

11. WORKS AND TRAFFIC COMMITTEE – REPORT OF 30 APRIL 2002

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The purpose of this report is to submit for the Board's consideration the committee report and accompanying recommendations as follows:

Report of a meeting of the Works and Traffic Committee held on Tuesday 30 April at 10.00am in the Boardroom, Linwood Service Centre

PRESENT: David Cox (Chairman), Bob Todd, Rod Cameron and John Freeman

APOLOGIES: Yani Johanson

1. Bus Shelter, 402 Ferry Road

This item relates to clause 7 in the agenda. The Chairperson of the Board and the Community Advocate considered that a report which was to be presented to the Board meeting on 1 May should also be referred to the Works and Traffic committee for consideration prior to the Board meeting.

The committee was assisted in its consideration by Andrew Hensley and Lorraine Wilmshurst from the City Streets Unit.

Mr Fairbrass, Flat 2, 402 Ferry Road addressed the committee about his concerns with the installation of an Adshel bus shelter outside Flat 1, 402 Ferry Road replacing a Council bus shelter. Mr Fairbrass raised a number of issues including lack of consultation, location of the shelter, the slightly larger dimension of the new shelter that replaced the old shelter, the effect of light intrusion, the materials the shelter was constructed from and the width of the footpath. Mr Fairbrass agreed before he left the meeting that he had opportunity to present all of his concerns to the committee and his questions had been answered by staff present. It was agreed that more intense tinting of the shelter would be likely to limit sunlight entering his and his adjoining neighbour's property and he did not wish this to happen.

Council staff provided advice and answered questions as to why the Adshel bus shelter should remain.

2. Petitions re bus stops on Linwood Avenue

This item relates to clause 8.9 in the agenda. Two petitions were received requesting that the Board install an extra bus stop either side on Linwood Avenue between Hargood Street and Linwood Park.

Council staff are at present considering sites for the stops. Environment Canterbury have agreed that additional stops can be placed on Linwood Avenue route.

Recommendation: The Committee recommended to the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board.

1. That it note that the committee heard the concerns of Mr Fairbrass.
2. That the Board request Adshel continue to investigate options to reduce glare from the lit advertising panels and that Council staff request that the advertisements that Adshel place in the inside panel be of a nature that have less glare.
3. That the Adshel bus shelter remain.
4. That the Board seek a report from the City Streets Unit on the installation of a new bus stop either side of Linwood Avenue.