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## **MOBILE SPEED CAMERA ENFORCEMENT PROGRAMS IN NSW**

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The mobile speed cameras are one of the biggest money grabbing scams going. I thought the idea of having highway patrol and these mobile cameras was yes to enforce the law, but also be out there to be visible and remind people to watch their speed. Most people on the roads are doing the right thing, going to work, making a living and providing for their families. They don't mean to be speeding 5 or 10kms over and yes it's their responsibility to watch but also having visible law enforcement also reminds them. That's not the case of your mobile speed cameras.

I have seen them parked in dark areas away from street lights at night, literally invisible, I have seen them parked into the bushes so no one can see them until you are driving past them. How is that even helping promote road safety and being out there to remind people to watch their speed. You say these cars mobile speed cameras are out there to promote road safety and make our roads safer. I would like to know how they do that because all it promotes is anger and frustration when you get a fine 4 weeks later. So that means, that journey you were on, you kept speeding maybe unknowingly and 4 weeks later you realise you were. How is that promoting road safety when you don't even know until 4 weeks later? Money grab anyone?

I have seen them on roads where there has been no accidents but just out of town there has been multiple fatalities at a intersection due to speed etc but no mobile camera ever there, why?? Because not as much traffic and less chance to grab a fine.

I think these should be renamed to money speed cameras, logo could be, you can't see us, you won't know your speeding, but we will take your money regardless and pretend we are out there promoting road safety when you get your fine 4 weeks later.

A solution, have GPS on the mobile speed cameras, have it available on maps so when people are driving along, an alert comes up, they go shit I'm speeding, they slow down. You could actually make a difference, like believe it or not because that person slows down and on that current journey, is reminded again to watch their speed, not continuing the same speed which they don't realise, hit another car or child down the road, then get a fine 4 weeks later and be like, that would of been helpful to know I was speeding. That's promoting road safety... I will happily step into any government role and lower the deaths on our roads because who ever is doing it at the moment, must be getting one fat kick back of cash from somewhere