



School Travel Planning Committee

Crosswalk Safety
Presentation
November 2013

Who we are

- Introductions
- Authorities involved (6)
- History (13)
- Who uses it (7)
- How it is used (13)

We support active routes to school











Crosswalk Issues

- Overgrown trees blocking drivers' view of crosswalk.
- The road runs east-west, so the sun creates blinding light and shadows at various times of the year, and during the day.
- Crosswalk is on a rise in the road; difficult to see.
- High volume traffic, including dump trucks, tour busses, tourists.
- It is located at an angled intersection (Shankel Rd.).
- Outdated signage.
- Threat of complete crosswalk removal by TIR.
- No crossing guard as it is outdated. Volunteer crossing guards forbidden due to liability issues.

Overgrown trees















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Possible Solutions

- Application to Innovation Act with Department of Transportation and Infrastructure Renewal
- Unsuccessful application to HRM for Placemaker









Tantallon Senior Elementary's large yellow sign



Education and support



Conclusion

