

7. IDRIS ROAD - PROPOSED KERB AND CHANNEL RENEWAL

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The purpose of this report is to request that the Board approve for construction the renewal of the kerb and dish channels in Idris Road from Wairakei Road to Blighs Road.

Idris Road (a minor arterial road with an average traffic flow of 9,100 vehicles/day) is on the capital works programme to have its kerb and dish channel renewed in the 2003/2004 financial year. A publicity pamphlet was distributed and a public meeting held for all residents and property owners affected by the work. Following consideration of the property owners and residents' feedback (see **attached** letter for a summary of feedback) the kerb has been brought in closer to the boundary outside No. 119 Idris Road to allow for more on street parking close to the florists. A copy of the final proposal is **attached**.

Magnolia Kobus street trees will be planted where there is sufficient room and underground services allow. These trees will be the same species as recently planted in Idris Road to the south of Wairakei Road.

The sum of \$409,320 is budgeted for this project, which includes the undergrounding of the overhead services in the street. Work is programmed to start in November 2003.

Staff

Recommendation: That the submitted plan be approved for construction.

Chairman's

Recommendation: That the above recommendation be adopted.