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Public Transport Options

Public Transport is one of the programmes in the Transport and Urban Development portfolio. For the first year of the Long-Term Plan 2018-28 we are proposing changes to the Public Transport programme as outlined in the **Consultation Document**.(on page 14)

To make comment on the Public Transport propsed changes please complete the selection panel below.

To make comment on the the whole Transport and Urban Development portfolio, please use the tab on the left.

Please review the options in the Consultation Document and indicate which option you support: Option 4 – none of the above. (Please provide comment/ideas for an alternative solution)

Public Transport Comments

Please provide any comments.

Dear Sir/Madam I would like to just take this time to let you know how upset and disgusted I was to hear that the 535 bus was to be cut. I would like to ask how would I be able to get to work, to the Doctors and get my shopping as I have no other transport. For me to be able to get to Heathcote I would have a 45 min walk each way and this is just not possible. I have been transferred to Heathcote Valley by Housing New Zealand and now find I am likely to be stranded up here. The only other bus service goes into the City and Papanui, which is no where near any place I need to visit. As an older person not only do I feel that my rights to a bus service are being over looked but my health is being put at risk not only by isolation that I will feel but by not being able to get to see my Doctor. How are these things just. We have had cuts in our postal service now cuts in our bus service, our taxes are

going up never down. and the rates that are payed over here in the East of the City are just getting higher, for what I ask, as the services we are paying for are being cut. I suggest you continue with all the transport routes but with services being reduced during non peak times. This will enable people like me to get to the Dr's and my shopping. Yours Sincerely