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**Re: Mapua village road layout**

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Cc: Paul MDCA Chair &lt;info@ourmapua.org&gt;

I would like to provide some feedback on the new Mapua Village cycleway and road changes, in the form of two questions

- 1) Why does the cycle path stop at a commercial enterprise and place cycles onto the pavement when that particular area would have an increased pedestrian population. This seems unwise given the increased probability of an accident.
- 2) Why does the cyclepath leading out to the crossroads of Mapua Drive and Aranui stop at the Aranui Domain, essentially forcing cyclists to cross the pedestrian crossing when there are a significant number of cyclists who would wish to turn left at that crossroads and continue up the hill. Those cyclists now have to effectively go over a "hump" and continue on the road which seems to defeat the object of keeping cyclists in a safe place.

Additionally if you are going to encourage cyclists to go around behind the Community Hall one would suggest a larger sign. At present it's so small as to be unnoticeable .

Regards  
Tim David

"The unfamiliar is not the same as the improbable"

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