5. RICCARTON/WIGRAM WORKS AND TRAFFIC COMMITTEE REPORT OF 16 MARCH 2001

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The purpose of this report is to submit the outcomes of the Works and Traffic Committee meeting held on Friday 16 March 2001.

The meeting was attended Helen Broughton, , David Buist, Bob Shearing, Ishwar Ganda and Mike Mora.

1. MR PAUL ROBERTS TRANSPORTATION ENGINEER, CITY STREETS UNIT

Paul was in attendance to talk about major traffic issues in the area. He covered aspects of the Blenheim Road deviation, the southern motorway arterial and the Riccarton Road Management Plan.

The Committee heard that with the Blenheim Road deviation there would be 290 parking spaces available along that part of Deans Avenue.

They were informed that it is proposed to have construction on the southern motorway arterial begin in the 2003 financial year and that further work in line with the Riccarton Road Management Plan, ie Riccarton Road/Clarence Street corner will be underway next financial year.

2. WESTERN BUS SERVICE REVIEW - HORNBY - CITY ROUTE - BUS STOP CHANGES

This report was considered by the Committee which is included into the order paper as clause 6 with appropriate recommendations.

3. YALDHURST ROAD/RACECOURSE ROAD INTERSECTION

Stephen Shimmin addressed the Committee in line with his prepared submission regarding difficulties with the Yaldhurst/Racecourse Road intersection.

It was **decided** that a new traffic count should be carried out and that the count should include two Sundays.

It was also **agreed** that there be a review of the costs benefit analysis of putting traffic lights in at this intersection, taking into account the benefits of the wider area.

4. HORNBY/HEI HEI HEAVY VEHICLE STUDY

Members expressed concern at the apparent lack of formal invitations to attend an onsite inspection of the heavy vehicle situation in the Hornby/Hei Hei area.

5. PIKO CRESCENT/WALES STREET/PEER STREET TRAFFIC WORKS

It was **agreed** that this item be carried over until the next meeting.

6. GILBERTHORPES ROAD/ROBERTS ROAD TRAFFIC RESTRAINT

It was **agreed** that this item be carried over until the next meeting.

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Recommendations: That the report be received.