Newly installed Stop Sign
at Newcombe Road and Linnington Trail

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Safety comes first
Where?

Dundas
Near the Conservation Area

SAFETY comes first
Environment

- Stop signs are on a hill

- SAFETY comes first
Why?

- Russ Powers

  - “residents in the area made a request to the city”
    - Survey prior to installation? NO

  - “due to the increased traffic and speeding”
    - Speeding? NO police speed enforcement seen in the area

- SAFETY comes first
Purpose of a Stop Sign

- The purpose of a stop sign is to assign the right-of-way at an intersection, not to control speeding.

- Motorists begin to "roll through" or not stop at all, creating A MORE DANGEROUS SITUATION.

- Source - City of Hamilton website: Traffic and Engineering Operations

SAFETY comes first
Dangerous Stop Sign

- The Stop Sign at Newcombe Road and LinINGTON Trail
  IS DANGEROUS to:
    - Cars
    - KIDS

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- Dangerous in the Winter
  - Traveling up and down the hill.

- Some cars need the momentum to get up the hill and drive right through the stop sign

- Both my neighbour and I have witnessed cars coming down the hill hitting the curb by the stop sign

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- This weekend

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I love my kids: (age 6 and 8)

Before the Stop Sign:
  Simply: No cars then cross

Now? Confusion and Danger

SAFETY comes first
Solutions to “Speeding”

- I will volunteer to help organize a neighbourhood Speed Watch programme

- I will agree to install a Speed Watch sign on my lawn

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- Remove the stop signs on Newcombe and Linington.