CITY SERVICES COMMITTEE SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

TUESDAY 11 JULY 2000 AT 12 NOON

PART C - DELEGATED DECISIONS

36. BUS SHELTERS

The Chairman reports:

It is time for the Committee to review the rate at which bus shelters are being installed in the city. I am concerned that the Council's current policy regarding the Adshell shelters (ie with advertising) is restricting the number of shelters being installed. It seems to me that the policy is so restrictive that too few Adshell shelters are going in. Another issue is whether the Council should also be looking at other commercial suppliers of shelters with advertising. I am aware that there is at least one other such company in Christchurch. Another issue is the prioritisation of where the available shelters should go, especially the standard Council shelters being replaced by Adshell shelters. There is some urgency and a report is needed so that the Committee can assess these issues and make recommendations to the Council.

Chairman's

Recommendation:

That staff provide a comprehensive report to the August meeting of the Committee on these matters:

- 1. The number of Adshell shelters which have been applied for over the last year.
- 2. The number of such applications which have been declined and why.
- 3. The terms of the Adshell contract.
- 4. The possibility of having other companies also supply shelters on similar terms to Adshell.
- 5. The current programme for installing all types of shelters in Christchurch and the budgets.
- 6. The criteria for prioritising where Council shelters (not Adshell) are installed.
- 7. Any additional information Council staff consider to be relevant.