A section of the Papanui Parallel, Grants to Tomes Roads, where a shared cycling and pedestrian path will provide a direct connection from the local road network at Grassmere Road to the north and Rutland Street to the south. The Papanui Parallel route is a first priority in Christchurch City Council’s Major Cycleway programme and extends from Papanui to the CBD.

Benefits: This ‘missing link’ in the Papanui Parallel will provide a safer option for cyclists currently using this arterial route and will reduce crash risk. On completion of this section an increase in cycling and pedestrian numbers is expected along the whole route.

Total estimated construction cost:
$0.75 million

Urban Cycleways Fund share
$0.25 million

Local share $0.25 million
NLTF $0.25 million

Target start date:
March 2015

Target completion date:
August 2015

For more information, visit our website
www.nzta.govt.nz/planning/process/walking-cycling.html