

Christchurch City Council

COUNCIL SEMINAR AGENDA

FRIDAY 11 AUGUST 2006

1.30PM TO 3PM

IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CIVIC OFFICES

(Note: This forum has no decision making powers, and is purely for the purpose of information sharing)

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1. APOLOGIES

2. LICHFIELD STREET TWO WAY AND BUS XCHANGE

Central City Revitalisation – Maurice Roers
Key Decisions – Jane Parfitt
Scheme Development – Tim Wright
Urban Design Issues – Hugh Nicholson
Scheme Appraisal – Tim Wright
Bus Exchange Update – Bob Blythe
Lichfield Two-way Project Advisory Group Feedback – John Suckling
Where to from here? – Jane Parfitt

The development and appraisal of a number of possible schemes for two-waying Lichfield Street has taken place over the last few months. Pivotal to the development of the options and identification of issues has been the input of the Project Advisory Group. The PAG is a group of a dozen or so individuals representing local businesses and the different users of Lichfield Street.

The seminar will present the development and appraisal of the options and the views of the PAG will be provided. The existing function of Lichfield Street as an arterial route serving major car parks and the bus exchange poses a trade-off between the perceived revitalisation benefits of two-waying Lichfield Street and increased congestion under two-way operation. Councillors will be informed of these issues and asked to confirm in the first instance whether the proposal to two-way Lichfield Street should be delayed until the location of the bus exchange expansion is confirmed, or, alternatively which scheme(s) should be taken forward to public consultation.

CATERING

Lunch will be provided in the Councillors' Lounge at 1pm. Afternoon tea will be provided in the Chamber at 3pm.