

RAISED CROSSWALKS

Definition: A speed hump designed as a pedestrian crossing, generally used at mid-block locations.



ADVANTAGES	DISADVANTAGES
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effective speed control at the installation. • Effective pedestrian amenity. • May be designed to be aesthetically pleasing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May create noise, particularly if there are loose items in the vehicle or trailer. • May be a problem for emergency vehicles. • Drivers may speed up between humps. • May increase volumes on other streets. • Requires signage that may be considered unsightly.

EVALUATION CONSIDERATIONS

SAFETY	←-----→	POSSIBLE IMPROVEMENT
SPEED REDUCTION	←-----→	YES
TRAFFIC REDUCTION	←-----→	POSSIBLE
FUEL CONSUMPTION	←-----→	SMALL INCREASE
POLLUTION	←-----→	SMALL INCREASE
COST EFFECTIVENESS	←-----→	LOW TO MEDIUM
EMERGENCY SERVICES	←-----→	POSSIBLE PROBLEMS