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Question/Comment for the Policing Advisory Commission \*

It's a waste of money to have fully qualified police officers doing routine traffic stops for speeding (not to mention a traffic hazard to have a car stopped in the road in many locations). Not to mention that there probably aren't enough officers to provide good coverage. Instead, pay cheaper county employees to drive around in cars with automated radar speed measuring cameras to take pictures of anyone significantly speeding (similar to the existing radar cameras where the speed has to be more than 10 miles/hour over the limit). Similar to speed cameras, the ticket would be mailed to address associated with the license plate.

The county cars should also have dashcams that can take a video of anyone driving aggressively. If the county employee driving the car sees aggressive driving, he clicks on "save the last minute of video" and adds an audio comment with the license plate, time, and location. That should be enough to issue a ticket by mail. Again, this should be only for egregious incidents like: high speed swerving between cars, cutting other cars off in a dangerous manner, road rage, illegal turns and so on. And similar to the red light cameras, there needs to be a reviewer who makes sure each submission meets appropriate criteria.

Thanks for your time. Ben Slade Kensington MD