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Report to the Passenger Transport Committee From Anthony Cross, Manager Public Transport

Public Transport Update

1. Purpose

To update the Committee on recent developments and work in progress in the Public Transport Department.

2. Kapiti Coast/Porirua/Newlands Issues

A report from Mana and Newlands Coach Services is attached (**attachment 1**). Kerry Waddell, the company's Managing Director, will attend the Committee's meeting to present her report.

The new Haywards Connection timetable referred to is attached to this report (attachment 2).

3. Hutt Valley

The Hutt Valley Bus Service Review is the subject of a separate report to the Committee (Report 02.132).

4. Wairarapa

Depending on progress with the Hutt Valley review, we will begin work on a similar market research-based review of the Martinborough-Featherston-Masterton and Masterton Town bus services later in the year.

5. Bus and Train Guide

The expanded latest version of the Bus and Train Guide (**attachment 3**) has been printed recently. We have arranged for the Guide to be distributed to bars and cafes, hotels and motels as well as the usual timetable outlets. Territorial local authority Councillors for the four cities and Kapiti Coast District have also been sent copies directly.

6. Recommendation

That the report be received.

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Attachment 1: Report from Mana Coach Services Attachment 2: Haywards Connection Timetable Attachment 3: Cover of Bus and Train Guide 2002