


1. TRANSFUND ALLOCATION PROCESS - SUBMISSION



At its meeting on 13 July 2004 the Sustainable Transport and Utilities Committee considered a report advising it of the consultation being undertaken by Transfund on its consultation document on the funding allocation process for land transport activities.

The report noted that additional funding would become available from the 2005/06 financial year for a ten year period, from a new fuel tax to be introduced in April 2005. The 'Transfund Allocation Process' is the methodology used to distribute the funding and Transfund are seeking views on how to enhance the allocation process for the 2005/06 period and beyond.

The Sustainable Transport and Utilities Committee decided to delegate to the Land Transport Subcommittee the recommending of a submission to Transfund to the 29 July 2004 Council meeting in view of the fact that submissions are due by 30 July 2004.

Attached is a copy of the draft submission to Transfund as recommended by the Land Transport Subcommittee at its meeting on 27 July 2004. Separately tabled is a copy of the consultation document.

Subcommittee

Recommendation: That the attached submission on the Transfund Allocation Process, as amended, be adopted by the Council.