

# Bumpiest road in Victoria

Grumpy Taxpayers,

I drive a 20 passenger bus around the capital region most every day. My service is providing scenic tours for seniors in care homes. Some of the roads are so rough that I have to slow to a crawling speed for the comfort of my passengers (particularly those in wheelchairs) as well as to prevent damage to my 11 year old bus! I am the owner/operator of this small company.

I am noting some of the worst roads but by no means all that need attention. My votes ( I cannot choose just one):

1. Blanshard St. South between Pandora and Yates St. and between Broughton and Belleville.

2. Government St. between Belleville and Menzies (adjacent to the legislative buildings)

3. Fort St. in entirety. Seriously the bike lanes are the preferable path to travel in!

4. Dallas Rd. from Clover Point to St. Charles along Ross Bay.

5. Shelbourne from Cedar Hill X Rd. right to Bay St.

6. And the real head scratcher is Bay St. itself. Considering that this is a main artery to Royal Jubilee Hospital that ambulances use frequently with injured patients onboard, it is disgusting that our city doesn't do something with this mess.

7. Oak Bay has some dandies too but Lansdowne from Beach Drive to Cadboro Bay Rd. is a mess (in the Uplands yet!!).

In summary, all municipalities need improvement but the City of Victoria is by far the worst!

Sincerely,

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