4. AORANGI/BROOKSIDE: INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

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The purpose of this report is to request that the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board approve the proposed improvement work to the Aorangi Road/Brookside Terrace intersection for construction.

Background

There were one hundred and thirty publicity leaflets distributed in the area around the Aorangi Road/Brookside Terrace intersection, as approved by the Board's January meeting, seven properties have responded in writing.

The summarised responses were: -

- Two think it is a great idea/looks good.
- Two would like no stopping restrictions around the corners to improve a drivers view.
- One believes there is no need to change the intersection.
- One objected to the planting of any shrubs that could hide small children from a drivers view.
- One request is that speed humps be installed in Brookside Terrace at the same time.
- One response advised that they would prefer white carpet roses and/or lavender to be planted in the landscaping.
- One advised that he did not think the work should proceed if it reduces the space available for cyclists on the road.

The proposed intersection layout and landscaping shall slow traffic, while being an aesthetic and traffic safety improvement for the area. It is proposed that the work shall proceed incorporating the above feedback as shown on the plan/overhead transparency to be presented at the meeting.

The budgeted amount for the work is \$50,000. It is proposed that construction plans for the work be drawn and the work tendered.

Recommendation: That the work be approved for construction.

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Recommendation: That the above recommendation be adopted.