## 8. CHRISTCHURCH, ROLLESTON AND ENVIRONS TRANSPORT STUDY CONTACT GROUP

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Committee's confirmation of a proposal to establish an elected member contact group for the Christchurch, Rolleston and Environs Transport Study.

A briefing for this study was conducted on 5 March 2002 for the Sustainable Transport and Utilities Committee and elected members from the Community Boards affected by this study. At that meeting it was suggested that an elected members contact group be established for this study. The purpose of this group would be to provide a forum for discussion with elected members on progress and matters related to this study without unnecessarily delaying the study by having to wait for scheduled board and committee meetings. An undertaking was made to still report on the study approximately bi-monthly, irrespective of the general progress and activity of the contact group.

At the 5 March briefing it was suggested that the contact group be composed of the Land Transport Subcommittee plus one nominee from the Spreydon/Heathcote and Fendalton/Waimairi Community Boards and two nominees from the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board. The Committee is requested to confirm its acceptance of this arrangement.

The beginning of the first consultation period for this study will be in the week of 15 April 2002. A stakeholder meeting will be held at Hornby High School on the evening of 17 April.

**Recommendation:** That the Committee agree to the establishment of an elected member

contact group for the purposes of liaison on the Christchurch Rolleston & Environs Transport Study, composed of the Land Transport Subcommittee plus one nominee from the Spreydon/Heathcote and Fendalton/Waimairi Community Boards and two nominees from the Riccarton/Wigram

Community Board.

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**Recommendation:** That the above recommendation be adopted.