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...is a community-based traffic monitoring scheme, delivered by dedicated volunteers who feel passionately about road safety in their area.

**VISION
ZERO**
NO ROAD DEATHS

 **SAFERESSEX**
roads partnership



COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH VOLUNTEERS MONITOR THE SPEED OF PASSING VEHICLES USING A HAND-HELD SPEED DETECTION DEVICE

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The details of vehicles which are exceeding the speed limit by around 10% are passed to the Police, who issue a letter to the vehicle owner, advising them of the dangers of speeding.

All volunteers are required to attend quality assured training provided by members of the Safer Essex Roads Partnership, and are provided with PPE and equipment to undertake their role.

COMMUNITY SPEED WATCH BENEFITS INCLUDE:

- The opportunity for residents to increase road safety in their area, and support activities to reduce road traffic collisions and injuries
- An opportunity to meet local neighbours and develop better links with their community
- A visible presence which encourages drivers to slow down and monitor their speed
- A lasting positive effect on drivers' attitudes

WOULD YOU LIKE TO GET INVOLVED?

If you'd like to form a Community Speed Watch group in your area, or join an existing Community Speed Watch group, please contact community.speedwatch@essex-fire.gov.uk