

1. ASTON DRIVE BUS STOP

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The purpose of this report is to request the Council's approval for the relocation of an existing bus stop in Aston Drive to one property further south.

The owner of 68 Aston Drive has recently built a new residence and established a driveway entrance on the southern side of the property. The kerb side location of this new entranceway is also the position of the existing bus terminal for this area. Buses park at this terminal up to 15 minutes between trips and therefore will block the resident's egress. The owner of 68 Aston Drive has approached an adjacent property owner, at number 1 Neptune Place, who is agreeable for the Bus stop relocation to the Aston Drive street frontage of their property. The vehicle entrance to this property is in Neptune Place.

The Canterbury Regional Council is also agreeable to the proposed Bus Stop relocation.

At its meeting the Board requested that the owners of 1 Neptune Place be personally contacted to confirm their approval of the bus stop outside their property. This was done subsequent to the Board meeting and the owners agree to the relocation.

- Recommendations:**
1. That the Bus Stop on the eastern side of Aston Drive commencing at a point 20 metres north of Neptune Place and extending in a northerly direction for a distance of 17 metres be removed.
 2. That a Bus Stop be installed on the eastern side of Aston Drive commencing at a point 7 metres north of Neptune Place and extending in a northerly direction for a distance of 12 metres.