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Hello,

My name is Melissa Avery, a Fremont resident for 23 years and avid family cyclist. I would like to raise a concern about the rapid speeds drivers are using Paseo Padre Pwky. As someone who has been biking for many years in Fremont, vehicles speeds are exceeding over 60 mph around Paseo Padre near Quarry Lakes and near Driscoll and Sabercat Creek Park. I ride Paseo Padre all the time by myself and with my family, and the speeds and closeness that the vehicles zoom by use (even in the wide buffered bikes lanes) is terrifying. The city has installed lighted speed signs but drivers ignore the posted speeds. I see many new beginner cyclists (single and family groups) on Paseo Padre and would like to see more infrastructure to make the unprotected bike lanes protected. As well as, see more quick build infrastructure to discourage freeway-type speeds on Paseo Padre. Thank you!

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