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Transport and Access Committee

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Fare Review Process

Resolved

That the Committee:

- 1. Receives the report.
- 2. Notes the content of the report.
- 3. Notes that a fare review paper is scheduled to be presented to this Committee in early 2009 (unless an earlier decision to increase fares is made by Council as part of its budget process).
- 4. Notes that early indications are that a fare increase is likely to be needed as part of the Council budget setting process to ensure Council policies continue to be met.
- 5. Notes that if a budget decision to increase fares is made, then this Committee will have an opportunity to have an input into the fare setting process at a meeting of this Committee early in 2009.
- 6. Agrees to the adoption of a working assumption, to be used in the preparation of budgets for the Long-term Council Community Plan, that fare revenue be assumed to increase in line with increasing operating expenditure.
- 7. Agrees that the wider issue of concession fares, universal off-peak fares, and integrated fares be discussed in more detail in the near future.