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## **SPEED LIMITS AND ROAD SAFETY IN REGIONAL NSW**

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This is a submission to highlight concerns of the safety of the community on Pindimar and Bundabah Roads.

The roads are currently legislated at 100kms, they are both bushy country roads with bush growth close to the roadside.

This makes it difficult to prepare, at speed, for animals that leap, run or hop onto the road. There are wild deer, kangaroos, wallabies, goats that run out in front of passing vehicles. There have been deaths of local community members and numerous animals injured and cars damaged, that mostly goes unreported.

It is very dangerous to drive the 7km strip of road at sunset and at night.

This urgently need to be addressed by widening road, reducing speed and clearing the roadside verge.

Additionally, this main road into and out of 3 villages needs to have a line to separate lanes, to allow vehicles and trucks to know and remain on the right side of the road.