Date

Your Name

Your Address

Contact No.

Dear **[insert local representative name]**

Recently I was walking in **[insert street, suburb]** and noticed **[insert your problem].** This is **[unsafe/ inconvenient /could be better]** because **[say why this problem is important for you].**

**[Options:** no footpath / the footpath was too narrow / a trip hazard / footpath problem/ no kerb ramp / no way to safely cross the road / cars not giving way at the slip lane / a lack of shade / not enough places to sit and rest / I had to wait a long time at the signalised crossing (insert wait time in minutes & seconds) / traffic was travelling too fast /]

**[Include a photo if possible]**

It’s important for everyone in our community to easily walk on our streets.

Walking is a great way for us to get to the shops, to schools and public transport, and has great health and wellbeing benefits. Walking helps people to connect with the community, support local businesses and is the most popular form of recreation in Queensland - all of us enjoy a good walk and we all benefit from safe and accessible streets and roads.

Please address this problem by **[insert your suggestion if applicable].**

Please call or email me on **[phone number/email address]** if you and your team would like to take a walk with me to see and discuss these concerns,

Yours in walking

**[your name]**

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