those turning.






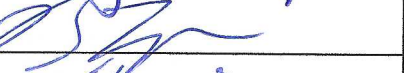




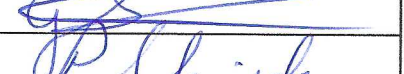


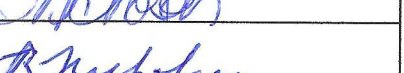






Numerous near-miss incidents have occurred where residents were almost struck while turning into and out of Ball Ave E. These repeated close calls highlight the urgent need for intervention. We should not have to wait for a serious injury or fatality to take action-this is an opportunity to prevent a tragedy before it happens.

These concerns are aligned with road safety priorities across Durham Region, where other communities have taken proactive steps to reduce speeds and improve safety in residential areas. We are asking for the same level of protection-to help save lives and avoid irreversible outcomes.

Signature Sheet - Ball Ave East Road Safety Petition

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Melanie Hess	72 Ball Ave E	
Dale Hess	72 Ball Ave E	Dale Hess
NIKOLA WARMOCK	43 BALL AVE E	
Peter Robertson	43 BALL AVE E	
DAVID OWEN	63 BALL AVE E	
Rhonda Owen	63 BALL AVE E	
Bruce Sheppard	56 BALL AVE E	
Chaim Gillies	59 Ball Ave E	
Joe Kee	" " "	
Scott Hewitt	51 BALL AVE E	
Joyce Summers	64 BALL AVE E	
Rick DeBraco	68 BALL AVE E	
Sue DeBraco	68 BALL AVE E	
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Lisa Hamilton	3 Ball Ave E	Lisa Hamilton
Brandon Hamilton	3 Ball Ave E	Brandon Hamilton
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Parker Barnes	3 Ball Ave E	Parker Barnes

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Robert Stratton	39 BALL AVE E	
DARTON RISEBROUGH	43 BALL AVE E	
TERRY RISEBROUGH	43 BALL AVE E	
Brandon Lyons	52 Ball Ave E	
Karly Lyons	52 Ball Ave E	
Melissa Coopman	44 Ball Ave E	
Kay Shatt	39 Ball Ave E	
Rob Stratton	39 BALL AVE E	
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