



STREET RACING KILLS
A Reckless Driving Organization

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Terra Curtis, Director
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Dear Director Curtis,

Street Racing Kills was founded after my 16-year-old daughter, Valentina, was killed by a reckless driver. Since that tragedy, our organization has spent more than a decade working throughout California to educate young drivers and communities about the devastating consequences of reckless driving, street racing, speeding, distracted driving, and impaired driving.

While education and intervention remain critical, we have also learned a difficult truth: human error and dangerous decision-making continue to take lives on our roadways every day. According to statewide traffic safety data, reckless and unsafe driving behaviors remain a major contributing factor in thousands of serious and fatal crashes across California each year.

We believe emerging vehicle safety technologies, including autonomous driving systems, have the potential to become an important part of the solution. A vehicle designed to follow traffic laws, avoid impaired or reckless driving behaviors, and prioritize safety represents a meaningful shift in how we approach roadway injury and fatality prevention.

For this reason, Street Racing Kills supported Waymo's January application to expand passenger service in Northern and Southern California. We recognize the significant work that has gone into the Commission Staff's review process and appreciate the careful evaluation being conducted by the California Public Utilities Commission.

At the same time, we respectfully emphasize that the urgency behind roadway safety cannot be overlooked. Families across California continue to experience preventable tragedies every day, and advancements in transportation safety technology deserve thoughtful but timely consideration.

We respectfully urge the Commission to approve Waymo's advice letter application.

Thank you for your time and consideration, as well as for your continued commitment to public safety throughout California.

Sincerely,

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Founder & Executive Director
Street Racing Kills