



March 19, 2021

File No. 5400.01

Naramata Elementary School  
3660-8<sup>th</sup> Street  
General Delivery  
Naramata, BC V0H 1N0

Attention: Heather Romero, PAC President, and Jeff Redden, Principal

Dear Sir and Madam:

**RE: Traffic Safety Concerns in Naramata**

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Thank you for your letter received March 15, 2021 in which you outline your concerns regarding traffic safety on Robinson Avenue in the vicinity of Naramata Elementary School.

I appreciate that the safety of children walking to and from school is very important and seeing drivers who are speeding or reckless is alarming. Unfortunately, the Regional District does not have any authority to construct traffic calming measures. Roads, and by extension sidewalks and crosswalks, are the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure (MOTI).

You may wish to contact Chris Keir at the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure to discuss your ideas about narrowing the street, installing permanent traffic cones, and enhancing crosswalk visibility. Mr. Keir can be reached at:

Chris Keir, Area Manager  
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure  
102 Industrial Place  
Penticton, BC V2A 7C8  
250 490-2248

As well, you may wish to discuss your concerns with the R.C.M.P who handle traffic enforcement on Regional District roads. The Penticton Detachment phone number is 250-492-4300.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Karla Kozakevich". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Karla Kozakevich  
Board Chair

