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Mayor Foster and Members of Council,

\*\*\*Speeding on Centerfield Drive

I want to express my personal Thank You to you Mayor Foster and members of council for rapidly approving two Solar Powered, Yellow Font, 'Your Speed' signs on our street. These have certainly curtailed most of the excessive speeds travelled by those people in our area who just don't realize the speeds at which they were travelling. These clearly are a more cost-effective means of getting the message across to the community than was my idea of August 23<sup>rd</sup> 2021 letter which I asked to install a series of Speed Bumps.

Recently in my travels through Oshawa I have seen several of these solar powered, LED, Speed Signs. One in particular is on Adelaide, West Bound, just West of Harmony Road. That particular Speed Sign reveals your speed in bright Yellow numerals but with one difference. Cars travelling ahead of me doing more than the posted 50 KM/Hour receive an Eye Catching, flashing SLOW DOWN in red. I have also seen ones emit two alternating Dazzling White Orbs or Star like LEDS flash in the upper left- hand corner to indicate excessive speed.

Lest I bore you any further Mayor Foster, could you and council kindly consider approving and erecting one more Speed Sign as described above on our street at 89 Centerfield Drive? There is a convenient Light Pole at that address and it would be a perfect location to capture the South Bound traffic, mid-street, on this long road.

In closing I sincerely trust that you Mayor, and every councilor in attendance, remain in excellent health and have had a Safe and Blessed Christmas and New Year holiday.

Thank You for your kind and thoughtful consideration of this request to further reduce the speeding on Centerfield Drive.

Respectfully, Ron Wakeford email: odyssey@bell.net