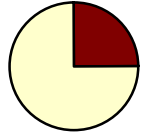
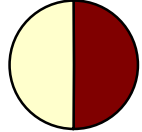


Transport and Communications – Report Card

Targets	Have targets been met?	Current Projects	Issues	Gaps	Sustainability Assessment
Proportion of people either working from home, or travelling to work by walking, cycling, passenger transport, or as vehicle passengers increased to 30%.	Short answer: no. Slight decline in people using “sustainable” modes to travel to work. However, recent increase in bus patronage. Rail patronage at full capacity at peak times.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cycleways Strategy, and implementation in parks. ▪ Rail project advocacy. Access planning stations. ▪ Improvements to bus services and shelters. 	<p>Dependence on regional and national transport initiatives in order to pursue our own urban objectives.</p> <p>Some highlights such as Tegel relocating all plant to Henderson, largely because of access to rail for workers and product.</p>	No advocacy with public to change or adapt travel patterns. Few financial incentives to change travel patterns. (and options not yet in place).	<p>Connections</p> 
Number of transport related injuries and deaths in the City reduced below 290 per 100,000 pop.	220 per 100,000. Great result	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Lots of safety initiatives in partnership with Safe Waitakere ▪ Walking School Bus initiatives. ▪ Redesigning roading black spots. 	Issue here is that safety is both a street and a transport issue. A city that is safe for a five year old to walk around, will be a good city to live in.	Not yet offering choice, safety, flexibility, fast, reliable services. While the bulk of the transport budget focuses on roads and cars rather than streets and people, more roads and more cars is what we will get.	<p>Strong, Safe communities</p> 
Greenprint has objectives for access to telecommunications	Internet access in 41% of households (2001 Census)	Advocacy and negotiation with telecomms companies	Currently resolving issues of Council role in this new area	Waitakere has poor access relative to other urban areas of NZ	

