## Information Sheet

## Major Cycle Routes Uni-Cycle – Puari ki Pū-taringa-motu

# Connecting Canterbury University (and College of Education) to the Central City via Hagley Park

The route is expected to attract many new cyclists to commute to work or education and for recreational purposes. The route passes near a number of major high schools and several intermediate schools in addition to the tertiary locations.

This route connects with the Nor'West Arc at Ilam Road and the Northern Line Cycleway at Mona Vale.

#### Length and cost:

The route is 5.6 kilometres and will cost \$9.4 million based on 2015 figures.

#### When will it be built?

Uni-Cycle is among the first four routes to be built. The others are Papanui Parallel, Rapanui — Shag Rock Cycleway and Quarryman's Trail. Some parts of the Uni-Cycle route have already been built, such as along Matai Street West. The full route is due to be finished in 2017.

### Why is Uni-Cycle among the first to be built?

All the routes were assessed against criteria such as likely use and how they connected with key destinations. Uni-Cycle scored well in part because it provides a convenient connection to a number of education facilities, including Christchurch Girls' and Boys' high schools and Canterbury University as well as popular destinations such as Riccarton Bush and Mona Vale.

#### The network approach

Christchurch City Council is building 13 new cycleways as part of its planned approach to transport to provide people with more choices in how they get around the city. Building the entire network as well as ensuring consistency of design and construction along all the routes is important and will ensure people feel confident to change their travel behaviour.

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