

Dear Mayor and Council,

I am writing you to bring to the attention of The RMOW my concerns and observations of the dangers on the Valley Trail in Alta Vista and elsewhere in Whistler . I will be brief.

1. There is now a curb built up for the trail. I have personally seen two serious bicycle crashes caused by the raised curb on the path. Both bicyclists had very hard falls. I expect you will be inundated over time with these types of accidents the way it has been built. I did raise this concern with the contractor before it was built but he said they were building it according to RMOW specifications. P

I trust you will look into this issue.

2. The second issue is the electric Bikes (really electric motorcycles). There are now numerous electric bikes going at excessive speed on the bicycle trail and weaving at high speeds among the pedestrians. There has to be some speed and travel restrictions placed on these vehicles. They should be banned in my opinion from the regular pedestrian and bicycle trail. I was in my car going up hill to the village in Alta Vista and an electric bicycle on the trail passed me in excess of 40 Km/Hr.

Sorry to bother you but I do not want to see people hurt!

I look forward to the response of RMOW.

Regards,
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