

RAC Risky Roads

Survey results 2022

Risky Roads asks the community to nominate dangerous roads and intersections around WA. The 2022 survey received over 10,000 nominations. These are the top 10 roads and intersections nominated in metropolitan and regional WA.



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Metropolitan Perth

Top ten risky roads

Rank	Road	Location	Issues
1	Farrall Road	Midvale	- Poor road surface quality - Poor/no pedestrian access/footpath - Poor or no road lighting
2	Mitchell Freeway (southbound)	West Perth	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Confusing layout
3	Neaves Road	Banksia Grove to Bullsbrook	 Lacks overtaking opportunities Poor road surface quality Tight curves or blind crests
4	Orton Road	Casuarina to Byford	- Poor road surface quality - Narrow road, lanes or bridges - Lacks median strip / traffic separation
5	Kargotich Road	Oakford	 Poor road surface quality Narrow road, lanes or bridges
6	Kwinana Freeway* (southbound)	Canning Hwy interchange	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Confusing layout
7	Thomas Road*	Casuarina to Byford	 Poor road surface quality Little chance to turn/cross traffic Confusing layout
8	Flynn Drive	Carramar Neerabup	- Tight curves or blind crests - Vehicles travel over the speed limit - Speed limit too high
9	Mundijong Road	Baldivis to Mundijong	 Poor road surface quality Poor or no road lighting Narrow road, lanes or bridges
10	Walter Place	North Fremantle	 Poor or no provision for cyclists Vehicles travel over the speed limit Confusing layout

*Road or intersection also appeared in the 2018/19 Risky Roads summary.

Metropolitan Perth

Top ten risky intersections

Rank	Intersection	Suburb	Issues
1	Marmion Avenue X Seacrest Drive	Sorrento	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Area requires lights/roundabout Speed limit too high
2	Victoria Street X Stirling Highway X Curtin Avenue	Cottesloe	 Confusing layout Little chance to turn/cross traffic Unsafe or poor pedestrian crossing
3	Campersic Road X Haddrill Road	Baskerville	 Poor or confusing signage Area requires lights/roundabout
4	Mandurah Road X Anstey Road	Secret Harbour	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Area requires lights/roundabout Speed limit too high
5	Ocean Reef Road X Edgewater Drive	Edgewater	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Area requires lights/roundabout
6	Baldivis Road X Kulija Road	Baldivis	 Little chance to turn/cross traffic Area requires lights/roundabout Confusing layout
7	Rowley Road X Lyon Road	Aubin Grove	 Vegetation/objects block visibility Little chance to turn/cross traffic Area requires lights/roundabout
8	Hossack Avenue X Willeri Drive	Parkwood	- Area requires lights/roundabout - Confusing layout - Little chance to turn/cross traffic
9	Ennis Avenue X Royal Palm Drive	Warnbro	 Area requires lights/roundabout Little chance to turn/cross traffic Speed limit too high
10	Armadale Road X Eighth Road	Armadale	 Area requires lights/roundabout Little chance to turn/cross traffic

Regional WA

Top ten risky roads

Rank	Road	Location	Issues
1	South Western Highway*	Bunbury to Walpole	 Narrow road, lanes or bridges Lacks overtaking opportunities Tight curves or blind crests
2	Great Eastern Highway*	The Lakes to Coolgardie	 Poor road surface quality Narrow road, lanes or bridges Lacks overtaking opportunities
3	Albany Highway*	Armadale to Albany	 Poor road surface quality Lacks overtaking opportunities Narrow road, lanes or bridges
4	Indian Ocean Drive*	Yanchep to Arrowsmith	 Lacks overtaking opportunities Narrow road, lanes or bridges Tight curves or blind crests
5	South Coast Highway	Walpole to Esperance	 Poor road surface quality Narrow road, lanes or bridges Lacks overtaking opportunities
6	Bussell Highway	Cowaramup	 Unsafe or poor pedestrian crossing Poor or confusing signage Confusing layout
7	Great Southern Highway	York to Brookton	 Narrow road, lanes or bridges Poor road surface quality Lacks overtaking opportunities
8	Chapman Valley Road	Naraling	 Narrow road, lanes or bridges Tight curves or blind crests Poor road surface quality
9	Denmark - Mount Barker Road	Denmark to Mount Barker	 Poor road surface quality Narrow road, lanes or bridges Lacks overtaking opportunities
10	Great Northern Highway	Port Hedland to Newman	- Lacks overtaking opportunities - Narrow road, lanes or bridges - Poor road surface quality

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Regional WA

Top ten risky intersections

Rank	Intersection	Town	Issues
1	Albany Highway X South Coast Highway* (Chester Pass roundabout)	Lockyer/Orana Mt Melville (Albany)	- Confusing layout - Area requires lights / roundabout
2	Bussell Highway X Capel Drive (South intersection)	Capel	- Speed limit too high - Little chance to turn / cross traffic - Vehicles travel over the speed limit
3	Forrest Highway X Raymond Road	Australind	 Little chance to turn / cross traffic Vehicles travel over the speed limit Area requires lights / roundabout
4	Forrest Highway X Pinjarra Road	Ravenswood	 Poorly timed traffic light system Vehicles travel over the speed limit
5	Forrest Highway X Binningup Road*	Binningup	- Little chance to turn / cross traffic - Other - Speed limit too high
6	Caves Road X Yallingup Beach Road	Yallingup	 Little chance to turn / cross traffic Area requires lights / roundabout
7	Bussell Highway X Memorial Drive	Cowaramup	 Little chance to turn / cross traffic Area requires lights / roundabout Narrow road, lanes or bridges
8	East Hyden Bin Road X Hyden-Lake King Road	Hyden	 Little chance to turn / cross traffic Lacks overtaking opportunities Narrow road, lanes or bridges
9	Bussell Highway X Sues Road	Yalyalup	 Little chance to turn / cross traffic Speed limit too high Lacks median strip / traffic separation
10	South Coast Highway X Strickland Street	Denmark	- Little chance to turn / cross traffic - Confusing layout - Area requires lights / roundabout

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