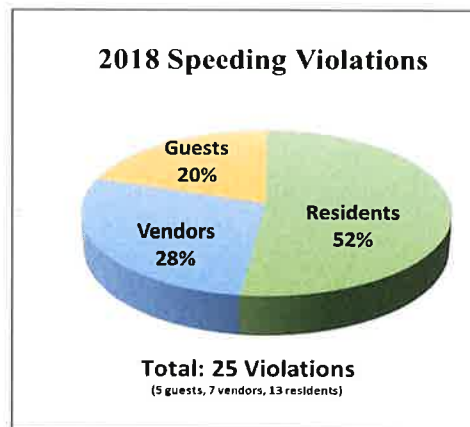




**DC Ranch Association  
Board Report 8-13-18 #3**

**Subject Matter: Electronic Speed Camera - Adjusting Speed Violation to 10mph Over Posted Speed Limit at Parks and Greenbelt Areas**

**Background:** On April 6, 2018 the Association issued its first \$300 fine for excessive speeding. Excessive speeding is defined as driving more than 20mph over the posted speed limit. Since then, the electronic speed camera has captured 25 images and records of people who were excessively speeding. The table below shows who received the related \$300 fine.

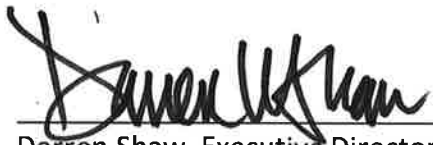


The electronic speed camera has had a positive impact on speeding. The data from the five electronic speed signs we use to record vehicle speeds shows that speeding in general has declined markedly since the electronic speed camera has been put into use. Notwithstanding the camera's impact to date, we continue to receive comments from residents that the 20mph+ speeding threshold now in place has no impact on vehicles speeding twice the posted speed limit adjacent to park and greenbelt areas, where people walk and families gather.

This matter was discussed at the Board's June 27 Planning Program Day; the consensus was that lowering the excessive speeding threshold to 10mph over the posted speed limit adjacent to park and greenbelt areas should be explored.

The Board could consider a pilot program to ascertain the extent of the speeding concern. Residents would be informed of the program prior to its implementation. Data could be gathered over a specified timeframe; a report would be provided to the Board. The Board would then be better informed prior to considering any long terms changes.

**Recommendation:** Approve a 60-day pilot program to reduce the excessive speeding threshold to 10mph over the posted speed limit adjacent to park and greenbelt areas; the fine will be \$300. The electronic speed camera to be located for 30 days each at Ethel's Garden Park and the Arcadia Park on 98<sup>th</sup> Street on a rotating basis. Upon conclusion of the 60-days, a report will be provided to the Board.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Darren Shaw", written over a horizontal line.

Darren Shaw, Executive Director