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Regional Land Transport Committee

Minute extract from meeting held on 13 March 2006

Western Corridor Hearings Subcommittee Report

Papers tabled

- *Proposed Western Corridor Plan – Hearing Subcommittees’ report.*
Greater Wellington Regional Council/Transit New Zealand
- *Western Corridor Review – Submission report*
Greater Wellington Regional Council/Transit New Zealand

Resolved

That the Committee:

- (1) *Receives the Western Corridor Hearing Subcommittee’s report.*
- (2) *Endorses in principle the proposed amendments to the Western Corridor plan as outlined in 1.6 and Figure 1 of the Hearing Subcommittee’s report*
 - *Notes the significant amount of time contributed by the Hearing Subcommittee (Mr Alan Bickers; Sir Brian Elwood; Mr Charles Finny; Ms Kay Saville-Smith; and the Chairman, Councillor Terry McDavitt) which was required to read 40,000 pages of material and hear 394 oral submissions.*
 - *Commends and thanks the Subcommittee for its commitment.*
 - *Disbands the Western Corridor Hearing Subcommittee, it having completed its task.*
- (4) *Receives the minutes of the Western Corridor Hearing Subcommittee (Attachment 1, and*

addition to Attachment 1).

- (5) Notes the Core Communications report, Western Corridor Submissions Analysis.*
- (6) Seeks the views of network providers on relevant elements of the Hearing Subcommittee's report at the RLTC meeting on 11 April 2006.*
- (6) Schedules formal consideration of the Western Corridor Plan for the 11 April 2006 meeting of the RLTC*
- (7) Notes Greater Wellington will consider the Committee's recommendations at its meeting on 27 April 2006*

Noted

Officers will formally thank the members of the Hearing Subcommittee.

Resolved

- (1) That the Committee will ask officers to place the following draft resolution on the agenda for the RLTC meeting of 11 April 2006:*
- (2) In the interests of resolving uncertainty in developing the Western Corridor Plan, the RLTC supports a deputation to Government to resolve the following issues:*

Whether Government will

- (1) Agree to further "C" funding to allow the Transmission Gully Motorway to be built.*
- (2) Assure the RLTC that this will not impact negatively on other important regional projects, some of which have yet to be developed.*