

RICCARTON/WIGRAM TRANSPORT AND GREENSPACE COMMITTEE – REPORT OF 12 SEPTEMBER 2012 MEETING

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to submit the outcomes of the Transport and Greenspace Committee meeting held on Wednesday 12 September 2012.

The meeting was attended by Peter Laloli (Chairperson), Sam Johnson, Judy Kirk and Mike Mora.

Apologies for absence were received and accepted from Helen Broughton, Natalie Bryden and Jimmy Chen.

1. ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING

At 5.20pm the Committee **resolved** that the meeting stand adjourned. The Committee meeting resumed at 5.22pm.

2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

Nil.

3. CORRESPONDENCE

Nil.

4. BRIEFINGS

Nil.

5. QUARRY HILL RESERVE PLAYGROUND DEVELOPMENT

The Committee considered a report seeking the Committee's recommendation to the Board of the concept plan for the development of a playground at Quarry Hill Reserve following consultation with the local community.

The Committee's recommendation on this matter is recorded under clause 8.1 of this report

6. MATTERS REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE BY THE BOARD

6.1 Hornby Hub Mall Environs – Traffic Flow

The Committee were updated on the upcoming developments at Hornby Hub that will impact on the traffic flow around the development.

6.2 Gavins Road – Heavy Traffic Parking and Storage of Vehicles

The Committee discussed the problems being caused by trucks and trailers parking for considerable periods of time on Gavins Road and the surrounding vacant lots.

The Committee decided to recommend to the Board that an invitation be extended to the New Zealand Transport Association and NZ Trucking Association of New Zealand to attend a Board forum to discuss items of mutual interest and to highlight some of the concerns that residents have raised with the Board.

6.3 Sparks Road – Speed Limit

The Board were informed that repairs to Sparks Road had sunk again and two residents had requested that the speed zone be reduced. Sparks Road will be included in the next city speed review process..

7. ELECTED MEMBERS' INFORMATION EXCHANGE

- **Oakhampton Street and Bermuda Drive**

The Committee discussed the issue of heavy vehicle parking and vehicle repairs that have been occurring on Oakhampton Street and Bermuda Drive. The Committee requested that staff investigate the matters raised and report back to the Committee on the outcome.

- **Clarence Street**

The Committee were advised that staff have discovered springs have re-erupted under the road carriageway on Clarence Street between Riccarton Road and Dilworth Street. Staff are working on this matter and hope to have the road repaired by November 2012.

- **Hansons Reserve**

The Committee highlighted the lack of older children's play equipment in Hansens Reserve. La Vida Youth Programme were supportive of the installation of a half basketball court. The Committee **agreed** to highlight this in the Board's submission to the Long Term Plan (LTP)

- **Wigram Village Green**

Work is planned to commence on Wigram Village Green within the week. The Committee **agreed** that a small opening ceremony be held. The ceremony would acknowledge the contribution of Ngai Tahu Property that paid for the half basketball court.

8. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

8.1 Quarry Hill Reserve Playground Development

It is recommended that the Board:

- (a) Approve the concept plan (refer **Attachment 1**) for the development of a playground at Quarry Hill Reserve noting that it takes into account consultation with the local community.
- (b) Note that there is currently no funding for this playground. Funding will be requested as part of the 2013/2021 Long Term Plan.

The meeting concluded at 5.47pm.