

# Enhancing Safety for Motorists

## Traffic Calming Markings



As part of our on-going efforts to enhance road safety in Singapore, the Land Transport Authority (LTA) will be implementing new traffic calming markings for a trial period at selected locations in May 2008.

Traffic calming measures are introduced to alert motorists to reduce speed, improve safety for themselves and pedestrians. Current measures include humps, speed regulating strips, lane markings and speed limit signs.

### What are the new traffic calming markings?

These are white triangles painted on both sides of a road to create a visually narrowed lane width. They are placed before road segments that needed more care from motorists e.g. before bends and along roads passing through residential areas.

### What should motorists do?

- The markings are meant to heighten your awareness of the need to slow down and be more alert. Drive carefully when you see these markings.
- Always keep within the speed limit of your vehicle or the road, whichever is lower. However, it does not mean that it is always safe to drive at that speed allowed – always take into account all the conditions prevailing at that time.

#### Trial locations:

- Pan Island Expressway (towards Jurong) – Eng Neo Avenue exit
- Bukit Batok East Avenue 5 towards Little Guilin
- Dairy Farm Road towards Upper Bukit Timah Road

**Together, let us make our roads safer for every user!**