

11. CAVENDISH ROAD - STYX MILL ROAD – ‘STOP’ AND ‘GIVE WAY’ SIGNS

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Board’s recommendation for the installation of a ‘Stop’ sign and a ‘Give Way’ sign control against the legs of Cavendish Road at the intersection with Styx Mill Road. As both of these roads are designated collector roads in the transportation hierarchy the Board’s recommendation will be referred to the City Services Committee for resolution.

The current access to Styx Mill Reserve and the car park area to the north of Styx Mill Road are located on an extension of Cavendish Road and it is suitable that it retains its designation as legal road. Public use of the reserve and car park is increasing. It is appropriate to install a Stop sign against this leg of the intersection because visibility along Styx Mill Road from this side is constrained.

The volumes of traffic using Cavendish and Styx Mill Roads are growing and will increase with the continuing development of residential subdivisions and other community facilities in the area. There have been two recorded crashes at this intersection in the past five years.

Installation of a ‘Give Way’ sign will assist in showing the priority against turning traffic from Cavendish Road and help to define the intersection for drivers travelling north.

- Recommendation:**
1. That a ‘Stop’ sign be placed against the northern approach of Cavendish Road at its intersection with Styx Mill Road.
 2. That a ‘Give Way’ sign be placed against the southern approach of Cavendish Road at its intersection with Styx Mill Road.

Chairperson’s Recommendation: That the officer’s recommendation be adopted.