

Subject: [Fwd: Re: [Fwd: Transit press release]]
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To: <chair@caa.org.nz>

Hello Bevan

My apologies for not replying sooner - I was not deliberately ignoring you. We have had half our team away this week and I am just managing to get my head above water and respond to emails. I hope the fog in Auckland that prevented me from flying there today has cleared.

I was unable to send you the resolution until our Board minutes had been finalised, and I have only just received confirmation of this - please see below this email.

As I mentioned in my earlier email, we provided a media statement only to TV3 following your visit to the Board - because they were the only media to ask for a comment. We respond to media queries in this way on a daily basis and it is not our practice to display all these responses on our website. I see that you are displaying the media statement on your website and we have no concern about that.

We have an Auckland Harbour Bridge page on our website:

<http://www.transit.govt.nz/road/AHB.jsp>

Early next week we will be updating the information on walking and cycling. We'll include some information about your group's presentation to the Board and the Board's response.

I will forward you a link once this has been done.

Kind regards
Janice

7C. AUCKLAND HARBOUR BRIDGE WALKING AND CYCLING STUDY
CS/08/5/6189
PR6-1009

Resolved

"That the Board:

- (a) receives Action Paper CS/08/5/6189;
- (b) receives the very good presentation from the Cycle Action team of Bevan Woodward, Andy Smith, Dr Jan Pearson and Celia Wade-Brown and requests the Chairman to write thanking them for taking the time to present to the Board;
- (c) requests that the outcomes of Stages 1 and 2 of the current Auckland Harbour Bridge Walking and Cycling Study be reported to the Board following completion of each stage;
- (d) requests the Chief Executive to ensure that Cycle Action are involved in the further development of the current Auckland Harbour Bridge Walking and Cycling Study; and

takes Action Paper CS/08/05/6189 out of Committee."

**23C. CLOSURE OF AUCKLAND HARBOUR BRIDGE FOR STRIDE'N'RIDE DURING
WORLD ENVIRONMENT WEEK**

CS/08/5/6184

CO5-1001

Resolved

"That the Board:

- (a) supports the vision of Cycle Action Auckland (CAA) to promote cycling as a transport mode;
- (b) agrees that as CAA's request for a closure and funding contribution to promote cycling and walking as part of World Environment Week would require further:
 - (i) development and resolution of funding and safety issues that could not reasonably be resolved in the remaining time; and
 - (ii) work to achieve the level of Regional and National support required for such an event to fit within Transit's current policy; andit is accordingly declined;
- (c) requests the Chief Executive to continue working with CAA in promoting cycling options, in particular with the proposed celebrations of the 50 year anniversary of the opening of the Auckland Harbour Bridge; and
- (d) agrees to take Action Paper CS/08/5/6186 out of committee."

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