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Report to the Regional Land Transport Committee  
By Dr D J Watson, Divisional Manager Transport

### **Divisional Manager's Report : June 2000**

#### **1. Purpose**

To provide information on recent relevant actions that should be of interest to the Committee.

#### **2. Long Term Financial Strategy**

The Regional Council will adopt on Thursday 15 June 2000 it's Long Term Financial Strategy and will set it's regional rates for 2000/2001. The Long Term Financial Strategy includes the public transport elements of the Western Corridor Implementation Plan.

#### **3. More Money for Public Transport**

... **Attached** is a copy of the media release made by the Minister of Transport, Mark Gosche on the government's new funding system for public transport. It is hoped that this will see more funds becoming available for the public transport services in the region.

#### **4. National Roding Programme**

Transfund New Zealand will announce their National Roding Programme for 2000/2001 on Thursday 15 June 2000. This programme announcement may have some implications for the Western Corridor. A copy of the programme will be available at the meeting.

#### **5. Recommendation**

*That the report be received.*

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**Attachment : 1**