

4. PEVEREL STREET “LIVING STREET” OPENING CEREMONY

The Area Engineer (Paul Burden) reported on the 22 May 2001 opening of Peverel Street, Riccarton, being the City’s first “Living Street”.

Peverel Street has been reconstructed under this new policy. The City Streets Unit is moving away from the traditional “straight” street, with its traffic restraints to slow traffic. The realignment and narrowing of the roadway achieves a more pleasant environment for both the residents and road users, and also reduces traffic speeds. The historical significance of Peverel Street, being part of the old Riccarton settlement, has been recognised through the water features and information boards. The street also includes a large artwork contributed by local children.

The Board **received** the information.