



Cabinet

Minute of Decision

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Additional Item: Auckland Urban Development and Transport Strategy: Next Steps

Portfolio Transport

On 20 November 2017, Cabinet:

- 1 **noted** the advice of the Minister of Transport that he intends, jointly with the Minister of Finance, to send a letter to the Mayor of Auckland to seek his agreement to a proposed process for engagement to refresh the Auckland Transport Alignment Project so that greater priority is attached to public transport and to co-design an urban development strategy for Auckland's growth; and to provide assurance that the government is developing legislation to allow Auckland Council to introduce a regional fuel tax in 2018;
- 2 **agreed** that, subject to final Cabinet decisions, the government will look to develop legislation that will allow Auckland Council to introduce a regional fuel tax in 2018 of up to 10 cents per litre on petrol and diesel purchased for use on roads, using the 2008 regional fuel tax legislation as a basis.

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for Secretary of the Cabinet

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