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From: HOLLY Smith <hsmith406@msn.com>
Sent: Thursday, July 11, 2019 8:54 AM
To: Ravalli County Commissioners Office
Subject: Mill Creek Rd Speed

Dear Commissioners,

Sorry I won't be able to be at the meeting today regarding speed signage on Mill Creek Rd. We are going to Robert's memorial and then off to states baseball. Robert and his sister were on our local baseball team. Reflecting on the nightmare that they are going through right now, I remember a day when a told MY 9 year old (Marshall) he could peddle down the road to the west stop sign and back last summer. I always stood in the driveway to make sure he was being responsible. Only to have a heating and air conditioning truck fly down the road at least going 50. I ran onto the road, waiting for the dust to settle-praying I would still see a little boy on the burm sitting on his bike like we taught him. Hoping he had time to get there. I called the police, it was the only day I have seen any police patrol.

Some people will always be selfish and reckless, but most of us are just distracted and in a hurry. I know I have caught myself at speed signs many times, monitoring myself and slowing down. It definitely helps and I don't think it would be too difficult or expensive to put a couple signs on our road.

As I lay in bed this morning - I heard one car flying by. At least it reminded me to write this email.

Thank you for your time,

Holly Smith

Sent from my Verizon 4G LTE smartphone