

### 13. LYDIA STREET – ‘GIVE WAY’ SIGN

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Boards approval for the installation of a ‘Give Way’ sign control against Lydia Street at the intersection with Northcote Road.

Lydia Street is essentially a small cul de sac on the south side of Northcote Road to the west of the Main North Road. It is however the main exit from Foodstuffs refrigerated storage and distribution complex and is continuously used by large trucks as access to the Christchurch ring route and main roads. There has been one recorded crash at this intersection in the past five years.

To assist with safety and traffic flow on Northcote Road at this point it is necessary to define the priority for turning traffic. A control against Lydia Street will give priority to vehicles turning right from Northcote Road. There is reasonably good visibility when driving out from Lydia Street and therefore a Give Way sign is appropriate.

Lydia Street is designated a local road in the transportation hierarchy and the Boards resolution will be effective.

**Recommendation:** That a ‘Give Way’ sign be placed against the approach of Lydia Street at its intersection with Northcote Road.

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