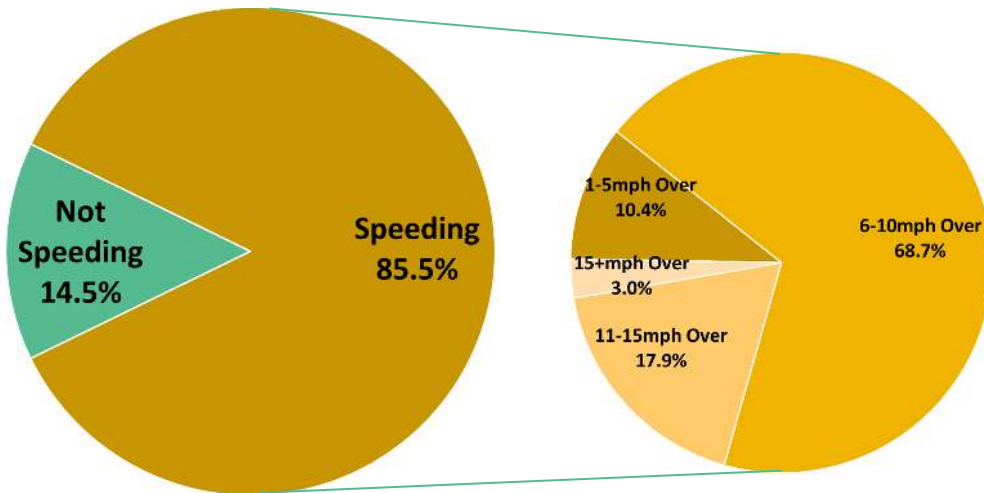




Tumwater Middle School Survey Results

December 12, 2022—Morning			How fast are SPEEDING DRIVERS going?				
Posted Speed/ Vehicle Action	Total Driver Observations (n=)	NOT Speeding Driver	Speeding Driver	Speeding 1-5 mph over	Speeding 6-10 mph over	Speeding 11-15 mph over	Speeding 15+ mph over
A.M. School Zone (20 mph)	235	14.5%	85.5% (n=201)	10.4% (n=21)	68.7% (n=138)	17.9% (n=36)	3.0% (n=6)
Entering School	29	72.4%	27.6% (n=8)	25.0% (n=2)	75.0% (n=6)	0%	0%
School Bus	10	0.0%	100.0% (n=10)	20.0% (n=2)	60.0% (n=6)	20.0% (n=2)	0%
Passing Through	196	6.6%	93.4% (n=183)	9.3% (n=17)	68.9% (n=126)	18.6% (n=34)	3.3% (n=6)



Survey results show:

- ⇒ Despite traffic slowing roundabouts at both ends, and school zone flashing beacons, the majority of drivers observed exceeded the 20 mph school zone speed limit.
- ⇒ Most speeding drivers were traveling 26-30 mph in the active school zone.
- ⇒ One of every five speeding drivers were traveling greater than 30 mph in the active school zone.
- ⇒ Ten school bus drivers were observed and all were traveling greater than 20 mph. Two were observed traveling 31-35 mph, which is also in excess of the regular posted speed limit.
- ⇒ Drivers passing the school were much more likely to be speeding than drivers entering the school.

Observation Notes

Observations were collected near the entrances to the school on Littlerock Rd. SW from Bishop Rd. SW. Flashing beacons with signage indicate the active school zone. Littlerock Rd. SW is a two-way road split by a landscaped center median with sidewalks on both sides. There are marked crosswalks on both ends of the school with school crossing signs. The school is mid-block between two roundabout intersections.

