16. SAWYERS ARMS ROAD - BUS STOP

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's recommendation to the Council for the installation of a Bus Stop on Sawyers Arms Road.

The Bishopdale bus route has been extended along Sawyers Arms Road from Gardiners Road to Highsted Road. The Canterbury Regional Council have requested that an additional out bound bus stop be located on Sawyers Arms Road, midway between the existing stops at the Gardiners Road intersection and the new terminus location in front of the Orion kiosk by the park at the Highsted Road roundabout. The bus stops will then be about 250 metres apart which is the normally desirable spacing on a well-patronised route.

The most suitable location for an additional bus stop is in front of the landscaped area of the Papanui Club. The management of the Club have been approached and have enthusiastically agreed with the proposal for a bus stop along the frontage to their property. The remainder of the Club frontage will retain the existing 'No Stopping' lines.

As Sawyers Arms Road is classified as a Minor Arterial road, the Board's recommendation will be referred to the Council for a resolution.

Recommendation: That the Board recommend to the Council that a bus stop be installed on the northern side of Sawyers Arms Road at a point 25 metres east from the boundary between number 310 and number 316 Sawyers Arms Road.

Chairperson'sRecommendation:That the officer's recommendation be adopted.