## **21.** CHRSTCHURCH ROADSAFETY STRATEGY PUBLIC CONSULTATION

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to bring the Christchurch Road Safety Strategy to the attention of the Community Board and identify a local community consultation process.

## DISCUSSION

The City Services Committee and the Coordinating Committee for Traffic Safety has adopted the Christchurch Road Safety Strategy for public consultation. Copies of the draft document have been circulated for Board Members. To present the strategy to the wider community and interested stakeholders a public forum is to be held on 17 February 1999 at the Centra Hotel commencing at 10.30am.

Consultation with the Community Board is considered an important facet of obtaining community views and ownership of the road safety issues identified in the draft document. The editorial team would appreciate a local opportunity to discuss the strategy. A Board, Traffic or Community Services Committee meeting may be considered a suitable forum. A public meeting or workshop for local resident groups, hosted by the Board may also be suitable. Please notify the author of your requirements so they can be accommodated.

## CONCLUSION

The draft Christchurch Road Safety Strategy is being circulated to obtain community feedback. A way to obtain views of the local community regarding the document and to encourage wider ownership of the strategy within the community, needs to be identified by the Board.

Recommendation:	1.	That the Christchurch Road Safety Strategy document be received.
	2.	That the Board jointly meet with the Burwood/Pegasus Community Board to consider Road Safety Strategy.
	3.	That the Community Advocate circulate the report to all Residents' Associations and other community groups.
	4.	That further discussion be held on the best method of obtaining feedback from the wider Hagley/Ferrymead community.
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**Recommendation:** That the Board adopt the above recommendations.