

Korumburra Round Table

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Re: Adjustment to Speed Limits at Korumburra Secondary College

You will recall that I raised this matter at the meeting of the South Gippsland – Road Safety Group chaired by John Ernst on Tuesday 11th February.

This matter was also discussed at the meeting of the Korumburra Round Table on Thursday 20th February, at which the following Motion was moved and carried unanimously.

Motion 1.

Korumburra Secondary College Traffic Speed Controls

The Korumburra Round Table urgently requests that the Department of Transport and Planning **immediately:**

1. Extends the 60kph speed limit in Jumbunna Road from its present position 200m northeast of Sommers Crescent, past the Korumburra Secondary College, to 200m south of the southern intersection of Whitelaw's Road with the Korumburra - Wonthaggi Road.
2. Adjust the School Zone Variable Speed Signage either side of the Korumburra Secondary College to read either 40kph or 60kph. - See attached map.

Moved: Nigel Hutchinson-Brooks

Seconded: Naomi Coleman

Carried: Unanimously.

The Korumburra Round Table (KRT) was set up by South Gippsland Shire Council in 2013 as a means of sharing information and ideas within the Korumburra community. It has a regular dialogue with Council each month to cover items needing attention. The speed limit out to the Secondary College has been an item of grave concern for a very long time.

KRT is an unincorporated committee that has representatives from community groups, churches, large businesses and sporting groups etc. However, its recommendations carry much weight with Council.

We would appreciate it if you could assist us by making urgent representations within DPT so that the above motion is implemented with immediate effect. The enrolments at KSC have increased each year to the point that there are very real traffic conflicts in a major road, (Jumbunna Road), during school drop off and pick up hours. It has become a very serious Occupational Health and Safety Issue.

Please reply to me at nutleydean@gmail.com or by phone on 0419 355 303.

With kind regards.

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