

# Petition: Officers' Response

**Title:** Coromandel Street traffic signal changes for new Give Way 2012 rule changes

**Primary Petitioner:** Marcus Simons  
**Total Signatures:** 49 (via ePetition)

**Presented by:** Marcus Simons  
**Contact officer:** Soon Teck Kong  
**Director responsible:** Stavros Michael

## Officers' recommendation:

Officers recommend that the Committee:

1. *Receive the petition.*

## Background:

The ePetition "Coromandel Street traffic signal changes for new Give Way 2012 rule changes" was initiated by Marcus Simons on 29 September 2011 and closed on 29 January 2012.

The purpose of the petition is to request that the Wellington City Council add two turning arrows to the recently installed traffic signals at the intersection of Coromandel and Constable streets before 25 March 2012. This will allow traffic turning from the southern end of Coromandel Street to head East on Constable Street after they lose the right of way with the changes to the road code.

The petition was open to all members of the public with internet access to the Council's website. It received 49 signatures.

## Officers' response:

Council officers have assessed all the signalised intersections within its jurisdiction. Signal alterations at several major intersections have been made prior to the Give Way rule changes on 25 March 2012. Marcus Simon's epetition on the intersection of Coromandel Street and Constable Street with suggested traffic signal changes are being monitored by Council officers prior to any signal changes. This traffic monitoring will ascertain the level of redirected traffic in the local street network in the vicinity of Constable Street. Once this monitoring period is complete, signal alterations will be made to address these traffic flow changes.