

Submission form

PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING YOUR SUBMISSION

The public consultation period is from Tuesday 10 March 2009 to Thursday 16 April 2009.

It will help us if you clearly:

- state the issue you want the Council to consider;
- state what specific action you think the Council should take, and
- state why that should be done.
- type or use black ink for your submission.

Please note: We are legally required to make all written or electronic submissions available to the public and to Councillors, including the name and address of the submitter. In making submissions available to the public, the submissions will be posted electronically on the Council's website. Information will be available to the public subject to the provisions of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987. If you consider there to be compelling reasons why your contact details and/or submission should be kept confidential, you should contact the Council Support Team, telephone 941 8999.

You may send us your submission:

On the internet:

You may enter your submission using the form provided on the Council's website at www.ccc.govt.nz

By email:

ccc-plan@ccc.govt.nz

Please make sure that your full name and address is included with your submission.

By mail:

(no stamp is required) to:

Freepost 178

Draft LTCCP

Christchurch City Council

PO Box 237

Christchurch 8140

No anonymous submissions will be accepted. Whether you use this form or not, you must provide your full name, address and telephone number. If you are submitting on behalf of an organisation please state this and your role within that organisation.

Submissions must be received (NOT postmarked) at the Tuam Street Civic Offices no later than 5pm on Thursday 16 April 2009. To ensure receipt, hand deliver last-minute submissions to the Civic Offices, 163-173 Tuam Street.

Your submission

If you wish, you can present your submission at a hearing. If that is the case, please tick the appropriate box below. The hearings will be held from 11 May 2009 to 18 May 2009. Five to ten minutes will be allocated for speaking to your submission, including time for questions from the Councillors. The Council will confirm the date and time of your hearing in writing, by email or by telephone call.

I do NOT wish to discuss my submission at the hearing, and ask that this written submission be considered

OR

Dr Neil Barry

I wish to discuss the main points in my written submission at the hearings to be held between Monday 11 May 2009 and Monday 18 May 2009.

Are you completing this submission:

For yourself



On behalf of a group or organisation

If you are representing a group or organisation, how many people do you represent?

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7 APRIL 2009

SUBMISSION BY THE CHRISTCHURCH POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

To: Christchurch City Council
P O Box 237
Christchurch

Submission Of: Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology

Address: Facilities Management Division
Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology
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Hearings

CPIT wishes to be heard in support of its submissions at the hearings scheduled to occur between 11 – 18 May 2009.

Submission by CPIT:

Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology hereby lodges a submission on the draft long term Council Community Plan 2009/ 2019 – proposed extension of the city tram route.

This submission is in three parts:

- Background information on CPIT
- Comment on draft LTCCP – proposed extension of the city tram route
- Outcome sort

1 Background - CPIT

CPIT is one of New Zealand's largest tertiary institutions educating approx 30,000 students and employs approx 800 full time equivalent staff. CPIT has three campuses located in Christchurch with off campus activities located in various suburban locations within Christchurch.

Christchurch sites include:

- City campus – Madras Street
- Sullivan Ave campus – cnr Ensors Rd and Sullivan Ave
- Seven Oaks Campus – York Street

With our main campus located in the central city we are supportive of the City Councils **Central City Revitalization** strategy. We believe that we can make a significant contribution to this strategy through our day to day activities, participation and contribution by staff and students in nearby businesses, and our associated leisure and residential activities.

Well aligned to the City Council strategic direction we are proposing major capital investment of our own which will bring life to our mission statement which states ‘The Community inside CPIT and CPIT inside the Community.’ Included in our campus development plans is a walkway through the campus designed to be a natural extension of High Street through to the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament.

2 Comment on Draft LTCC8 – Proposed Extension of the City Tram Route

CPIT strongly supports the proposed extension of the City tram route – both stage I and stage II:

Stage I – although no direct impact on CPIT, CPIT strongly supports this as it links with stage II

Stage II – as part of stage II planning and discussion, CPIT would value the ongoing dialogue between City Council groups and ourselves on the following:

- Possible route change to include going through CPIT campus and connection with the *campus walk*
- Encouraging the CPIT community (staff and students) to utilize the light rail (tram) system as a cost effective way of linking into the wider public transport systems. This would assist CPIT in its development of transport strategies which reduce reliance on cars and improves environmental emissions.
- To protect the safety of cyclists and pedestrians along the route by ensuring that design features enable pedestrian and cyclists to co-exist with vehicular traffic particularly along High Street which has large numbers of CPIT students and staff moving between our High Street facilities and the Madras Street campus.

3 Outcomes:

CPIT wishes to continue with the strong dialogue that is occurring between City Council Officers and CPIT around the design of the proposed tram route and we would be supportive of a change in the route to go through the CPIT campus.