

STAFF REPORT

TO: Chairman & Members, Engineering Services Committee
FROM: Transportation Manager, R Ashworth
DATE: 10 November 2005 **File:**
SUBJECT: Road Stopping

BACKGROUND

Under Section 342 and the 10th Schedule of the Local Government Act 1974, Council is required to advertise road stopping. Under the Act the stopping is advertised for a period of six weeks and allows for objection.

COMMENT

Recently there have been some road stopping proposals that have attracted objections and as such, Council is required to make a formal decision. There are two recent road stopping applications that have received objections:

- a) Cemetery Road, Motueka
- b) Trafalgar Road

It is recommended that the Engineering Services Committee appoint a subcommittee of not more than three people to hear the Cemetery Road stopping in February 2006 and the Trafalgar Road stopping in March 2006.

It is envisaged that the Cemetery Road stopping hearing of objections could take a full day and the Trafalgar Road stopping approximately half a day.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Engineering Services Committee appoint a subcommittee of three Councillors to hear road stopping objections in February and March 2006.

R Ashworth
Transportation Manager