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### **Speed limit changes for Gold Coast roads**

Speed limits are in the process of being changed on three Gold Coast roads – Southport-Nerang, Tallebudgera Connection and Binna Burra roads, after a safety review.

Transport and Main Roads Director-General Neil Scales said the speed limit changes were aimed at improving safety.

"The review took several important factors into account including crash history, traffic volumes, types of vehicles, geography and its role in the road network," Mr Scales said.

"The findings have been endorsed by the local speed management committee which includes representatives from Transport and Main Roads, Queensland Police Service, RACQ and the City of Gold Coast.

"The speed limit has dropped on Southport-Nerang Road from 80km/h to 70km/h westbound, near the intersection of Central Park Avenue to Bellview Crescent. The current speed limit on either side of this section is 70km/h.

"Speed limits also drop from 80km/h to 70km/h eastbound from Old Coach Road to Kamholtz Court.

"On Tallebudgera Connection Road, the speed limit drops from 70km/h to 60km/h south of the Dungogie Drive/Valley Drive intersection to the Currumbin Creek Road intersection.

"On Binna Burra Road, speed limits will increase from 60km/h to 70km/h from the Beechmont Road intersection, to south of the Beechmont and Binna Burra Road intersection.

"The speed limit will also drop from 80km/h to 70km/h south of the Beechmont and Binna Burra Road intersection to north of Boongala Road."

Mr Scales said a review was also conducted on Burleigh Connection Road and current speeds remain appropriate.

"Our priority is always to ensure everyone gets to and from their destination safely," he said.

"Motorists should take note of new signs and obey all speed limits."

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