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Report to the Passenger Transport Committee
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Other Corridor Plans

1. Purpose

To advise the Committee of the programme for the preparation of other corridor plans.

2. Background

The adopted Regional Land Transport Strategy 1999-2004 included, on page 52, a list of six corridors. These are:

- Western Corridor – Otaki to Ngauranga Merge
- Hutt Corridor – Upper Hutt to Ngauranga Merge
- Wairarapa Corridor – Masterton to Upper Hutt
- Porirua to Hutt Valley
- Ngauranga to Wellington CBD; and
- Wellington South to Airport

The Western Corridor Implementation Plan looked at the first of these corridors.

The Regional Council in its Long Term Financial Strategy and Annual Plan for 2000/2001, which will be finally adopted on Thursday 15 June 2000, includes funding provision for two corridor implementation plans in 2000/2001 and ongoing funding in future years to complete all the other plans.

The corridor plans to be undertaken in 2000/01 are:

- The Hutt Corridor Plan – Upper Hutt to Ngauranga Merge
- Ngauranga to Wellington CBD

In subsequent years the remaining three plans will be actioned.

The process for the development of these corridor plans will be similar to that used for the Western Corridor Implementation Plan. They will, when completed, become further additions to the adopted Regional Land Transport Strategy.

3. **Recommendation**

That the report be received.

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