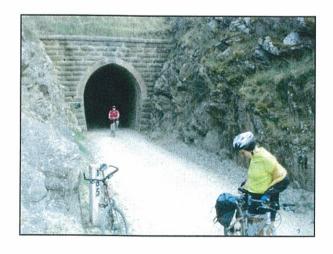


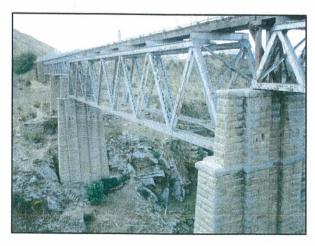
# What makes cycling in Tasman an enjoyable experience

- Nice climate
- History
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- Views Mountains to the Sea
- Nice climate
- Friendly people
- Cafes, bars, vineyards
- Tourism economy











#### **National Cycleway**

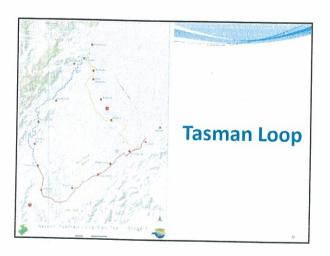
- Nelson Cycle Trails Trust Formed May 2009
- John Key initiative November 2009
- NZ Cycle Trails (Ministry of Tourism)
  - \$50 million in the kitty
  - Jobs for young New Zealanders
- Memorandum of Understanding between Nelson Cycle Trails Trust and Tasman District and Nelson City Councils

#### **National Cycleway**

- NCTT to promote
  - User focus integration of trails and support services
  - NZ Cycle Trail branding and promotion
  - Trail system to be self-sustaining
  - Fostering commercial enterprise to support the trail
  - Community involvement and connection
  - Environmentally sustainable tourism

## **Nelson Cycle Trails Trust**

- Two Council Mayors as trustees
- Request for funding December 2009 54 applications
- Thirteen approved for further investigation
- Nelson/Tasman
  - \$630,000 Dun mountain extension
  - \$2 million Tasman loop
  - \$62,500 Grant for feasibility study and business case.



## **Nelson Cycle Trail**

- Feasibility study and costings by 31 May 2010
- MWH in kind engineering feasibility/costings work offer accepted
- Council staff
- Many volunteers
- Buy in from communities/owners
- Funding sources

### Consultation

- Land owner negotiations
- NZTA trail crossings/road corridor
- Nelson Forests Ltd
- Land information leases (tunnel)
- Spooner Tunnel Committee
- Submission to Councils Annual Plans to bring forward cycle/construction programmes.









