

29. CHRISTCHURCH ROAD SAFETY STRATEGY PUBLIC CONSULTATION

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Corporate Plan Output: Road Safety Strategy	

Purpose

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

Discussion

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

Consultation with the Community Board is also 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 an opportunity to discuss the strategy at the local community level. A meeting of paired Community Boards is suggested as a suitable forum.

Conclusion

The draft Christchurch Road Safety Strategy is being circulated to obtain community feedback. To obtain the local communities views regarding the document and to encourage wider ownership of the strategy within the community meetings of paired Community Boards are proposed.

- Recommendation:**
1. That the Christchurch Road Safety Strategy be received.
 2. That the Board jointly meet with the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board to consider the Christchurch Road Safety Strategy.

Chairperson's

- Recommendation:**
- That the officer's recommendation be adopted and that the joint Board meeting be held on Monday, 8 February 1999 at 4.30 pm in the Fendalton Service Centre, Board Room.