1. PETITION

The Chairperson, Yvonne Palmer presented a petition from Sturrocks Road residents.

The prayer of the petition read:

From early hours of each day there are vehicle parked along the roadside. Most of these vehicles belong to workers in the factories opposite. If they were parked on the opposite side of the road there would not be a problem, and there seems to be ample space on the factory premises.

Because my driveway is in close proximity to the railway line I do not have a clear view when driving my car out onto the roadway, partly due to the housebus also there on a daily basis. I must edge my car out to the middle of the road before I am able to see clearly either way. On several occasions there has been close encounters with other cars, but more recently three little boys on bicycles who had no hope of seeing me nor I them.

I believe if I am living on the residential side of the road I should enjoy the right to safe access to and from my property.

I wish for the Road Safety Planning Division of the Council to make safe this problem by either: Banning all day parking on this side of the road, or

- 1. No all day parking west of the railway line for one hundred metres, or
- 2. Two hour limit parking.
- 3. I am appealing to my neighbours to sign this petition.