MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE CHRISTCHURCH CITY COUNCIL HELD AT 2PM ON TUESDAY 9 OCTOBER 2007

PRESENT: The Mayor, Garry Moore (Chairperson). Councillors Sally Buck, Barry Corbett, David Cox, Carole Evans, Pat Harrow, Bob Parker, Bob Shearing, Gail Sheriff, Sue Wells and Norm Withers.

1. APOLOGIES

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Councillors Helen Broughton and Anna Crighton.

2. HILLS ROAD BUS BOARDER TRIAL – REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TRIAL

It was resolved:

- (a) That as bus boarders for the Queenspark route are one of the options for the Queenspark bus priority project, the Council continue the Hills Road bus boarder trial until consultation on the bus priority project for Queenspark has been completed.
- (b) That the results of the initial consultation be brought to the Council and Community Board before the end of 2007, and those results be fed into the overall bus priority project.
- (c) That in the event issues arise from the initial consultation, the Council may choose to modify the bus boarder trial prior to the conclusion of the overall bus priority project.

Note: Councillor Norm Withers requested that his vote against the above motion be recorded.

3. BUS PRIORITY PROJECT – CONSULTATION DOCUMENTATION

It was resolved:

- (a) To endorse the consultation information and proposals shown in Attachments 1, 2 and 3 of the report to go out to the public for consultation on the three bus priority routes.
- (b) That the consultation plan attached to the report be amended to include the following additional stakeholders:
 - Attachment 5, page 3: resthomes Archer Memorial Resthome
 - Attachment 5, page 4: local businesses Thorrington shops
 - Attachment 7, page 4: churches St Stephens Church
- (c) That the Chief Executive be requested to discuss with the CEO of Transit New Zealand implementation of one combined consultation process for the whole project.
- (d) That staff report back on the possibility of the Council introducing a bylaw to allow for bus priority.

4. CONCLUSION

The meeting concluded at 2.51pm

SIGNED BY THE MAYOR AND CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO STANDING ORDER 2.12.2

MAYOR

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER