

Report 09.619

Transport and Access Committee

Minute extract from meeting held on 22 October 2009

Submission on Opening Manners Mall to Buses and update on Central Area Bus Operational Review

Moved

(Cr Wilson/Cr Lamason)

That the Committee:

1. *Receives the report.*
2. *Notes the contents of the report.*
3. *Notes the proposed pedestrian improvements to lower Cuba Street which are intended to replace the loss of public space in Manners Mall.*
4. *Notes that further assessments as part of the Central Area Bus Operational Review have highlighted the importance of improvements in the Manners Mall area, particularly in the northbound direction, to address travel time variability and reliability issues.*
4. *Agrees to reaffirm support for opening Manners Mall to buses and requests that officers make a submission, in line with Council's earlier submission and including relevant new information from the Central Area Bus Operational Review, strongly supporting revocation of the pedestrian status of Manners Mall and opening Manners Mall to buses.*
6. *Agrees that the proposed submission be circulated to committee members, and that the committee Chairman be given authority to present it on the committee's behalf*

The motion was **CARRIED** unanimously.

Noted

Part 6 of the motion was added by the committee during the meeting.