

2. WORKS TRAFFIC & ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE - REPORT OF 18 APRIL 2002

The Board considered the Committee report and accompanying recommendations and **decided** as follows:

2.1 Deputation by Appointment

Watsons Road - Speed Limit

1. That the submissions be received.
2. That the forthcoming speed limit review include Watsons Road and Waimakariri Road and that in the interim, options to address vehicle speeds in Watsons Road in particular, along with the other non arterial roads in the immediate area be reported on back to the Committee.

2.2 Prioritisation Process with City Streets Underground Projects

1. That the Board's submission to the Draft 2003 Financial Plan again seek an increase in the level of funding for the undergrounding of overhead services and further that a review occur of the Council's cost sharing policy with residents for undergrounding.
2. That an elected member seminar hosted by the Sustainable Transport and Utilities Committee be proposed with the emphasis being on the funding arrangements for the undergrounding programme and associated issues.

2.3 Aikmans Road – Landscaping Along Frontage of Merivale Mall Car Park

1. That the planting of additional trees and ground cover along the Aikmans Road frontage of the Merivale Mall as per the submitted plan, be approved and implemented in the coming planting season.
2. That this acceptance of the plan be advised to the Mall Management and the affected Council business unit and that the parties involved be thanked for their participation in bringing about a completion of the overall project upgrading.

2.4 Bishopdale Centre – Options for Ongoing Management

That the Board confirm a desire to see a redevelopment/enhancement of the Bishopdale Centre in partnership with the private sector and further that a feasibility study aimed at achieving this objective be undertaken and reported on back to the Committee.

2.5 Strowan/Normans Intersection – Safe Cycling to Schools Project

That a draft consultation document to include the noted aspects be prepared and submitted to the Committee for consideration and recommendation to the Board.

2.6 Leaf Collection Arrangements

That the information be received and that an update report on street sweeping/cleaning in the Board's area be submitted in August 2002.

2.7 Land Transport Safety Authority – Traffic Control Devices

Information received.

2.8 Requests for the Removal of Trees

The Board noted that the Committee is to undertake site visits to the affected parks and Jellie Park Aqualand on Friday 10 May 2002.